

WEST KINTYRE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTES

DATE OF MEETING: 15 May 2023

TIME OF MEETING: 7PM

VENUE: Tayinloan Village Hall

1. Present

Margaret Pratt (MP) (Convenor), Zofija Sloan (ZS) (Vice Convenor), Joseph Loganbill (Treasurer), Morag Branson (MB), Christine O’Hanlon (COH)

2. Apologies

Alan Coote

3. In Attendance

George Thompson

4. Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

5. Minutes of Previous Meeting

The minute of the previous meeting held on 27 March 2023, was approved as a true record of the meeting, and was proposed by MB and seconded by ZS.

6. Matters Arising/ Actions

Action 10. Ongoing

Action 11. Ongoing

Action 12. Ongoing. Contact to made with Councillors regarding the issue (MP)

7. Update on Sheirdrim Hill Windfarm

No update

8. Updated on Rowan Windfarm

No update.

9. Westport Project

This has now ended as a result of collapsed discussions with the landowner and complications surrounding ownership of the car park area.

This item will be removed from future meeting agendas.

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10. Clachan Flood Defences

Completed.

11. Annual Accounts SCIO Fund

With the auditors

12. Defibrillator Checks

Members requested to send in updates.

13. Community Action Plan (CAP)

The CAP has been adopted.

14. Community Liaison Group (CLG)

SSE: The pylons have been completed and will be tested at the end of June. The old pylons will be removed at the end of the year.

15. AOCB

a. Tayinloan Toilets

The toilets require unblocking.

b. WKCC Website

ZS is liaising with Gareth regarding the updating of the website and has asked for information from other councillors regarding the various villages in the area for inclusion on the website.

MB – Glenbarr Village

JL – Schools in the area

COH - Tayinloan

George Thompson – Muasdale

of these turbines will have on the migratory birds such as the gees and others.

16. Date of Next Meeting

The date of the next meeting is **Monday 17th July 2023 at 1900hrs**, at A'Chleit Church Hall.

Unfortunately, we will be unable to offer the option of joining by Zoom.

Dates of Future Meetings

18.09.2023

16.10.2023

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ACTION LOG

Action No	Action	Owner	Due Date	Action Update	Action Status
1	Mr Hamilton to be approached to obtain a response to the proposed lease agreement	Councillor Armour	Jan 2023 Mar 2023	Completed	Closed
2	AC to engage with the Barrier to Settlement Project and provide feedback at the next meeting	Alan Coote (Secretary)	Jan 2023	Completed	Closed
3	AC to look at setting up a West Kintyre Community Council Facebook page	Alan Coote (Secretary)	Jan 2023 Mar 2023	Completed.	Closed
4	MP to raise concerns regarding the impact of the NPF 4 will have on the ability of Community Councils to object to future planning	Margaret Pratt (Convener)	March 2023	Completed	Closed
5	MP to share the responses submitted to Scottish Government in relation to NPF4 with members.	Margaret Pratt (Convener)	March 2023	Completed	Closed
6	Councillor Macpherson to provide MP with contact details at the Networks and Standards Office	Councillor Macpherson	March 2023	Completed	Closed
7	MP to provide a list of those who have agreed to check defibrillators to the Secretary and reminders will be sent out	Margaret Pratt (Convener)	March 2023	Completed	Closed

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8	AC to email /contact each nominated person responsible for checking the defibrillators and seek confirmation that the devices have been checked	Alan Coote (Secretary)	March 2023	Completed	Closed
9	MP to share the list of achievements with members	Margaret Pratt (Convener)	March 2023	Completed	Closed
10	Secretary to email Councillor McPherson regarding identifying which road signs are missing from Bellochantuy and Kennacraig	Alan Coote (Secretary)	May 2023	Completed	Ongoing
11	Chain to be fixed to board at Glenbarr to permit access to the defibrillator	Zofija Sloan (Vice Convenor)	May 2023	Completed	Ongoing
12	Patchen Cemetery – Safe Car Parking – Secretary to circulate Mr Robert Campbell’s concerns to Councillor Redman, Councillor McFadzean and Councillor Currie for consideration	Alan Coote (Secretary)	May 2023	Completed	Ongoing