

## KILTARLITY COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting held on 30<sup>th</sup> October 2014 in Kiltarlity Village Hall. The Meeting commenced at 7.30 pm and finished at 9.30 pm.

The Chairman extended a warm welcome to those present.

PRESENT: Norman Grant (Chairman); Carol Hooper (Secretary); Ron MacLean; Adrian Hooper

### 1. APOLOGIES:

Dorothy Ward (Treasurer); Eunice Ramsden (Vice Chairman); Cllr Margaret Davidson

### 2. POLICE LIAISON

PS Craig Stuart attended the meeting and introduced himself, giving a brief resume of his career to date. He reported as follows:-

1) Road Safety      2) Antisocial Behaviour      3) Alcohol Abuse      4) Theft and Poaching

1. A male has been reported to the Procurator Fiscal for various road traffic offences after a two vehicle, non-injury road traffic collision at the Foxhole Junction.

2. A male has been reported to the Procurator Fiscal for shouting and swearing at children in the village. (This has now been dealt with.)

3. No incidents were highlighted in the Kiltarlity area in relation to alcohol abuse.

4. Enquiry is ongoing into the theft of metal from the Scottish Water site within the village.

PS Stuart was advised by Members that during August, a report had been made to the Police regarding the use of a catapult against people using the Hall. Also, the Hall windows remained broken. These items were noted and would be addressed.

### 3. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 25<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2014

The Minutes of the above meeting were agreed.

Proposed: Adrian Hooper

Seconded: Ron MacLean

### 4. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF 25<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2014

#### . Defibrillator

It was noted that defibrillator training would be held on the 10<sup>th</sup> November 2014 at Brockies Lodge, commencing 7.00pm – 9.30pm. Advertising poster received for Notice Boards.

#### . Boundaries Commission

Ongoing. Norman Grant/Ron MacLean will contact Hamish MacLennan to discuss obtaining a boundary Map.

ACTION: NORMAN GRANT/RON MACLEAN

. Kiltarlity War Memorial

Ongoing. Norman Grant and Adrian Hooper will follow up on the work which is required to be undertaken on the memorial.

ACTION: Norman Grant/Adrian Hooper

. Wester Balblair Sub Station

Ongoing. Regular updates are being received regarding the noise problems and the acoustic barriers.

. Community Artificial Sports Pitch Facility

Ongoing. Item to be kept on the Agenda. Members agreed to defer this until the New Year.

. Update on John Taylor's Community Services (TECS) Repair List.

Members discussed TECS Repair List. Dorothy and Adrian had recently met with John Taylor for an on-site meeting.

. Inner Moray Firth Local Development Plan

It was agreed to remove this item from the agenda for the time being.

. National Planning Framework 3 and Scottish Planning Policy

It was agreed to remove this item from the agenda for the time being as updated information could be found at [www.scotland.gov.uk/planning](http://www.scotland.gov.uk/planning)

. Druim Ba- Possible Community Buy-Out

It was agreed to defer any further meeting with Lucinda until the New Year, and she will keep us updated in the meantime.

5. THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL BUDGET CONSULTATION 2014 DOCUMENT (TO BE COMPLETED)

Members discussed in detail the above document for completion on-line by the Secretary.

ACTION: SECRETARY

6. TREASURER'S REPORT

It was noted that KCC funds currently stood at £2,906.21. In the Treasurer's absence, Adrian Hooper reported that letters had been sent out to businesses in respect of the OAP's Party on 6<sup>th</sup> December 2014. Robbie's Outside Catering are producing the meals at a cost of £7.50 per head.

7. PLANNING APPLICATION

The following Planning Application was noted:-

10<sup>th</sup> October 2014 Mr Grenville Goode Erection of dwelling and garage Development Site 1 At Reindoul Abriachan Inverness.

## 8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Members noted the following correspondence:-

. An email from Policy Co-ordinator Isabelle Baikie inviting KCC Members to join the Highland Communities Panel. Members completed a survey to be submitted by the Secretary.

ACTION: Carol Hooper

. Letter received from Mieke White, Charleston Academy Orienteering Coach, requesting monetary support for Rowan White (son) for the World Schools Orienteering Championships in the Spring of 2015 in Turkey. Following discussion, Members agreed a sum of £75.00 should be donated to Rowan in support of him achieving his goal in the Championships.

ACTION: Dorothy Ward

. Letter from Highlands Small Communities Housing Trust Membership from Eileen Irvine, requesting updated contact information. Secretary to contact and update contact details.

ACTION: Carol Hooper

. Letter from Ruth Cleland, Highland Council, regarding Quality Awards 2014 – Community Council Nominations – giving the following names of winners of the Award:-

Refuse Collection Team E – Strathglass (Michael George Taylor/Michael Howlett), Community Services, nominated by Strathglass CC;

Gregor MacCormick, Environmental Health Officer, Community Services, nominated by Kilmorack CC;

David Charnley, Technical Subjects Teacher, Farr High School, Care & Learning, nominated by Strathnaver & Altnaharra CC.

. Notice advertising Community Services Open Evening on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2014 at 6pm in the Main Hall, Town House, Inverness

. Highland Multi Agency Risk Assessment Conferences (MARAC) Annual Report 2013 dated 1 October 2014.

. Notice advertising Community Ownership Seminar at Aviemore, Boat of Garten on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2014. It was agreed that Ron MacLean would attend this Seminar with KCC covering his travel expenses. Ron will report back to Members.

ACTION: Ron MacLean

. Norman Grant had received a telephone call from a gentleman called Donald Robertson who was trying to locate a family grave from 1924 but could not find it.

ACTION: Norman will speak to Hamish MacLennan about this matter.

9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING - The next Kiltarlity Community Council Meeting will be held on 20<sup>th</sup> November 2014, in Kiltarlity Village Hall at 7.30 pm.

