

<h1>Minute/Note of Meeting</h1>	TITLE	SCALPAY COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING		
	DATE	Thursday, 1st Feb 2024	TIME	7pm
	VENUE	Scalpay Community Centre		
	DISTRIBUTION	SCALPAY CC, CNES, CLLR FINNEGAN, CLLR FULTON		

Present:	Shaun Bloomfield (SB) Jacqui Brookes (JB) Fiona Lassen (FL) Kenny MacLeod (KM), Bryan MacDermid (BM) Jeremy Wheeler (JW)
Apologies:	CLLR Grant Fulton, CLLR Paul Finnegan, Sheila Roderick

Item	Summary and Action	Who?	When?
1	Minutes of Inaugural Meeting Proposed: JW Seconded: SB		
2	Matters Arising None		
3	Constitution Everyone confirmed they had read the Constitution and were happy to agree to it.		
4	Updates on Existing Matters KM gave updates on (1) Harris Forum – KM gave a short explanation of the work of the HF and that the Development Officer would be invited to the next meeting. The second week of March is the next meeting and it is hoped that two SCC representatives will be agreed at the next meeting.: (2) Harris Transport Forum – KM explained what this was and that we have one representative on this, traditionally that has been the Chairperson.. (3) Place Plan – to be read before next mtg and then discussed.		
5	Councillor Updates Not present.		
6	NHT Community Consultation Update from Dec A short report, attached, was read out and following discussion it was agreed that an invitation be sent to Michael Hunter (NHT) to attend the next CC meeting to explore our concerns and suggestions re providing parking for visitors who are using the various paths. The published figures for lighthouse people counter were questioned as they were deemed to be significantly lower than those experienced during the April – September season. There was also concern that the January minutes of the NHT did not reflect what had been discussed at the consultation meeting last December.		

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4	<p>AOCB</p> <p>(1) A request for a donation was presented by the Harris Football Club for annual expenses and it was agreed that a sum of £500 would be given as a contribution form SCC.</p> <p>(2) An external noticeboard obtained by Comman Eachdraigh Scalpaigh is to be put up in a prominent place and groups can make use of it to share information.</p> <p>(3) HVS are offering free electric blankets to members of the community over 80 years old – this information should be circulated, but it is also on Facebook.</p> <p>(4) The Harris Health Hub - Concern was raised about certain therapies (podiatry, audiology) having stopped coming to Harris/Health Hub, and residents having to go to Stornoway for treatment.</p> <p>(5) Romy Benedetti had asked to join the SCC and it was agreed that she should be Co-Opted onto the SCC.</p>		
5	<p>DATE OF NEXT MEETING</p> <p>Tuesday, 5th March 2024, 7pm</p>		