

# North Uist Community Council



## Comharle Coimhearsnachd Uibhist a Tuath

### NUCC minutes

Meeting held on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2022 at 8.00pm via MS Teams

#### Present:

Joan Ferguson (**JF**) – Chair  
Conor Lawless (**CL**) – Vice-Chair  
John MacDonald (**JMD**) - Treasurer  
Lynda MacLean (**LML**) – Secretary  
Effie Rodgers (**ER**)  
Michelle MacDonald (**MMD**) – *joined via telephone at 8.15pm*  
Cllr Uisdean Robertson (**UR**)

Mairi Claire Ellwood (**MCE**)  
Peter MacNab (**PMN**)  
Anne MacLellan (**AML**)  
David Downham (**DD**)

#### 1. Apologies:

Raghnall Maclain, Rachel MacLean, Cllr Mustapha Hocine, Angus MacLennan.

#### 2. Welcome

Chair welcomed and thanked everyone for attending and explained the meeting was held for the purpose of co-opting new members.

NUCC constitution states we can have no more than 13 elected members and up to 4 co-opted members along with the local CNES Councillors for the ward.

We currently have a total of 9 elected members due to Kenneth MacDonald and Donald Angie MacLennan resigning.

A discussion was had on a Hybrid approach to meetings in the future due to rise in fuel costs, availability of members and with winter approaching. This was agreed as a viable option.

**MMD** asked if she could remain as a Member of NUCC once she goes away to attend University – this was unanimously agreed as **MMD** is remaining on the electoral register at her current home address.

#### 3. Co-option of Members

The following were elected as Members:

Mairi Claire Ellwood - Grimsay  
Peter MacNab - Locheport  
Anne MacLellan - Hougharry  
David Downham – Claddach Kirkibost

The following were co-opted as Members:

Angus MacLennan - Lochportain  
Zara Wilkie - Grenitote

All the above were proposed by **JF** and seconded by **JMD**.

#### 13. Date of next meeting

Next meeting to take place on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2022 at 8pm at the Claddach Kirkibost Centre. Which will be a Members only meeting to allow regrouping of the Committee and a discussion on suggestions for NUCC going forward.