EKCC – 3rd April 2025

Welcome

Ian Brodie welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Present

Ian Brodie(IB), Robert Strang(RS), Jose MacKinnon(JM), Audrey Willan(AW), Trish Collins(TC), Shelagh Cameron(SC) and members of the community. Councillors Anne Horn, Alister Redman & Dougie McFadzean via Zoom.

Apologies

Councillor John Armour

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were agreed. Proposed by RS, seconded by AW.

Matters Arising

- TC to send list of local clubs to PC Simpkins done
- RS to get quote for memorial garden from Eva done, work completed and paid for.
- IB to call ACHA re Tor Mhor no progress. IB took to Alistre Redman who emailed Michelle Mundie. This has been acknowledged, awaiting response.
- SC to go back to Village Hall committee re toilets spoke to Andy & James. Needs to write to them or go to the next village hall meeting.

Bank Balance / Treasurers Report

£1831.81 balance. Change due to income from windfarm to go back out for Bench at Port Na Cuil and for Christimas lights. Application in for account at Virgin Money.

Correspondence

TC received email from Phoil Moorcroft who is wanting to do a Seagrass presentation. Date given for next EKCC meeting.

Planning

Nothing.

Harbour

IB presented an email received from Stephen MacIntyre. Pontoon application is being prepared. Moorings design continues. Pier House – actions taken to improve visual appearance. More detailed structural survey of house commissioned. Preparing a short consultation report on outcome of open day, would like to discuss with EKCC once done.

Wellpark

Nothing.

LDG

Not meeting untilend of April now.

CCT Update

Network centre work going well. Finishes 15/04. Container expected to go 17/04.

EKWFT

Meets 8th May. Applications currently open until 17/04.

LPP

Nothing

Roads

Tor Mhor – replacement of an electrical substation is ongoing. Work ongoing for a few more weeks.

Any Other Business

- AW queried if anything had come back following TC's enquiries into sea defence policy at the council. TC confirmed nothing had come back. Anne Horn will ask how this is progressing and report back.
- AW queried the overgrowth at the car park at Tor Mhor. Anne Horn will look into this.
- Alasdair Bennett (AB) raised the problem of accessible paths especially as it is tourist season.
 Sallys walk to be cleared next week but the bay etc remains blocked. TC will speak to Colin and offer EKCC funds to clear it.
- Alister Redman queried the EKCC view on the visitor levy. Confirmed against.
- AB raised if there was an update on the road at Crossaig. AR said he would re-raise.

Next Meeting

8 May 2025.

Meeting closed.