## **Minute/Note of Meeting**

TITLE	NHCC		
DATE	31 <sup>st</sup> October 2018	TIME	7.30pm
VENUE	NHT OFFICES		
DISTRIBUTION	COMMITTEE MEMBERS, COUNCILLORS, CNES		

Present:	JOHN MACLEOD, KAREN MACDONALD, AGNES MORRISON, MAIRI MACIVER, CATHERINE MACDONALD, CLLR F CUNNINGHAM, MARGO
	MACLEOD , CLLR P FINNEGAN
Apologies:	JOHN M MORRISON, CLLR JG MITCHELL, PHIL BERTIN

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES	THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING WERE APPROVED AS FOLLOWS – PROPOSED – CATHERINE MACDONALD SECONDED – MARGO MACLEOD		
MATTERS ARISING	ATM – HAS BEEN OFF AGAIN SINCE THE LAST MEETING AND CLLR FINNEGAN WILL KEEP THE COMPANY INFORMED		
	STEPS – CLLR MITCHELL WAS TO ASK THE COUNCIL ABOUT DOING SOMETHING ABOUT THE GAP OPPOSITE THE BUNK HOUSE – AS CLLR MITCHELL IS NOT AT THE MEETING WE WILL LEAVE THIS UNTIL THE NEXT MEETING.	JGM	
	CLLR CUNNINGHAM IS AWAITING CONFIRMATION OF WHAT WAS SPECIFIED IN THE BUS CONTRACT BEFORE HE LOOKS ANY FURTHER INTO THE PARKING OF THE BUSES IN THE CAR PARK WHEN THEY ARE NOT IN USE.		
	SCHOOL LET – THE DANCE SCHOOL IS GETTING THE SCHOOL FOR FREE AT THE MOMENT AND THE CLLRS WERE ASKED IF THIS MEANT THAT OTHER GROUPS FOR EXAMPLE THE POUND CLASS WOULD GET IT FREE. THEY SAID THAT IT WAS ONLY A TEMPORARY ARRANGEMENT.		
	NAME OF THE HOUSES ON THE SITE OF THE POLICE STATION – CLLR FINNEGAN SAID THAT HHP HAVE SAID THEY WILL NO LONGER BE USING BOBBY'S PLACE BUT WILL BE GOING WITH EITHER STATION PLACE OR STATION COURT. THE WORK IS DUE TO START IN NOVEMBER.		
CORRESPONDENCE	CAMERON MORRISON HAS WRITTEN TO ASK IF THE COMMUNITY COUNCIL WOULD BE ABLE TO COMMIT TO THE UP KEEP OF THE MOBILE COMMUNITY AED WHICH IS USED AT COMMUNITY EVENTS THROUGHOUT HARRIS. THIS WOULD INVOLVE PAYING FOR PADS AND BATTERIES WHEN THEY ARE REQUIRED. THEY WOULD ONLY BE REQUIRED EVERY FEW YEARS WHEN THEY GO OUT OF DATE UNLESS THEY ARE USED. THE COMMITTEE WERE		

