

4	<p>Matters Arising</p> <p>TD and MW met with Frank Neate, re: Aberlady sewage problems. A subset of GACC will meet in November to consider the matter further and report to GACC at the next meeting.</p> <p>DA reported that Scottish Water will be sending a rep to the next GACC meeting. She had also received a letter from Scottish Water about the problems.</p>	TD &MW
5	<p>Local Priorities</p> <p>Jonathan Kinna from the Gullane Table Tennis Club spoke about the club's need for funds. The information was appreciated and well received, JH advised that capital costs are what GACC can help with and that the application form can be found on the GACC website.</p> <p>There were no applications.</p>	N/A
6	<p>Treasurer's Report</p> <p>The Treasurer was not in attendance (with prior notice given) and was therefore not able to give a report. The minutes note that the annual accounts have been independently reviewed and accepted by earlier emails.</p>	N/A
7	<p>Police Report</p> <p>The main concern is road safety. If residents encounter a road safety issue they can note the car reg number and report it to the Police via the Police email address. The Police can then follow up with the driver and speak to them. We should consider updating our website to make this option more clear. The main thrust of this discussion was led by CllrG and centred on the volunteer patrols that would be trained to use speed guns at specific points in the villages to monitor speeding. There were many issues raised regarding this including the potential for the volunteers to receive abuse for monitoring the speed in the villages along with the fact that it won't result in a fine for the offenders, just a "talking to" by the Police. The consensus among GACC members present was that there wasn't any interest on the council to support this activity.</p>	GM
8	<p>Communications</p> <p>GACC will conduct a brief discussion at the next meeting regarding a response to the recently published Government Consultation on Fracking.</p>	N/A
9	<p>Website</p> <p>GM has updated the Grant Application Form on the GACC website. The Facebook page is doing well and getting some traffic and GM is working on linking the GACC Facebook page to the East Lothian App.</p>	GM

10	<p>Planning</p> <p>MW reported that GACC has objected to the planning application for a new dwelling to be built in the grounds of Whim Lodge. TD will hold a discussion at the November meeting re: how GACC drafts responses to planning applications.</p> <p>The Lothian Development Project (LDP) has been signed off by the Scottish Government. MW will circulate the relevant pages re: Supplementary Guidance once published by ELC.</p> <p>East Lothian Council (ELC) expect to start work on the next LDP (10 years) in 2019. In the Planning Bill, currently at stage 2 of 3, Local Place Plans remain important as far as the government/SNP is concerned. They intend them to be treated as a Material consideration. There is confusion as to what the definition of a Local Place Plan is. We will need to decide what follow up is needed on them.</p>	TD MW
11	<p>Village Reports</p> <p>Gullane – GM reported that the Bowling Club has a new committee that hopes to get up and running to start bowling in the new year.</p> <p>GM reported that the resident at the entrance to Muirfield House who had complained at an earlier meeting regarding litter being thrown in their garden from the adjacent bus stop wanted an update. JF has spoken with the ELC and they are monitoring the situation.</p> <p>GM spoke with Eric Thomson of the Village Hall Committee regarding their lack of presence at the NBCAP partnership meetings and he reported that as the NBCAP had focused on matters relating to North Berwick he had written to the chair saying that they would not attend any further meetings. He, however, has agreed to go back to the committee and see if they wished to give the NBCAP meetings another chance.</p> <p>Aberlady – The new proposed exit from the Pleasance site onto the A198 is causing concern amongst residents.</p> <p>Direlton – N/A</p> <p>Drem – N/A</p> <p>West Fenton – CllrH reported that the Traffic Regulation Orders (TROs) will be forthcoming fairly soon regarding ‘Quiet Roads’.</p>	GM
12	<p>North Berwick Coastal Area Partnership (NBCAP)</p> <p>Nothing to report</p>	
13	<p>AOCB</p> <p>1 GM reported that the ELC Resilience Training Plan needs volunteers from villages other than Gullane. At the moment GACC involvement centres on Gullane because the other villages need to decide how they want to engage with the plan. GM has met with ELC regarding disused grit bins and will post a map of the gritting plans for roads to the GACC web page.</p> <p>2 It is understood that East Lothian Council has published a schedule for emergency road clearing.</p> <p>3 Aberlady will be getting a new electric car charging point. There are none in Gullane because an application for Gullane wasn’t put in. GM will be the Gullane liaison for an electric car charging point.</p>	GM

The next meeting will take place on 29 November 2018 at 7:00PM in the Dirleton Kirk Hall