

EAST KINTYRE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Meeting held in Carradale Village Hall
7th February 2019

MINUTES

Present:

Ian Brodie (IB) (Treasurer), Eleanor Sloan (ES) (Secretary), Robert Strang (RS), Ronnie Brownie(RB).

In attendance –

7 Members of the public
Anne Horn (AH), Alastair Redman (AR).

1. Welcome

At 7pm –Ian Brodie opened the meeting and welcomed the attendees.

2. Apologies

Apologies from Trish Collins, Robin Currie, Tommy McPherson, Elaine Batchelor.

3. Minutes of last meeting – 06/12/18

Minutes were proposed by Robert Strang seconded by Ronnie Brownie.

4. Declarations of Interest in any agenda Items

No declarations.

5. Treasurers report

ES reported a balance of £1,288.80 as of 27 November 2018

6. Planning

MOWI – new name of Marine Harvest, have lodged an application with ABC planning to change the design of the nets in the pens – there is to be no increase in size.

7. Saddell Signage

No updates

8. Road signage

Signs are now in place.

9. Bins – harbour – bay –new footpath

Harbour bins – Ongoing

Bay bins – ABC have delivered a bin to Colin at the Bay and will be emptying it with no charge to Colin – Colin has requested a stand for the bin – and one will be delivered to him – when it becomes available.

10. Odour at Harbour

All is now sorted.

11. Temporary Shop update

All is moving forward. More volunteers are needed. RB suggested approaching McKellars to ask about delivery of newspapers.

It is hoped that the shop will opening on 29th March.

12. Seneval update –

All is moving onwards in a positive way with this project – hope to have more information at the next meeting.

13. Bus Shelters

No update –

This led to a discussion regarding the village notice board – it was suggested to put a notice in the board with the location of keys to open the notice board – currently Robert Strang, Ian Brodie and H’Airds have a key.

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14. Brackley Cemetery

A new path has been started allowing better access to graves.
IB & RS will be installing a water butt and drain pipes ASAP.

15. New Footpath

Elaine Batchelor and Robert Strang will be compiling a list of footpaths in the village that the EKCC are upkeeping.
This is to be done at the earliest opportunity, to allow for WFT application for path upkeep, to be compiled.

16. Bay Bridge

The job of repairing the bay bridge has been given to Gus Black – he has agreed to repair it to the specs given by Colin Burgess by 31st March 2019.

17. AOCB

- a) Argyll McMillan asked if there was any update on the play park mower. RS to speak to Andrew Smith.
- b) Crow Wood wooden planking is become slippery – the wire needs replacing. It was thought that FCS will not repair this as they have a different remit concerning paths/trails than before. RS to speak to someone from the FCS squad regarding this. If no joy – them EKCC will consider adding this to their list of footpaths that they are responsible for.
- c) RS asked if anyone knew anything about the blue bin lorry is that comes into the village on a Thursday – is it the new recycling collection at the harbour? AH and AR to find out.
- d) RS said that the A frame sign opposite Carradales could be in better position – Ian to approach Maurice and Steve to discuss.
- e) ES asked what date the EKCC are planning to have the meeting in Peninver – it was agreed 3rd October 2019 – ES to book hall.
- f) AR has said that he contacted ABC Roads dept about the state of the signage between Skipness and Carradale – the signs are filthy – ABC agreed to clean them when funds are available.
- g) IB reported that the slabs outside the school entrance are raised and dangerous – AH and AR to report.
- h) IB will be asking someone from the Kintyre way to let us know what plans are in place for the 25 miles of Kintyre Way that come into East Kintyre.

ITEM NUMBER	WHO?	ACTION
13	Ian	Key holder notice in notice board
15	RS & EB	Footpath survey
17a	Robert	Mower
17b	Robert	Speak to FCS re- Crow Wood
17c	AH & AR	Blue bin lorry?
17d	Ian	Speak to Carradales re A frame board
17e	Eleanor	Book Peninver village hall for October meeting
17g	AH & AR	Report raised slabs at school
17h	Ian	Contact Kintyre Way for an update

18. Date of next meeting

Next meeting will be 7pm – 07/03/2019

It will be held at Carradale Village Hall

Ian closed the meeting at 7.30pm and thanked everyone for attending.