

NESTING AND LUNNASTING COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The Community Council met on Wednesday 26th February 2025 in Lunnasting Primary School at 7.30pm

1.0 PRESENT Mr Willie Simpson Mrs Chris Leask
Mr Alistair Laurenson Mr Grant Nicol
Mr Shaun Johnson Mr Dougie Stevenson

In Attendance Mrs Eva Ganson Clerk
Cllr Andrew Hall

Did not attend- Cllr A Manson

2.0 APOLOGIES – from Cllr E Macdonald.

Mr Simpson welcomed Cllr A Hall to the meeting as a new SIC Councillor for the area.

3.0 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Item 7 – Finances Mr D Stevenson and Mr W Simpson as members of Community Development Company Nesting

Mr W Simpson as a committee member of North Nesting Public Hall.

4.0 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING- held on Wednesday 26th February 2025

Agreed as correct on a motion by Mr D Stevenson and seconded by Mr G Nicol.

5.0 MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES

None to note.

6.0 FINANCE

Community Benefit Fund- Community Development Company Nesting have applied for £15,492 towards the cost of installation of solar photovoltaic panels and battery storage at the Auld Skul Community Hub. This was agreed.

Community Development Fund- North Nesting Public Hall have forwarded a receipted invoice for the car park works so the allocated grant will be paid.

7.0 PLANNING - none to note.

8.0 POLICE REPORT – sent out on 19th February 2025..

9.0 ASCC MEETING Tuesday 11th March 2025.

Mr Simpson will attend this.

Eva had emailed Michael Duncan regarding the Finances for the coming year.

He replied advising that there is a Special SIC meeting on 25th March regarding the Community Council Review, if the recommendations are agreed at that then

DRAFT MINUTE- to be approved at next Community Council Meeting

the new financial system will start from 1st April 2025. There will be training etc regarding this with details to follow. April 2025, or April 2026, Ms Hall did not

10.0 STAKRAFT

Mr Stevenson had been reading a report from Shetland News regarding the development of the windfarm Stakraft are proposing at Mossy Hill. There are two Community Councils in discussion with the company regarding this development and how it may bring financial benefit to their areas.

Mr Stevenson felt it was important that we try and get involved in this too.

Cllr A Hall is also interested in this project and gave a bit of detail to the meeting.

Following discussion it was agreed that Mr Stevenson take this forward and get more information for the next meeting.

11.0 AOCB

Ditching- Vidlin area

Mr Laurensen reported two areas in Vidlin requiring ditching -Lunning Road and Kirkabister to Greenroads. This will be notified to SIC Roads Service.

12.0 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 26th March 2025 at 7.30pm in Nesting Primary School.

The meeting finished at 9.00pm.