## Longstone Community Council Chair's Report

The last year has been a year of change as the Longstone Community Council went through a reorganisation. Our long standing secretary, Steuart Campbell, resigned as both secretary and Community Councillor. His wife Margaret Campbell resigned too. I would like to thank them both for their service to the Council over many years I think that I am now in my sixth year as Chair. During most of this period Steuart was the secretary and of great assistance to me, not least during the COVID period. Their resignations left two vacancies in the Community Council. I am glad to report that both these vacancies, including the vacancy for secretary, have been filled. Indeed we have stronger representation today as we have been able to co-opt another person. I look forward, over the next few months, to working with the Council to make progress on the pedestrian crossing scheduled for the Lanark Road, the lighting of the path across the Quarry Park, and the pedestrian/cycle bridge over the Water of Leith.

Des Loughney – June 24.