

Morvern Community Council

AGM

To be held by Zoom at 7.00pm on the 14th June 2021

MINUTES

1. Recording of Community Council membership present, apologies received and any declarations of interests.

No declarations of interest noted. Angus Robertson, Tom Finley, Douglas Taylor, Annie Tordoff, Morven Gemmill noted as councillors present. Kenny McLaughlin sent apologies. 14 members of the public also present

2. Co-option - Janette Cameron co-opted and welcomed to MCC.
3. The minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting of the COMMUNITY COUNCIL(22nd November 2020) shall be submitted for adoption. Annie Tordoff proposed and Morven Gemmill seconded and the minutes from previous AGM were approved
4. Chairperson's Annual Report for the year to 31st March 2021 (and questions from the floor). *A big thank you to all Community Councillors who have served and offered very many hours of voluntary time though the year. These included: Alasdair Firth (resigned November 2020), Martin Sampson (resigned at AGM Nov 2020), Morvern Gemmill (Chair until June 2020), Angus Robertson (Treasurer until and Chair from June 2020), Annie Tordoff (Secretary), Kenny McLaughlin (Treasurer from June 2020), Tom Finlay (co-opted in Dec 2020), Douglas Taylor (co-opted in Dec 2020). Thank you also to Jennie Hodgson (Associate member for health and social care developments), Keith Laidlaw (Associate member for all Maritime matters) and Janette Cameron who is lined up to be co-opted in June 2021.*

Our first meeting on the 6th April 2020 our first to be held using the new community Zoom Account. At that meeting we set up the COVID resilience sub-group which ran for over a year, worked with MCDC to effectively spend the Government's Covid community support funding providing such things as the helpline and volunteer helpers, deliveries and assistance, broadband support scheme, school meals support, skip hire, sanitiser & PPE provision and publication of our newsletter and visitors charter and other safety advice. The Council's thanks go out to all those in the community who supported the various initiatives in a massive effort of volunteers. Other major issues which the Council has worked on during the year or is continuing to work on include, in no particular order: monitoring and acting on planning all relevant planning applications, Corran Ferry upgrade, BT Broadband upgrade, the Morvern Community Plan, village landscape tidy up, Dalmohr development, succession planning for Primary Health Care, public road and transport maintenance and improvements, regular Police and Highland Council liaison, MCDC and MCT liaison, Killundine community buy out, RSPB LIFE project bid and Glencripesdale NNR. Further information on all these activities can be found by reading the

minutes of our meetings all available by visiting: <http://www.morvern.org/community/morvern-community-council/>

5. Formal adoption of the Financial Statement should be proposed and seconded.
 - 5.1. Tom Finley proposed and Douglas Taylor seconded the financial statement which was approved.
6. Demit of current office bearers and election of office bearers.
 - 6.1. Tom Finley proposed and Morven Gemmill seconded office bearers remaining the same.
MG thanked everyone for their contribution over the year and for what is to come
7. Provisional date of next annual general meeting 13th June 2022