Minute/Note of Meeting

TITLE	Iochdar Community Council Meeting			
DATE	Tues 17 th May 2016	TIME	8.00pm	
VENUE	Talla an Iochdair			
DISTRIBUTION				

Present:	lain A MacNeil (Chair), Ronnie MacPhee Anne Bird (minutes), Brendan MacPhee Peter Bird, Angela Brass, Neil MacPherson,
Apologies:	Morag Ann MacAulay., George MacDonald

	Agenda Item	Summary	Action	Who?	When?
1.	Previous Minutes	Previous minutes proposed by RMacP and seconded by ABr .	Submit approved minutes to CnES.	AB	Asap
2.	Matters Arising	Enquiry into discharge of waste water to sea: SEPA confirmed that septic tank and discharge checked every 5 years, next check due in 2019. Waiting to find out from SW when tank was last emptied.	Liaise SW	AB	For next meeting
		Work not yet started on 20mph sign for the school. CnES are waiting for cable and work should begin within 2-3 weeks.	Monitor progress	ICC	ı
		Outside light at Taigh Ceilidh: on-going			
		New bus timetables, views on consultation passed to CnES.			
		SAIAAC tree tidy-up on 30 th April was a success with help from ICC and community, many positive comments from community on improved visibility.			
		Broken concrete bollards by CnaG: CnES have attended promptly to the issue and made safe.			
		Bus shelter at Ardmore road end: CnES due to reinstate shelter.	Monitor progress	IAM	On-going

		ICC Facebook: idea to have a page in the form of a notice board	Consider again	ICC	future meeting
3.	Treasurer's update	BoS statement, not available due to lack of transactions, but there is a letter available stating that acc is up and running.	Fwd details to CnES	AB	asap
		Request for funding Feis Tir a Mhurain. ICC agreed on a figure.	Respond to FeisTAM	RMacP	67
4.	Funding	Challenge Fund: Discussed measures to benefit Hall users, with additional item(s) to benefit primary school pupils if possible.	Liaise with hall committee, and school if feasible and submit application	AB	asap
5.	Consultations	Consultation scheduled in Benbecula for Com Councils etc to discuss measures for public consultation on Uist bus timetables	Attend meeting and report back to ICC	AB	7 th June
6.	ICC projects and initiatives	Awaiting feedback from Peter Coldwell re safe routes to schools	Keep in touch with PC	ICC	On-going
		Discussion on Community Skips. Scheme could benefit households in the area but requires a significant volunteer input.	Re-visit idea if committed volunteers can be identified	ι,	o
7.	Planning	No significant new issues in ICC area.			
8.	Causeway Opening	ICC Chair has met with Uisgean Robertson and Storas Uibhist, SU may be able to help with funding for a feasibility study to look at creating an additional opening in the causeway in line with the hydrological survey. No date for a meeting of the original Stakeholder Group and apparent lack of momentum on the issue	Access copies of hydrological report Approach other Community Councils to gauge level of support for a feasibility study. Explore ways to raise awareness with the wider community.	IAM, NMacP	On-going
9.	Resiliance Workshop	Initial meeting held in DI, attended by BMacP, measures discussed to support the community in times of difficulty such as floods, storms and powercuts.	BMacP +1 to attend follow up workshop in DI.	BMacP	1 st June
10.	Other business	Concerns raised about bus shelter at Carnan Stores, poor visability makes it virtually useless for southbound bus users	Contact SSE with numbers Liaise with CnES	IAM	asap On-going
11.	Date of Next Meeting	Tuesday 21st June at 8pm, followed by Tuesday 30th August at 8pm			
		Meeting closed 9.45 pm			

