

Sandwick Community Council

Minute of Meeting held at 7:30pm on Tuesday, 25th January 2022.
Meeting held through Zoom

Members Present	Bryan Peterson (interim Chair), Yvonne Malcolmson, Linda Nicholson, Andrew Stout
In Attendance:	Cllr Robbie McGregor Cllr George Smith, Ana Arnett (SIC), Andrew Lyall
Clerk	Heather Grieve
Apologies	Michael Duncan, Cllr Allison Duncan, Katrina Sandison (Lerwick Police) Graeme Garrick, Mairi Smith
<u>Agenda Item</u>	<u>Narrative</u>
Declaration of Interest	Chair asked for declaration of Interests. Linda Nicolson Declared interest in the Shetland Care attendants scheme funding application. Cllr Robbie McGregor declared interest in any planning applications.
Police Report	Police report for October/November showed that there had been seventeen incidents recorded in Sandwick, one person charged with drink driving, one report of damage to a motor vehicle, and all other incidents were of a routine/minor nature.
Approval of Previous Minutes	The Minutes of the previous meeting, held on 30 th November 2021, were approved. Proposed by Yvonne Malcolmson and seconded by Andrew Stout.
Matters Arising	Emails were sent out after last meeting to everyone who applied for the Sandwick Community Council Development fund.
Planning	No Planning applications.
Finance Report	The Financial Report dated 13 th January 2022 was distributed to members.
Correspondence	No correspondence requiring action.

**Shetland
Community
Benefit Fund**

Two applications received,
one application has been offered full funding,
one application has been offered partial funding.

**Any other
Business**

- a) Chair welcomed Andrew Lyall who is joining the community council as a co-opted member.
- b) The community council has £380.60 left after applications for the Community Council development fund. Posters will go out soon to readvertise encouraging groups in Sandwick who did not previously apply to apply in this round.
- c) Andrew Stout attended the active travel strategy meeting for Sandwick. Andrew Fed back to the rest of the community council regarding discussions around areas in which could be improved, most of the meeting related to where more pavements could be provided or improved. It was said to be a good start to the strategy, and it was promised that a new draft of the strategy would be available by the end of this financial year.
- d) Community council members have been invited along to see the dogs against drugs training. Two community council members are able to attend the next session.
- e) Local Development plan has been sent to all members; The Chair encouraged everyone to have a look.
- f) Timetable for the Community Council elections have been set as follows:

Notice of Election (Advert seeking nominations) Friday 16 September 2022
Closing date for nominations Thursday 13 October 2022
Notice of Poll/Uncontested Election Friday 14 October 2022
Issue of Postal Ballot Papers by Friday 28 October 2022
Closing Date for return of Ballot Papers Thursday 24 November 2022
Verification and Counting of Votes Friday 25 November 2022

**Carried forward
pre Covid 19**

- (i) Senior Pupil council invitation. – ongoing

Meeting closed at 8:30pm

The next Zoom meeting set for 7:30pm on Tuesday 22nd February 2022.