

Minute/Note of Meeting	TITLE	Iochdar Community Council Meeting		
	DATE	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2019	TIME	8.00pm
	VENUE	Talla an Iochdair		

Present:	Peter Bird (Chair), Morag Ann Steele, Anne Bird (mins), Angela Brass, Ronnie Macphee, Neil MacPherson, Maria McGoldrick, Cllr Iain A MacNeil
Apologies:	Cllr Steele, Cllr MacMillan, Cllr Manford

	Agenda Item	Summary	Action	Who?	When?
•	Previous Minutes	Previous minutes (4 <sup>th</sup> June) proposed by NMacP seconded by ABr .	Submit approved mins to CnES. X2	AB	asap
•	Matters Arising	<p>Community bins: most of the bins have now been reinstated, waiting for another update from CnES re new concrete plinths for bins near Heb Jewellry and at Stoneybridge.</p> <p>Winter Road Maintenance: Calum Mackenzie to consider request to look again at local prioritisation, particularly with regards to Sgoil an Iochdair, no update.</p> <p>Salt bins for the community: may be included in the final design for the Path project.</p> <p>White lines on the road: line-painting team have been at work locally over the summer.</p>	Continue with query	Cllr MacNeil	On-going
•	Treasurer's update & Funding	<p>Cheque sent as per last meeting.</p> <p>Request from Uist Gymnastics – approved.</p> <p>Bid to Challenge Fund was successful, to match fund SAIAAC for improvements to the wee one's playpark.</p> <p>WI Lottery: funds are being made available to improve areas e.g. bulbs, shrubs etc</p>	<p>Issue cheque c/o UCVO</p> <p>Issue cheque to SAIAAC</p> <p>Enquire to UCVO re funds</p>	<p>RMacP</p> <p>“</p> <p>AB</p>	<p>asap</p> <p>“</p> <p>asap</p>
•	ICC projects and initiatives	There was a visit last week from contractor Scott McGarva to present the findings of the Feasibility Study. This is to be followed by the Design Phase. Brief and Costings for the Design phase will be prepared	Prepare a Project Update to go out to the Community.	AB	asap

		and submitted to Sustrans.  Boardwalk to bridge the gap in the Heb Way. There have been issues with transporting the materials to site.	To be completed	NM, PC and Uilleam	On-going
•	<b>Consultations + meetings</b>	17 <sup>th</sup> June Islands Plan Consultation Event, AB and PB attended the Benbecula event, report expected soon. 12 <sup>th</sup> June AGM SAIAAC in Talla, attended by PB, RmacP and MAS Uist Association of Community Councils meeting in Berneray Hall on 10 <sup>th</sup> June, attended by AB and PB.  Upcoming events: Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> Sept Tagsa Uibhist Garden Party 1.30pm 24 <sup>th</sup> Sept Enterprising Leadership Course begins 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept, Third Sector Open Day 7 <sup>th</sup> to 8 <sup>th</sup> October Fundraising training at UCVO 24 <sup>th</sup> October U&B Housing Seminar in the Dark Island Hotel.			
•	<b>Planning</b>	No issues raised.			
•	<b>Causeway Opening and Flood Management</b>	Initial findings of the Modelling exercise are being reported to CnES and should be made more widely available soon.			
•	<b>Broadband / Coms</b>	Local install and connection work is continuing, boxes at Drimsdale and Stoneybridge are out standing and Kilaulay box has yet to be turned on.			
•	<b>Ferries</b>	No issues raised.			
•	<b>Community Council Elections</b>	Timescales and procedure discussed.  ICC members present are hoping to continue and a few potential new members have been identified.	Submit completed nomination forms to CnES  Ask CnES re procedure for co-opting	AB  AB	By 17 <sup>th</sup> Sept.  On-going
•	<b>Date of Next Meeting</b>	Next ICC meeting will be by arrangement with CnES. Meeting closed 9.20pm			