

## Colintraive & Glendaruel Community Council

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| Venue                    | Colintraive Village Hall                                                                                                                                |
| Date & Time              | 9 December 2024                                                                                                                                         |
| Present                  | Charles Dixon-Spain <b>(CDS)(Chair)</b> , Michael Russell <b>(MWR)(Vice Chair)</b> , Cathleen Russell <b>(CR) (Treasurer)</b> , Paul Bulmer <b>(PB)</b> |
| Apologies                | None                                                                                                                                                    |
| Argyll & Bute Councillor | None                                                                                                                                                    |
| Community Members        | 6                                                                                                                                                       |

## Minutes

| Agenda                     | Discussion                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Actions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Person Responsible                                                                              |
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| Declarations of Interest   | CDS - Rally<br>CR - Application for CGDT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                 |
| Minute of Previous Meeting | Minute agreed with correction<br>Proposed MWR<br>Seconded PB                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Omission to be corrected                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | CR                                                                                              |
| Matters Arising            | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complaints to CGCC. (a)Response has been issued to A&amp; BC regarding complaint of advertising meetings. (b) A complaint made by letter and to local councillor was noted. Also noted that CR had to remind a community member of this principle receipt of an email.</li> <li>Newsletter has been received and CR has been distributing to volunteers around community. There was a suggestion from a community member that a survey be undertaken to find out if people wished a physical copy.</li> <li>Noticeboard - continuing. Final draft of text to be approved and sent to designers)</li> <li>Bridge at Ardtaraig - bridge removed and stone being crushed on site.</li> <li>Digital switchover A lot of concern was raised about this. Wendy Black provided a lot of information to the meeting. After discussion it was decided to invite Open Reach to send an informed representative to an open public meeting.</li> <li>Joint meeting with Bute Community Council organised for March 2025</li> <li>Visitor Levy. A&amp;BC are consulting at present.</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Response to be sent to A&amp;BC.</li> <li>Complaint was noted and chair reminded members of the public and the community councillors of the importance of mutual respect in all dealings.</li> <li>It was agreed that a survey might be a good idea.</li> <li>PB to provide his version of text. MWR will continue to take forward project.</li> <li>Continue watching brief to ensure project is completed this financial year.</li> <li>Open Reach to be invited to attend a public meeting. There is information available on the CGCC website.</li> <li>Hall to be booked and agenda created.</li> <li>Information available on the CGCC website.</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CDS</li> <li>MWR</li> <li>CDS</li> <li>CR/MWR</li> </ol> |
| Police Update              | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                 |

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| Councillors Report               | <p>None - requesting that CGCC change its pattern of meetings. This was considered and the councillors decided that the pattern of meetings could be changed following the meeting with Bute Community Council.</p> <p>The condition of the roads and toilets were again raised and the chair is to speak to Councillor Sinclair</p>                                                                                            | <p>Pattern of meeting date to be changed after March 2025</p> <p>CDS to contact Councillor Sinclair regarding concerns raised</p> | CDS                |
| Planning                         | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                   |                    |
| Community Council Administration | <p>Financials</p> <p>Opening Balance £15943.75<br/>Closing Balance. £14943.75</p> <p>Transactions<br/>Income: nil</p> <p>Expenditure: Archaeology Scotland £1000.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                   | CR                 |
|                                  | Correspondence                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                   |                    |
|                                  | <p>Funding Applications</p> <p>CGDT. £1000 to reimburse volunteers delivering prescriptions round community</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Application agreed.                                                                                                               | CR                 |
| CGDT Update                      | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                   |                    |
| Rally update                     | MWR informed meeting that there are continuing concerns about the state of shore road. After discussion it was decided that the CGCC would write to A&BC and Rally organisers expressing the view that the shore road should not be used by the rally until it was resurfaced given the poor state of the road and also to express our continuing demand that no road should be closed for more than 1 period during the rally. | MWR to write to A&BC and Rally organisers.                                                                                        | MWR                |
| Calmac update                    | Summer timetables for 2025 are now available.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                   |                    |
| AOCB                             | Cruach Mhòr Wind Farm is due to be re-powered over next few years. SSE have stated that they will be a bidder for the lease which Forestry and Land Scotland is now offering. Therefore there may be a period when CMWFT will be without income.                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                   |                    |
| DONM                             | Monday 10 February Glendaruel Village Hall 7.30                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                   |                    |

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