

Minute/Note of Meeting	TITLE	lochdar Community Council Meeting		
	DATE	Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2022	TIME	7.00pm
	VENUE	online		

Present:	Peter Bird(Chair), Angela Brass, Ronnie Macphee, Jemma Morrison, Donnie Steele, Florence Morrison, Neil Johnstone, Morag Ann MacAulay, Anne Bird(mins)
Apologies:	Cllr Iain A MacNeil, Robert Currie, Neilly Macpherson

	Agenda Item	Summary	Action	Who?	When?
•	Previous Minutes	previous minutes (19/01/2022) were proposed by JM seconded by ABr.	Submit approved mins to CnES.	AB	asap
•	Matters Arising	Action points from last meeting completed, thanks to Cllr MacNeil for raising the drainage issue.  Request from Social Work to identify jobs in the area suitable for hours available through community payback order(s). No further suggestions received.			
•	Treasurer's report	Received £500 each from Cllr MacLeod, Cllr MacKay, Cllr MacNeil & Cllr Steele for Pathway Project and received £700 from Cllr MacNeil to be ring fenced for Linique Burial Ground.  Cheque received from Lovats for calendar sales in aid of the pathway including a donation from Lovats for each calendar sold.  Received £400 from Cllr MacNeil which is in lieu of last year's Senior Citizen Party which was cancelled - to be ring-fenced for a similar activity.  Application to Challenge Fund was successful, 2 recycled plastic benches have been ordered from Kedel Plastics, awaiting BACS payment from the Council for Challenge Fund contribution.			
•	Pathway Project	Progress meeting with Maelle from Sustrans and contractor Scott McGarva on 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan and 28 <sup>th</sup> Feb. Next progress meeting 28 <sup>th</sup> Mar at 5.30pm.  New programme of works has been drawn up with Stage 5 Construction beginning in Oct 2022 all going well.  Funding applications submitted to WI NHS and SnBM Community Fund.			

		Initial enquiry to WIDT has been approved, being submitted in March.	full application to WIDT	AB	by 24 <sup>th</sup> Mar
•	South Uist and Eriskay Forum	No updates			
•	Councillors Update	No updates			
•	AoB	<p><b>Storas Uibhist:</b> SU are raising concerns with CnES over proposals to see croft tenancies sold to pay for care home fees.</p> <p><b>Ferries:</b> Communities Board member Gail Robertson is organising a meeting during Calmac's Robbie Drummond's visit to the islands.</p> <p><b>Sgoil an lochdair Parent Council:</b> representatives are joining with the National Parent Council tomorrow.</p> <p>Concerns continue around the small playpark at the school which has been closed for 2 years now. Unresolved questions around ownership and responsibilities.</p> <p><b>Defibrillators:</b> ICC have been approached to support the network, Lucky2BHere have been invited to make an application for ICC funding.</p> <p><b>20's Plenty:</b> the new signage on the lochdar road has been welcomed. Some concern that the top of the road sign is not as visible as it could be. Ardmore residents would welcome the scheme to the Ardmore road.</p>	<p>Attend if possible</p> <p>Clarify with the council who owns the small playpark</p> <p>Relay comments on sign position and enquire if 20's Plenty can be also be added to Ardmore road.</p>	<p>JM, DS</p> <p>AB</p> <p>AB</p>	<p>9<sup>th</sup> Mar</p> <p>For next meeting</p> <p>asap</p>
•	Date of Next Meeting	<p>Next meeting will be online on 30<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm</p> <p>meeting ended 8:10pm</p>			