

Uig Community Council

Minutes of Meeting

TITLE : Uig Community Council

DATE : 03-10-2022

TIME : 7.30pm

VENUE : Uig Community Centre

DISTRIBUTION : To all Council Members

Present: C. Maclean (Chair), W. Greer (Treasurer), K. Agg, N. Macdonald, L. Darley (Clerk).
Donella Macdonald (Ionad Hiort).

Item	Summary and Action	Who?	When?
1	Apologies C. Mackenzie, J. Shaw, G. Attrill, A. Murray, R. Fraser.		
2	Guest Speaker CMacL welcomed Donella Macdonald to the meeting. Donella, who is the Treasurer of Ionad Hiort (St. Kilda Centre), gave an update on the progress of the proposed St. Kilda Centre at Mangersta. Since its inception, plans for the centre have undergone a number of iterations; the latest plan is scaled down from the first ideas tabled. Submission of the plans to CnES planning department is imminent, following which, after three months, RIBA stage 4 report, tenders and funding will be sought. Cost is estimated at £6.25 million and a fixed-price will be required from builders. This plan will allow for possible future expansion of the centre.		
3	Approval of Minutes Minutes of meeting held on 8th August 2022, agreed - proposed WG, seconded CMacL. Matters Arising: Following Alison Stockwell's visit to last meeting, an e-mail was received thanking UCC for hosting her visit and giving links to useful sites, etc. LD signed up for the Climate Action Network - Western Isles newsletter. Replacement defibrillator pads received for Breanish and paid for. Second set of pads supplied are to replace any pads used after defibrillator has been used in an emergency. LD to check on status of Aird defibrillator. CMacL is waiting to hear from Mairi Macdonald (UCCA) regarding Dr. Hay slide show.	LD	

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4	Finance	Account balance is £10,211.38. This includes funding via (former Cllr.) N. A. Macdonald. Invoice for community bus has been paid to P. MacLennan, but not yet reimbursed by CnES transport.		
5	Correspondence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> E-mail from Belle Ann Scott requesting update of Member details. (Sent). E-mail received Belle Ann Scott regarding Poppy Wreaths. NMacD to order for UCC. 		
6	Mealista Monument	<p>CMacL to contact Ian Smith for costings etc. for 6ft stone cairn with name/information plaque.</p> <p>LD contacted CnES planning department via e-mail to ask for information on planning procedure, but has not received any reply so far. NMacD will contact department.</p>	CMacL NMacD	
7	Community Shout Out	CMacL has received an Action Plan from AM.		
8	Fireworks	Uig Firework event will take place on Saturday 5th November. UCC to provide tea, coffee, baking etc. and hold a Raffle. Prizes required for raffle. UCC will pay 1/3 cost of fireworks.		
9	Christmas Lunch	CMacL has provisionally booked the hall for Saturday 10th December for a Christmas Lunch at 1.00 - 4.00pm. KA confirmed that Cardais group are content with lunchtime arrangements. CMacL to contact caterers.		
10	Roads	<p>E-mails sent to CnES departments.</p> <p>20mph Speed Limit at Uig School. Department replied that they are currently working through a list of Traffic Regulation Orders - this has taken longer than expected as some objections have delayed the progress. Hoping to get the proposed speed limit out to consultation in next few months and the Order made and road signed, which will be next year.</p> <p>Road to the shore at Ardrol. Roads department replied that they are aware of the condition of the road. The road appears on the Unadopted roads list and is essentially a private road. Suggested that temporary repairs to the potholes could be made, which would have to be funded by community groups as the Roads section do not currently have access to any budget for repairs to Unadopted roads. They are happy to provide advice where required. CMacL to contact Ardrol Grazings and get prices for a patch-up.</p>	CMacL NMacD	
11	AOCB	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WG stated that the footpath to the beach (Tràigh na Cille) at Timsgarry has been blocked. NMacD to investigate. 	NMacD	

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12	Date and Time of Next Meeting	Monday 7th November 2022 at 7.30pm, at Uig Community Centre.		