Community Council meeting with Politician's billed to attend on Mon. 22nd October 7pm at Mearns Castle High School. Posted by RM64 - 23 Oct 2018 10:29

Any update on what was discussed regarding New Leisure Centre Build on Green Space?

Re: Community Council meeting with Politician's billed to attend on Mon. 22nd October 7pm at Mearns Castle High School. Posted by The Insider - 23 Oct 2018 15:33

A little bird tells me that Cllr Bamforth mentioned about needing space for the pool, as in an Olympic size pool.

She also said that there was going to be a meeting this week of the Education Committee to hear about the requirement to expand St Ninians.

She also said that the meeting was not open to the public.

Re: Community Council meeting with Politician's billed to attend on Mon. 22nd October 7pm at Mearns Castle High School. Posted by RM64 - 24 Oct 2018 08:45

Posted on Save Shawwood Greenspace Facebook page -

24/10/2018

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Hi guys – I went to the Community Council meeting on Monday night and just wanted to give you all some very brief feedback, as the risk of development to Shawwood and Broompark was discussed. It was pretty busy, so quite possibly a few of you were there too!

Most importantly, it was made clear to me that it is imperative we do as much as we can as quickly as we can in respect to saving Shawwood in particular.

Please try and come along to the meeting on 4th Nov.

Jackson Carlaw MSP has parliamentary funding to do a further postal consultation for 3,000 houses on this subject.

However, Councillor Bamforth was quite quick to point out that the Council does not need to pay attention to any consultations or reports at all and can make their decisions irrespective of any of this.

The flood implications are large, we have someone in contact with the Flood Prevention Group to work on this aspect.

The Community Council agreed that they would speak to the other local CCs and put together a joint statement against locating the leisure centre on green spaces.

The Community Council also agreed to join the group PERPPOS (Protect East Renfrewshire Parks and Public Open Spaces).

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