

# EAST KINTYRE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Meeting held in Carradale Village Hall  
12<sup>th</sup> May 2016

## MINUTES

### Present:

Stuart Irvine(SI)(Convenor), Eleanor Sloan (ES)(Secretary), Robert Strang (RS), Ronnie Brownie(RB), Charles McMillan(CM) Bill Bidmead(BB) Morag Adams(MA) Ian Brodie(IB)

### In attendance –

John MacAlpine(JM), Rory Colville(RC), PC Harper (PH) Sandy McCuish from SSE  
10 Members of the public (MoP)

#### 1. Welcome

At 7pm – Stuart Irvine welcomed attendees and started the meeting.

#### 2. Apologies

Apologies from – Robin Currie, Anne Horn

#### 3. Confirm appointment of new Signatory

Charles McMillan was appointed as the new signatory for the position of the Treasurer.

#### 4. Treasurers report

The balance as of 12/05/16 was £1218.

#### 5. Minutes of last meeting – 7/4/16

Proposed by Robert Strang, seconded by Ronnie Brownie

#### 6. Matters arising

No matters arising

#### 7. Brackley Cemetery

SI updated us – that it was decided that a new entrance to the cemetery would not be considered by A&B – it was agreed that grasscrete will be installed by the end of May/beginning of June.

#### 8. Sandy McCuish – SSE/Car Park at Wellpark

Sandy McCuish, Construction Advisor from SSE gave us an update on the Crossaig development and beyond – the wiring is ongoing from Cour to Freasdale, The Haul road is being graded, ready to hand back to the FCS by the end of June. A&B Council are due to complete their part of the road work by the end May. The Cour cable laying is slightly delayed. The overhead line from Crossaig to Tarbert will be confirmed when other windfarm plans are also confirmed.

Re – ground work at Seneval and car park at Wellpark – all ready to go when planning permission is granted.

#### 9. Library

ES still to investigate more.

#### 10. Village signs

The posts for the sign in the north of the village will be replaced – this is due to happen mid May.

#### 11. Planning

There was no relevant planning

#### 12. First responder scheme

The team are waiting for response from applicants before it can be moved on to the next stage

#### 13. Emergency Plan

ES reported that the meeting took part and the amendments to the plan will be put in place soon.

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## 14. AOCB

- Dog poo bins – it was suggested that 3 bins are acquired and put at the top and bottom of the bay road and on shore road. John McAlpine offered to enquire if ABC have any bins we could have.  
**Action – RM to ask ABC**
- ES suggested that EKCC should have a meeting in Peninver Village Hall one or twice a year – it was agreed to arrange to have the sept meeting in Peninver ES to organise  
**Action – ES to organise**
- Anne Horn emailed SI to ask for an update on ACHA work – there is still work to be done on a chimney at Tosh's Park.
- BB told us that there is a lot of garden rubbish being dumped at an area in High Airs, PC Harper said he would look into it.
- It was agreed there has been an improvement to the state of the roads north of the village – some areas are still to be chipped – there is still work to be done south of Carradale – near Saddell.
- Marine Harvest sent in a map with a proposed area for development – a new fish farm north of Pluck point - there will be more information about this at later meetings.
- ES told us that the beach clean was well attended and that there was 127 bags of rubbish collected. It was agreed that the proceeds would go to a charity called the Glasgow Human Society. This is to show our support and condolences to the Goldie Family who visit Carradale regularly, who tragically lost their daughter in the Spring. Many thanks to all who attended the beach clean.
- SI has received a letter from Stuart Watson of the road dept re – speed signs... stage one consultation has been completed, there are to be further consultations as resources allow and this is hoped to be all completed by the beginning of the summer then it will be ongoing with the sign replacement.  
Extension of footpath to the village hall – still at design stage and will be dependent on resources.
- Brian Gee asked for an update on the issue of machinery on the public road at the harbour – JM said that he has asked Stewart Clarke twice for an update and there has been no response – he suggested asking him to the next meeting.  
RB asked for SI to write a letter from EKCC to the Chief Executive asking why this piece of machinery has been allowed to sit in this place for 5 weeks and other folk have 14 days to shift things that are on the public highway – SI agreed to do this  
**Action – SI to write letter and invite Stewart Clarke to next meeting**

## 15. Date of next meeting

7pm – 2/6/2016

Stuart closed the meeting at 7.38pm and thanked everyone for attending.