Back Community Council

Tuesday 29th November 2016 Back Community Hut Minutes of Meeting

Present: Cllr John A Maciver (Cllr JAM) Cllr Catriona Stewart (Cllr CS), Andrew

Morrison (AM), Laura Graham (LG), Cathy Macinnes (CM), Carolyn

Hudson (CH), Cllr Donald Crichton

Apologies: Cllr Donald Crichton

AM opened the meeting and welcomed everybody.

Minutes of the previous meeting:

The minutes of the meeting on 27th September (25th October was inquorate) were read and approved by members.

Matters Arising:

Steps/Lighting

The 'Handyman' who was in touch with AM to make improvements to the access of the Community Hut (Steps and Lighting) to comply with Health and Safety Regulations, cannot do lighting. Members agreed that we contact somebody who is able to do both Steps & Lighting. Cllr JAM suggested John Murrays, Cllr CS suggested finding an Electrician, LG will get contact details for Michael Maciver who is an Electrician with FES.

Dog Waste Bins

AM is waiting for James Macarthur to get back in touch regarding the bins. Cllr CS said to order 4 bins for now and decidewhere they will go in the village. Cllr DC has received a complaint regarding dog fouling in the village of Back. LG will e-mail Robert Sinclair at Heb Alpha to make sure they would be willing to empty them.

Defibrillator

Members agreed we speak with the committee for 'Back Community Hut' about using power internally for the defibrillator to be installed. There is a feeder pillar at Back Football & Recreation Centre' which can be used as their source of power. LG will speak with Terri Davies regarding training, possibly to be held in BFRC.

Senior Citizens Dinner

The Senior Citizens Dinner has been booked for 14th January 2017 at 1pm. LG will organise entertainment and invite the Calum I Macleod, MSP Alasdair Allan and MP Angus Brendan MacNeil.

Community Resilience

Rebekah Smith UHI is happy to come and speak to us about the Empowering Communities Act, at a later date.

Police Issues

Vandalism at the Caravan park still seems to be an issue aswell as Flytipping at Vatisker.

Finances

The current Balance is £9261.30. We have received £2.500 from CnES. £548 for Skip and Soup & Pudding fundraiser. Payment of £182.95 has been sent to Rose for toilets at Brevig Pier.

Date and time of next meeting

The AGM is to be held on Tuesday 10TH January 2017 at 7pm.

AM thanked everybody for attending and closed the meeting.