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THE FIFE COUNCIL - FIFE COUNCIL - REMOTE MEETING

12th November, 2020

10.00 a.m. - 10.20 a.m.

PRESENT

Councillors Jim Leishman (Convener), David Alexander, Lesley Backhouse, Alistair Bain, David Barratt, John Beare, Tim Brett, James Calder, Ken Caldwell, Alistair Cameron, Ian Cameron, Alex Campbell, Bobby Clelland, Dave Coleman, Bill Connor, Altany Craik, Neil Crooks, Colin Davidson, Dave Dempsey, John Docherty, Gavin Ellis, Linda Erskine, Ian Ferguson, Julie Ford, Derek Glen, David Graham, Fiona Grant, Mick Green, Sharon Green-Wilson, Gary Guichan, Garry Haldane, Jean Hall-Muir, Judy Hamilton, Andy Heer, Zoe Hisbent, Linda Holt, Gordon Langlands, Helen Law, Kathleen Leslie, Rosemary Liewald, Carol Lindsay, Jane Ann Liston, Mary Lockhart, Donald Lothian, David MacDiarmid, Mino Manekshaw, Karen Marjoram, Lea McLelland, Alice McGarry, Tony Miklinski, Derek Noble, Dominic Nolan, John O'Brien, Tony Orton, Ross Paterson, Bill Porteous, Graham Ritchie, David Ross, David J Ross, Ryan Smart, Kate Stewart, Alistair Suttie, Jonny Tepp, Brian Thomson, Ann Verner, Andrew Verrecchia, Ross Vettraino, Craig Walker, Darren Watt and Jan Wincott.

193.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST
	No declarations were submitted in terms of Standing Order 7.1.
194.	REVIEW OF COMMUNITY COUNCIL SCHEME - UPDATE ON BOUNDARY CONSULTATION AND PROPOSED SCHEME
	The Council considered a report by the Head of Legal and Democratic Services which provided members with an update on progress in relation to the ongoing review of the current Scheme of Establishment of Community Councils, to recommend a response to the submissions received during the consultation process in respect of community council boundaries and election rules and to propose an amended Scheme document for the next stage of consultation. It was noted that a number of amendments to the draft Scheme of Establishment and proposed boundary changes had been received from members.
	<u>Decision</u>
	As the required two thirds majority agreed, the Council:-
	(1) noted the progress made to date in reviewing the current Scheme of Establishment of Community Councils and the amended consultation timeline as set out in Appendix 1 of the report;
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- (2) agreed to defer the decision on the proposed boundary changes to the meeting of Fife Council in March, 2021 to allow for further consultation;
- (3) approved the draft Scheme of Establishment and associated documents as set out in Appendices 4 and 5 of the report and agreed that these be subject to further consultation; and
- (4) noted that a report on the outcome of the second phase of public consultation and a request to approve the final Scheme and boundaries will be submitted to a special meeting of Fife Council in March, 2021.