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		HAPPY TO DO THIS AND IT WAS AGREED AND AGNES WILL LET CAMERON MORRISON KNOW.  MR K MACKAY FROM RHEINIGADALE HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH THE CHAIRMAN TO ASK FOR THE COMMUNITU COUNCIL TO PAY FOR AN AED TO BE PUT IN RHEINIGADALE. THIS WAS DISCUSSED AND IT WAS AGREED THAT IT WAS NOT SOMETHING THE CC COULD DO BECAUSE THERE WOULD THEN BE THE MAINTENANCE AND UP KEEP OF IT TO CONSIDER AND ALSO IT WOULD SET A PRECEDENT AND WE COULD BE INUNDATED WITH SIMILAR REQUESTS FROM OTHER SMALL VILLAGES IN THE AREA. IT WAS SUGGESTED THAT MR MACKAY SHOULD CONTACT THE MUAITEABHAL TRUST AS RHEINIGADALE IS IN THEIR CATCHEMENT AREA AND THAT HE SHOULD ALSO SPEAK TO ANGUS MORRISON FROM LUCKY TO BE HERE. JOHN MACLEOD WILL SPEAK TO MR MACKAY  THE FIRE STATION HAVE ASKED FOR A DONATION TOWARDS THE CHRISTMAS LIGHTS DISPLAY AND ARE HAPPY WITH ANY DONATION. THIS WAS DISCUSSED AND IT WAS AGREED TO GIVE THEM \$1000 AS THIS IS SOMETHING WHICH WILL BE USED EVERY YEAR AND IS FOR THE WIDER COMMUNITY. AGNES WILL LET CHRIS SUTTON KNOW.  GORDON MACDONALD CHAIRMAN OF THE HMIA HAS SUBMITTED AN APPLICATION FOR FUNDING FOR HELP TO RESURFACE THE ENTRANCE DRIVE TO THE COMMUNITY CENTRE. MR MACDONALD CHAIRMAN OF THE HMIA HAS SUBMITTED AN APPLICATION FOR FUNDING FOR HELP TO RESURFACE THE ENTRANCE DRIVE TO THE COMMUNITY CENTRE. MR MACDONALD HAS SUBMITTED QUOTES FOR \$7000 AND ALSO THE HMIA S FINANCIAL STATEMENT. HE HAS SAID THAT THEY ARE ABLE TO FUND HALF OF THIS THEMSELVES IT WAS AGREED TO ALLOCATE \$1500 TO THIS (SUBJECT TO AGREEMENT FROM THE MUAITEABHAL TRUST AS IT IS MORE THAN \$1000) AGNES WILL CHECK WITH THE TRUST AND INFORM MR MACDONALD OF THE DECISION.		
4	AOCB.	CATHERINE MACDONALD HAS BEEN APPROACHED BY A RESIDENT IN SCOTT ROAD REGARDING THE GUNNERA WHICH IS GROWNING NEAR THE HOTEL AND ENCROACHES ON THE PAVEMENT AND MEANS THAT PEOPLE HAVE TO MOVE ONTO THE ROAD TO GET PAST IT. SHE ASKED IF THE CC OR THE COUNCIL COULD HELP WITH THIS. CLLR FINNEGAN SAID HE WOULD ASK BUT THAT THE NHT HAD A GUNNERA ERADICATION PROGRAMME SO THEY WOULD BE THE BEST PEOPLE TO CONTACT.		
5		AGNES & KAREN ASKED ABOUT THE TREE AT THE SCHOOL WHICH OBSCURES YOUR VISION TO ONCOMING TRAFFIC IF YOU PULL OUT TO GO ROUND THE TWO PARKED CARS AT PARK VIEW TERRACE. NONE OF THE COMMITTEE HAD NOTICED THIS AND CLLR FINNEGAN SAID HE WOULD HAVE A LOOK.  COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS ARE BEING HELD BY THE COUNCIL ON 19 <sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER AND THE COUNCILLORS PRESENT STRESSED THE IMPORTANCE OF THESE MEETINGS BEING WELL ATTENDED. THE COUNCIL HAVE TO LOOK AT DIFFERENT WAY TO MAINTAIN SERVICES WHILST CUTTING THEIR BUDGET. THEY WILL BE LOOKING FOR IDEAS FROM		

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	COMMUNITIES ON WAYS TO SAVE MONEY WITHOUT LOSING ESSENTIAL SERVICES.  AT A PREVIOUS MEETING THE PROBLEM OF THE REGISTRAR SERVICE IN HARRIS NOT BEING COVERED WHEN THE REGISTRAR WAS ON HOLIDAY WAS DISCUSSED AND WE WERE ASSURED THAT THE INCIDENT THAT HAD BEEN BROUGHT TO THE CC WAS AN ISOLATED INCIDENT BECAUSE THE PERSON WHO WAS STANDING IN HAD BEEN OFF SICK HOWEVER THIS HAS HAPPENED AGAIN A COUPLE OF TIMES SINCE AND WHEN PEOPLE ARE GRIEVING AND THERE IS A DEATH ON THE FRIDAY OR WEEKEND THEY HAVE TO WAIT ALL WEEKEND TO THEN TRAVEL TO REGISTER A DEATH BEFORE BEING ABLE TO ARRANGE A FUNERAL. THIS WAS DISCUSSED AND IT IS NOT REALLY CLEAR WHAT CAN BE DONE TO HELP WITH THIS AS ANYONE WHO DOES THIS JOB HAS TO HAVE SPECIAL TRAINING AND THIS IS COSTLY AND TIME CONSUMING.		
6 DATE OF NEXT MEETING	MONDAY 14 <sup>TH</sup> JANUARY AT 7.30PM		