

# GLENFINNAN COMMUNITY COUNCIL MINUTES 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2013

Present: Duncan Gibson, Eileen O'Rua, Jenny Thomson, Ingrid Henderson, Joan Robertson, Cncllr.  
Allan Henderson, Sgnt, David Campbell

Apologies:

1. Minutes circulated and agreed
2. Matters arising
  - 2.1 Phone Lines/Broadband: Ongoing: Install team are surveying village and visiting interested parties at present. Rural Broadband Networks to be paid for their work to date.
  - 2.2 Road Issues – A830: Ongoing. Still awaiting a public consultation regarding speed limits. A traffic speed count for the Glenfinnan part of the A830 has been requested by Sgnt. Campbell for next year.
  - 2.3 Hydro Schemes – Community Benefit/ Works: Ongoing. D. Ferguson awaiting response from Glenfinnan Hydro Scheme. Bob Middleton has been invited to meet with the council regarding benefit from the Slatlach Hydro scheme. Still awaiting response from contractors regarding verge damage and fallen trees.  
Bus Stop: Positive meeting with Neil Young & David MacGillivray and plans progressing. D Gibson received positive response from I Leith regarding location of lower bus stop but risk assessment needs to be carried out.
  - 2.4 Verge damage: To be raised with the Games Committee after Games Day parking.
  - 2.5 Slatlach Speeding: Sine has proposed a village poster competition to draw attention to speeding issues. Jenny to draft poster & set date. A winter project may look at making guys to be placed by the road intermittently.
3. Correspondence.
  - 3.1 Highland Small Community Housing Trust, Open Day
  - 3.2 Planning Scotland Seas Consultation
  - 3.3 Lochaber BID proposal information.
  - 3.4 Energy Savings Trust. Event at Raigmore, Inverness
  - 3.5 Letter from Charles Kennedy.
4. AOCB
  - 4.1 Loch Shiel Viking Challenge: A. Wallace spoke to the community about supporting and helping with a charity event next March (29/30). All were happy to support the cause. To be discussed further throughout the Winter.

Next meeting: **8 pm Mon 28<sup>th</sup> October, 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.