

NORTH BERWICK HARBOUR TRUST ASSOCIATION

Minutes of Meeting with Vision Team Wednesday 21 June 2006 @ 7.30pm at Clubhouse, ELYC

Present: Gerry Hughes Chairman
Bruce Todd Deputy Chairman
Colin Cumming Vision Team
Jim Sandison Vision Team
John Baird Vision Team
Derek Braid Secretary

Apologies: Pat Macaulay Vision Team
Bob Bryce Vision Team
Cameron Small Vision Team
David Lumbard Vision Team

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1. Progress

The report produced as a result of the meeting of the Vision Team on 16 May 2006 was very comprehensive. It was stressed that the list of ideas had not been edited and only prioritised into broad categories. Also the feasibility of each item had not been considered. However, the meeting agreed it was suitable for the overall final report at the full meeting on 28 June.

The report is on the web site and is therefore in the public domain. The risk of adverse press comment about some of the longer term ideas was understood and will be managed as necessary.

John made the comment that it may be easier to go for a large scale major development than many incremental developments. Colin also suggested that it may be easier to raise a large sum, than a relatively small sum for developments. The meeting agreed with these sentiments, although noted that the priority was to establish the Trust and take over control of the day to day running of the harbour, and ensure that outstanding maintenance items were addressed. After that is done, the Trust can look to future developments.

2. Next Meeting

The next meeting is for all members of the NBHTA on 28 June 2006 @ 7.30pm at ELYC Clubhouse.

Derek Braid, 23/6/06