

North Lochs Community Council

Minutes of Meeting

Wednesday 24th February 2021 @ 7.30pm, Virtually over Zoom

Present

Angus Morrison – Councillor
Robbie Mackenzie – Chairperson
Maggie Smith – Vice Chairperson
Coleen Macleod – Secretary
Iain Macaskill
Sarah Macdonald
Annabel Mackay
Bruce Mackenzie

Apologies

Sarah McIver - Treasurer

Agenda

1. Chairperson's welcome.

- Robbie Mackenzie (Chairperson) welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2. Minutes of the last meeting.

- Maggie Smith (Vice Chairperson) proposed change to be made to last minutes regarding Crown Estate Fund. NLCC changed to North Lochs Area. Coleen Macleod (Secretary) made this amendment to the minutes. Minutes were then approved by Sarah Macdonald and seconded by Annabel Mackay. Robbie Mackenzie to sign the minutes.

3. Matters from previous meeting.

- Speed Limit monitoring in Leurbost by police has taken place. Issues regarding speed limits was also discussed to the most recent issue of Lochs News.
- Stone circle bench work has begun.

4. Update from Angus Morrison – CNES

- Robert Emmott (Director of Assets, Finance and Resources) last day today.
- Budget setting is in place.
- Partnership Board – stalled at the moment due to tier 4, lockdown.
- Development Worker – stalled as well at the moment due to tier 4, lockdown – fell through. This money will fall back into projects.

- Play areas money to be ringfenced. Janet Macleod (Community Development Officer) be asked about dealing with this.

5. NLCA Business

- NLCA Hall Renovations - Demolishing part done. Pricing for works to be started. Once out of tier 4, lockdown things can get started. Café/bar area to be constructed. Space will be made bigger.

6. AOB and Correspondence.

- Request of give way signs in Leurbost. Angus Morrison (Councillor) to investigate.
- Grimishader WIFI issues discussed.
- Inaugural Meeting of Lewis Association of Community Councils Meeting – 2nd March @ 7.30pm. Iain Macaskill and Robbie Mackenzie will be attending.
- Secretary has set up NLCC email – northlochscommunitycouncil@hotmail.com. Password issued to all members to have access.
- Stornoway Community Council – emails regarding Stornoway Primary all-weather pitch & statement on windfarm enquiry.
- New Scottish Government document Covid-19 – Scotland’s Strategic Framework Update – Angus Morrison to email to Coleen Macleod (Secretary) to forward to all members.

Next meeting to be held on the 7th April 2021

Chairperson Signature: _____ Date: _____