



**Minutes of the Special Meeting of the
Royal Burgh of St Andrews Community Council
held in the Burgh Chambers, St Andrews Town Hall
Wednesday 26 August 2026 at 7.00pm**

The Acting Chair, Izzy Corbin, opened the meeting and deferred to the Secretary to follow the Agenda.

1. Attendance, Apologies and Declarations

1.1 No declarations were made.

1.2 The following Councillors attended: Izzy Corbin, Marion Mason, Alison Stephenson, Sandy Mitchell, Neil Cunningham Dobson, Annie Wishart, Mike Reid, David Strachan, Judith Harding, Ian Muir, Callum MacLeod, Robert Moran, Amy Elvins

1.3 Apologies were received from: Penelope Fraser, Lucy Stevenson

1.4 Point of information: Marion informed the room that Carol Scambler had recently moved her main residence from St Andrews to Edinburgh and has resigned from the Community Council with immediate effect. Marion would like the following minuted; "The Community Council is extremely disappointed to lose Carol as a full member. She has been a huge asset to the Community Council, working in various sub-groups, running her own sub-group and taking the lead on many occasions. We hope that at our September full meeting we will be able to accept Carol as an Associate Member, and that once her main residence is again listed as St Andrews and she is back on the Voters' Roll, she will return to her position as a full Community Councillor."

Callum informed the room that Greg Newman is also no longer on the Community Council.

2. Election of Chair

Callum MacLeod agreed to stand and was elected Chair, uncontested.

Proposed: Annie Wishart. Seconded; Sandy Mitchell

Callum MacLeod took the Chair to a round of applause.

3. Appointment to Other Offices & Office Bearers

3.1 Minute Secretary: Callum MacLeod proposed that he would be able to take on this role in addition to the role of Chair to help consolidate.

3.2 Correspondence Secretary: Marion agreed to stand and was elected, uncontested.

Proposed: Neil Cunningham Dobson. Seconded: Ian Muir

4. Representation of the Community Council on St Andrews Community Trust

There is one vacancy on the Community Trust.

Annie Wishart and Ian Muir put themselves forward for this role.

Annie Wishart – Proposed: David Strachan. Seconded: Marion Mason

Ian Muir – Proposed: Judith Harding. Seconded: Neil Dobson

A vote took place and Annie Wishart was elected as the new Trustee.