

## **NORTH TOLSTA COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

**Note of meeting of the North Tolsta Community Council held at the Community Hall, North Tolsta, on Tuesday 15 August 2017, at 7.00pm.**

**PRESENT:** Anna Mackenzie (AMK); Angus Murray (AM); Stuart Thomson (ST); Cllr John A MacIver; John MacIver (JM); Norma Macritchie (NM); Cllr Calum MacLean; Fiona Black

**APOLOGIES:** Fiona MacLeod; Cllr D Crichton.

**CHAIR:** Stuart Thomson

### **1. Note of the Last Meeting**

Note of the last meeting was approved.

#### **Matters arising**

Invoices – still awaiting invoices from the Machair Kitchen, Harris Distillery, War Memorial, Pest Control and the cleaners.

### **2. Membership**

Fiona Black was co-opted onto the Committee.

### **3. Community Hall**

Heaters – the job had been completed. There was some discussion about whether to purchase cages for the heaters, but no agreement.

### **4. Challenge Fund**

It was agreed to contribute £1,000 from Community Council funds to support the application to the Challenge Fund (hard standing for bins at Tràigh Mhòr and Garry). An application would also be made to TCDL. AM to follow up.

### **5. Accounts**

The accounts for 2015/16 and 2016/17 were being audited. The balance as at 19 July 2017 was £9,013.41.

### **6. New Build**

The project appeared to be on hold.

### **7. PACT**

AM would discuss the football pitch works with Dan MacPhail at the Comhairle: site visit followed by letters to consultants to determine the likely costs of various options. JM would follow up on the greenbox (with SSE). The bank accounts and audited accounts were with EM. NM to follow up with EM.

**8. AOCB**

**Druim Leathann**

The proposed alteration to the existing planning consent would be discussed by the Planning Applications Board on 26 September 2017.

**War Memorial**

The grant offer timeframe was still ok as an extension could be given. JM to follow up likely start date with the contractors.

**Camper Vans /Waste**

There was some discussion about the camper vans and their waste disposal. It was agreed to look into the possibility of procuring disposal units to minimise environmental impact at the beaches.

**10. Date of Next Meeting**

The next meeting would be on 19 September 2017, at 7pm, in the Community Hall meeting room (**subsequently changed to Tuesday 26, September 2017, at 7pm**).