

# Fetlar Community Council

## MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD AT FETLAR HALL ON TUESDAY, 4<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2023 AT 7.45PM

### PRESENT

James Rendall, Chair  
Mike Fogarty, Vice Chair  
James Smythe  
Julie Maguire  
Lucy Cummings

### IN ATTENDANCE

Juliet Bellis, IWSP Strategic Delivery Group  
Frances Browne, SIC Development  
Roy Buckland, Clerk

### 1. APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Dave Sumner.

### 2. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The Minutes of the previous Meeting held on the 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2023 had been circulated and were taken as read and approved. Proposed – James Smythe, seconded – Lucy Cummings.

### 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None declared.

### 4. ONGOING BUSINESS

#### 4.1 IWSP (Islands with Small Populations)

- Juliet stated that there was no news to report.
- Frances Browne again emphasised that there is still a vacancy for a representative from Fetlar on the IWSP.
- Frances also informed the meeting that she is in the process of organising a drop-in meeting on Fetlar for 16<sup>th</sup> May – time of the meeting to be advised.
- There is also a possibility of a future housing meeting. Lucy Cummings volunteered to work on a future consultation plan.
- Lucy also reported back on a recent planning course that she attended.
- Frances also informed the members that the Local Development Plan requires updating for Fetlar.

#### 4.2 Emergency Timetable for Blue Mull Sound

- Frances Browne handed out a draft copy of a revised emergency timetable. This was accepted by the members and will now be put forward to the SIC after consultation with Unst CC. Frances has been working closely with Lee Jamieson to match the bus timetable to the ferry timetable.
- All members were asked to send any queries or suggestions to the Clerk, who will pass them on to Frances.

#### 4.3 Ferry Booking

- The late ferry has been booked for Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> April leaving Hamars Ness at 0100 hours.

## **5. FINANCES**

### **5.1 Grant Applications**

- Members agreed to award Fetlar Hall £1,787.61 which is the total funds remaining. It was also agreed to award £100 of the Shetland Community Ben Fund to the Outpost.

## **6. CORRESPONDENCE**

6.1 Confirmation email for late ferry from Fiona Farquhar, Resource Manager, SIC.

6.2 Email from Anne-Marie reference joint FCC and SNHS meeting on 5<sup>th</sup> April 2023.

6.3 Road reports (nothing on Fetlar).

6.4 Coronation Weekend – Michael Duncan.

6.5 Shona Fullerton, letter of thanks for the grant award. Members had been invited to the opening of the Nursery.

All correspondence had been circulated prior to the meeting.

## **7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

Lucy Cummings submitted the latest contingency plan to be signed off by the Members. The plan will then be circulated to residents by the Clerk.

## **8. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Tuesday, 16<sup>th</sup> May, 2023.

The Chair thanked everyone for joining the Meeting and since there was no further business, the Meeting was brought to a close.