

NESTING AND LUNNASTING COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The Community Council met on Wednesday 19th April 2023 in Lunnasting Primary School at 7.30pm

1.0 PRESENT Mr Willie Simpson Mr Grant Nicol
Mr Shaun Johnson Mr Alistair Laurenson
Mrs Terri Leask Mr Dougie Stevenson
Mrs Chris Leask

In Attendance
Mrs Eva Ganson Clerk
Ms Lynsey Hall, Community Development Worker
Mr K Bradley for South Nesting Boating Club

Did not attend- Councillors T Morton and A Manson

2.0 APOLOGIES – Cllr Emma Macdonald and Mr Michael Duncan.

3.0 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

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

Mr S Johnson declared at Interest at Item 7 Finances member of Lunnasting Public Hall Committee

Mrs T Leask declared an Interest at Item 7 Finances as a member of North Nesting Hall Committee

Mrs C Leask declared an Interest at Item 7 Finances as a member of South Nesting Hall Committee

4.0 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING- held on Wednesday 22nd February 2023

Agreed as correct on a motion by Mrs C Leask and seconded by Mr Laurenson.

5.0 MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES

None to note.

6.0 POLICE REPORT Briefing Paper dated 13 April 2023

This has been emailed out, no concerns.

7.0 FINANCES

SIC Core Grant for 2023-24

This has been applied for.

SIC Community Development Fund Grant 2023-24

First deadline for applications is 28th April, Eva had prepared a draft, which will be finalised and sent in for the 28th April.

Community Councillors Mileage

Mileage costs of £214.08 due to Community Councillors for the period April 2022 to March 2023 are to be marked committed spend as Community Council meeting did not meet in March 2023. Cheques for that amount will be paid.

Applications for Funding- Community Development Fund

Lunnasting Public Hall, South Nesting Public Hall and North Nesting Hall had all been allocated £1000 each for various projects. These are also to be marked as committed spend for accounts for last year as Community Council did not meet in March 2023. These grants will now be paid.

Applications for funding- Shetland Community Benefit Fund

South Nesting Boating Club have applied for £20,178 towards a bird and otter survey and various fees. Mr K Bradley attended and spoke to members about this application. He then left the meeting, Community Council members unanimously agreed to grant the £20,718.

The Outpost in Burra had applied for a grant to assist cost of providing toilet facilities and a car park. Due to the amount of local projects requiring funding this was declined.

8.0 THE MARINE WORKS (environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 Consultation Under Part 4, Regulation 14 (4) of the MW EIA Regulations SCOP-0019 South Nesting Boating Club (per Mott MacDonald) Marina Construction, Catfirth, South Nesting – this was noted.

9.0 PLANNING

2023/001/PPP- Erect 4 dwelling houses (planning permission in principle) Plots, Skellister, South Nesting by Mrs J Sandison
No comments to this application.

10.0 ASCC Meeting Tuesday 14th March 2023

Mr Simpson had attended and gave a short report from that meeting.

11.0 REVIEW OF COMMUNITY COUNCILS

The Draft Scope of Review timeline for the Review has been emailed out and had been on the agenda for the ASCC meeting on 14th March. Comments on the Review Draft have been requested to be returned by 30th April 2023. Several points were discussed and these will be forwarded to Michael Duncan.

12.0 Vidlin Telephone Exchange

Mr S Johnson had provided photos of the building and surrounding site which require to be tidied up. Eva will email the address given in the hope that something is done.

13.0 CORRESPONDENCE

The following was noted-
SEPA 2023 Opinion Survey
Peat and Highly Protected Marine Areas Consultation
Intro to Scottish Planning for Community Councils
Voar Redd Up- 22-28 April- due to budget constraints this Community Council cannot sponsor groups taking part in the Redd Up this year.

14.0 AOCB

Civil Matter

Eva has had several emails over the past week from a resident in South Nesting regarding damage to property caused by animals. As this is a civil matter the Community Council cannot be involved. This will be conveyed to the resident.

Vehicles speeding – South Nesting Shop junction and areas

Mr Johnson reported that there is concerns regarding the speed of vehicles at the junction both heading north at the blind corner and also out to the south towards Andervilla, Catfirth. This will be reported to SIC Roads Service

Parking at Lunnasting School Car Park

Parking is becoming a problem again when the ferry is running to Vidlin from Whalsay. Cars are being left in the school car park leaving no room for staff and transport dropping off pupils for nursery and school. This will be reported to SIC Roads Service, Ferry Service and Education Service.

The meeting concluded at 9.15pm

Meeting dates for 2023 are- Wednesdays at 7.30pm

31 May	Nesting School
28 June	Lunnasting School
30 August	Nesting School
27 September	Lunnasting School
25 October	Nesting School
6 December	Lunnasting School