

Minute/Note of Meeting	TITLE	SCALPAY COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING		
	DATE	Tuesday, 20th August 2024	TIME	7pm
	VENUE	Scalpay Community Centre		
	DISTRIBUTION :	Scalpay CC, CNES, CLLRS P Finnegan & K McLeod		

Present:	Shaun Bloomfield (SB) Jacqui Brookes (JB) Fiona Lassen (FL) Bryan McDiarmid (BM), Sheila Roderick (SR), Jeremy Wheeler (JW), CLLR Kenny MacLeod (KM),
Apologies:	Cllr Paul Finnigan

Item	Summary and Action	Who?	When?
1	Welcome & Apologies Chaired by (SB) (Vice-Chair) meeting opened at 7pm		
2	Minutes of Previous Meeting Proposed: SR Seconded: JW		
3	Matters Arising not on the Agenda Cllr K McLeod to contact Cnes about the directional parking sign, left, after the bridge, to the new visitor parking area. (KM)Confirmation of progress with Scalpay School, and that HDL now have funding to purchase the school. A post for Scalpay School Development Officer is to be advertised. After the stepping down of David, it was suggested that the new HDL Dev Officer should be invited to the next meeting.		
4	Election of new Chairperson As KM has stepped down and is now a local Cllr, a new chairperson was sought, and current Vice Chair Shaun Bloomfield was unanimously voted in to the position. Cnes to be informed of this change.		
5	Roads Resurfacing is now completed in some areas of Scalpay, together with the majority of required white lines. Comments were passed to the Cllr regarding a very large pot hole near the CGS gate at Outend, and that the road appears to be falling away slightly near the visitor parking at Outend, and an area south of Skye View/Park View, Outend.		
6	Lighthouse path Following an incident within the boundary of the lighthouse area, Brenda Ford-Seager requested a meeting with NHT to discuss access to the lighthouse. The path created via funding from several partners (landscape partnership and council etc) was then taken on by NHT in regards to maintenance. It was concluded that unless BFS contacted the Scalpay CC directly there was no need for SCC to be involved in any meeting.		
7	Correspondence Information regarding the key-worker accommodation in Tarbert had been circulated. (KM) to inform Harris Transport of the new chairperson for SCC.		
8	Councillor Updates Cllr McLeod gave a general update on activities on Harris, and informed that South Harris CC were looking to fill the post of Nursery Staff.		
9	AOCB (JW) local business/residents are concerned about the number of men urinating in the vicinity of the Scalpay toilets, rather than actually using the toilet block. While this is a public offence and police should be informed it was suggested that (JB) to write to Environmental Health for any suggestions as to eg. Signage for the purposes of a deterrent. For general information the BANK OF SCOTLAND is in Tarbert Council Offices between 10-2pm on a Wednesday for admin help, but not money transactions. The issue of the sheep in the village/CGs fence was raised and (JB) to write to Clerk of CGs, for any comments/insights/suggestions.		
10	Treasurer's Report 30 th May the form was sent to the bank to complete the transfer to the new bank account, but there has been no response, so funds are still gridlocked, if this continues the matter may be referred to Cnes to step in and assist. The bank statements for the previous financial year are required before Cnes will make our £1000 grant available. The previous Treasurer did not receive the bank statements and Donnie MacLeod advised that he had passed everything over to Margaret Mackenzie/Morrison. Byran undertook to raise the issue with Margaret.		
11	DATE OF NEXT MEETING Wednesday 25th September, 7pm		