

NESTING AND LUNNASTING COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The Community Council met on Wednesday 30th October 2024 in Lunnasting Primary School at 7.30pm

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

In Attendance Mrs Eva Ganson Clerk

Did not attend- Councillors T Morton, and A Manson

2.0 APOLOGIES – Cllr E Macdonald, Mr M Duncan and Ms L Hall.

3.0 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None to note.

4.0 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING- held on Wednesday 25th September 2024

Agreed as correct on a motion by Mr G Nicol and seconded by Mr A Laurenson.

5.0 MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES

None to note.

6.0 FINANCE

No applications received.

7.0 POLICE REPORT

Latest report was emailed out on 4th October. Sgt Alex Barry and PC Derek Ferguson attended the meeting but as there were no issues to discuss left at 7.40pm.

8.0 PLANNING -none to note

9.0 SSEN Meeting – was held on Thursday 3rd October in South Nesting Hall.

The meeting was really informative and worthwhile with a number of issues discussed. It is hoped there will be more like this as projects progress.

10.0 ASCC Meeting- new date Wednesday 6th November 2024

Mr Simpson will attend this.

11.0 ASCC Chairs Meeting- 2nd October 2024

Mr Simpson attended this meeting and explained the meeting was mainly to do with Finances when the new scheme comes in next year as part of the current Review of Community Councils. There were a few ideas were put forward and a report will go forward to Shetland Islands Council following this meeting.

12.0 Community Councillors Term of Office Extensions deadline 25th November 2024

Members were reminded that if they do not wish to serve the additional year on the Community Council to tie in with the current review extension they should inform the Clerk or Anne Cogle at SIC.

Mrs Terri Leask has decided not to serve the additional term and has advised Anne Cogle and Eva of that.

13.0 COMMUNITY COUNCILLOR RESIGNATION

Michael Duncan has confirmed that as the vacancy is as a full member of the Community Council this will have full voting rights.

As Mrs T Leask is now not continuing for the extra years term, we will have 2 vacancies to fill by co-option.

These will be advertised locally and on the Facebook page with the Co-option being an agenda item at the next meeting on 4th December.

Anyone interested is to be asked to contact Eva for information.

14.0 SIC COUNCILLOR RESIGNATION

Cllr Tom Morton has resigned as an SIC Councillor for the area with effect from 31st October. A By-Election date is set for the 23rd January 2025 to elect his replacement.

15.0 AOCB

Message of Sympathy

Members noted the sad sudden passing of Mr Douglas Leask earlier this month.

He was a former Community Council member and Chair. A card will be sent to his family expressing members sympathy.

Insights on Community Resilience in Emergencies

This survey was looked at and completed online.

16.0 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 4th December 2024 at 7.30pm in Lunnasting Primary School.

The meeting finished at 9.10pm.