

Present: Duncan Gibson, Grahaeme Young, Joan Robertson, Ingrid Henderson, Cllr. Henderson, Jenny Thomson, Eileen O'Rua

1. Minutes circulated and agreed
2. Matters arising
 - 2.1. Phone lines: ongoing: Response from Alex Neil, Cabinet Minister for Infrastructure, regarding Broadband plans – no further clarification beyond general plans for the Highland area. With Cncllr. Henderson's help, Simon Helliwell (Eigg) has been contacted to find out more about the Knoydart and Eigg Broadband projects. He will meet with the council on Tuesday 1st May to discuss possibilities.
 - 2.2. Road issues: ongoing. B. Mitchell has proposed a new site meeting date of April 2nd in Glenfinnan along with Mark Smith, Capital Road Works Programme. Speed limit, Callop Bridge, and Tor an Eas crash barrier to be raised. Concern about the road surface and lack of pavement will be lodged too. If no progress follow up with Dave Thomson.
Issue raised about continuation of the pavement from the back track to station road end. Information to be sought.
 - 2.3. Village defibrillator & training: ongoing. Awaiting result from British Heart Foundation application. Eileen to chase up with Liah White
 - 2.4. Hydro schemes: ongoing. G. Young to liaise with Dot Ferguson regarding development.
3. Correspondence
 - 3.1 Lochaber Housing Association Newsletter
 - 3.2 Scottish Water: Information about network Improvements
4. AOCB
 - 4.1. Cheese & Wine: 30 people attended a very relaxing and congenial gathering. Thanks to John the Cheese for support.
 - 4.2. Verges: G. Young to purchase and distribute wild flower seeds for the new verge areas on the outskirts of the village.
 - 4.3. Shore Path: Look again at another work party later in the year for maintenance.
 - 4.4. Quiz night: another successful evening. Thanks to Lee Broomfield for his quiz master duties.
 - 4.5. Jubilee Celebrations: Jane Cheape wished to inform the community that she is planning to host a picnic on Mon June 4th at Slatach House.
 - 4.6. Cape Wrath Trail: Idea been mooted to develop the trail with benefits to the area. The Council have been asked to show support for the idea.
 - 4.7. Hydro compensation: It has been made aware to the council that there is an opportunity to claim compensation for the electricity loss during the December period following the big storms. Individual households need to follow this up.

Next meeting(s): Tues May 1st 8.30pm Glenfinnan House Hotel

All welcome or pass your comments/ ideas to a community council member in advance.
Feel free to post ideas in our suggestion box positioned at Post Office.

Events: Sun 10th June Fun Day