

NESTING AND LUNNASTING COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The Community Council met on Wednesday 31st August 2022 in South Nesting School at 7.30pm

1.0 PRESENT Mr Willie Simpson (Chair) Mr Dougie Stevenson
Mrs Terri Leask Mr Gary Leask
Mr Iain Malcolmson Mr Dougie Stevenson
Ms Frances Browne

Ex Officio: Cllr Tom Morton via WebEx
In Attendance Mrs Eva Ganson Clerk

2.0 APOLOGIES – Noted from Ms E Colley , Cllr Emma MacDonald, Mrs C Leask and Mr Michael Duncan.

3.0 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Mr D Stevenson noted an Interest at Item 7 Finances as a member of South Nesting Boating Club

Mr I Malcolmson noted an Interest at Item 9 as a resident of Newing with regard to the Borrow Pit works

Mr F Browne noted an Interest at Item 7 as Community Development Worker for Lunnasting Public Hall

4.0 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING – held on Wednesday 29th June 2022 agreed as correct on a motion by Mr G Leask and seconded by Mr D Stevenson.

5.0 MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES

11.0 AOCB Facebook Profiles

These are still to be completed. Mrs T Leask would like them complete before the election process begins.

6.0 POLICE REPORT

Latest report had been emailed out to Community Council members.

7.0 FINANCES

Independent Examined Accounts 2021/22

These had been prepared by VAS, and were agreed and signed by Mr Simpson. The fee of £70 will be paid.

The Accounts will be sent in to Mr Michael Duncan for his comment.

Community Benefit Fund Applications

Shetland Golf Club applied for £2,500. It was decided not to award any money to this applicant. The Community Council are prioritising application for the local area.

Shetland Recreational Trust applied for £400. It was decided not to award any money to this applicant. The Community Council are prioritising application for the local area.

Lunnasting Public Hall applied for £59,208. It was agreed to grant £53,000 for the hall refurbishment. Community Councillors feel that the community should contribute towards the cost.

South Nesting Boating Club- application still pending until planning permission decided.

2022/23 Community Development Fund Application

South Nesting Hall have applied for £1000 towards the refurbishment of the recently purchased phone box. This was agreed.

8.0 SHETLAND COMMUNITY BENEFIT FUND GRANT SCHEME ANNUAL REVIEW

Email received and noted re the above.

9.0 PLANNING APPLICATION

Borrow Pit at Newing South Nesting

An email has been received from Mr Aaron Priest advising the proposed Borrow Pit at Newing will not be going ahead much to the relief of the residents. The Newing residents thanked the Community Council for their assistance in the matter.

10.0 COMMUNITY COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Community Council elections start in mid September. The timeline for the process was gone through.

Discussion took place as to how best to get the word out to get interest in the elections to local residents.

The Facebook page will be used to promote the elections and Community Councillors will speak to people who may be interested.

11.0 DIRECTOR FOR SHETLAND COMMUNITY BENEFIT FUND

Mr A Laurenson is currently the Director for this Community Council, this will be discussed following the elections.

12.0 PROPOSED MEETING DATES 2023

The list had been emailed out and was agreed as dates for Community Council meetings for 2023.

13.0 ASCC MEETING Tuesday 13th September 2022

Mr Simpson will attend this meeting.

14.0 AOCB

Lunnasting Hall Invoice

Invoice received for £50 for hire of hall for meetings this will be paid.

Paths For All

Tingwall Whiteness and Weisdale Community Council intend to build community paths in their area and are looking for participants for a training day with a team from Paths for All who would come up and do training if there is enough interest. This is not something this Community Council is interested in currently.

Vidlin Junction

Mr Laurenson reported potholes on the main road at the Vidlin Junction, this will be reported to SIC Roads Service.

15.0 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 28th September 2022 at 7.30pm in Lunnasting Primary School. The meeting concluded at 9.00pm.