

Kingussie & Vicinity Community Council

Agenda for Meeting on Monday 14th May 2018

1. Minutes of previous meeting
2. Matters Arising
3. Nominations for new member
4. Nominations for new Chairperson
5. Police report
6. Highland Councillor's Report
7. Planning Matters
8. Treasurer's Report
9. AOCB
10. Date of next meeting

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Minutes of meeting held on Monday 9th April 2018 at Talla Nan Ros

Present: Joe Taylor, Moira Thomson, Mairi Brown, Neil Reid, Billy Munro, Cllr. Pippa Hadley, Ruaridh Ormiston, David Copland

Apologies: Michelle McCormick, Callum Arthur

1. Minutes of previous meeting

Proposed as correct by JT, seconded by MT

2. Matters Arising

- a. Re. New meeting place confirmed as Iona Gallery. Charge is £20 per night, as opposed to £24 for up to 2 hours, or £36 for more than 2 hours at Talla Nan Ros. Lisa Copland to arrange details with Val Emmett at Iona Gallery
 - b. It has been agreed that the £500 grant for a community council project (as authorised by the Highland Council) will be used for the regeneration of Jubilee Walk. Ruaridh Ormiston has offered to speak to Allan Munro (land owner) and seek approval.
 - c. Benches funded by Tesco's Bags of Help project: Location discussed further, 'The Acres' was a popular location. LC & NR to get quotes for benches for next meeting & location/s to be decided then.
3. Retirement of Chairman: Joseph Taylor has tendered his resignation as Chairman of the KVCC, effective 10th April 2018. Nominations for new Chairperson to be put forward at next meeting.
4. Co-option of Lisa Copland to KVCC: Proposed by JT, seconded by NR
5. Appointment of new Secretary: Lisa Copland proposed by JT, seconded by MT
6. Police Report: Nothing to report. PC Neil Richards not in attendance at meeting.
7. Highland Councillors Report: Discussion around the new location of the Defibrillator previously located at the Kingussie Police Station. Proposal made to locate it at the Kingussie Fire Station. BM to follow up & report at next meeting.
8. Planning Matters: nothing to report
9. Treasurer's Report: nothing to report
10. Plans for Cairngorm RDA group: Ruaridh Ormiston attended the meeting to speak about the intended location of the new RDA group at the fields below the High School. It was agreed that the project will be an excellent addition to Kingussie, no objections were raised.

11. New train timetable: Abellio have proposed changes to the Inverness - Glasgow/ Edinburgh services, to begin May 2019. Concerns voiced over the loss of the 7.37 service south as this is a vital link to Glasgow & Edinburgh for those needing to get to early meetings. MB has asked PH to look further into the changes, and to request that she may attend the next meeting with Abellio regarding this. PH to report back at next meeting. MB will compose a letter of objection to be sent to Abellio.
12. AOCB:
 - a. RBS Mobile Banking Van: Timetable for Kingussie to be cut to 20 minutes on a Thursday from the 18th May 2018. Previous times were a Monday & Friday for an hour each. Concerns raised that this simply will not be sufficient time for all Kingussie customers to conduct their banking business.
 - b. Letter received from Kingussie Festivities regarding New Years Fireworks. Funding has been requested for training people for setting off fireworks as this is now mandatory. Letter will be responded to in due course.
 - c. MB brought up concerns regarding Data Protection & new laws surrounding this. LC to look into further & report back at next meeting.
13. Date of next meeting set as Monday 14th May 2018, to be held at Iona Gallery