



Draft Minutes

Notes of a meeting at 7.30 pm Tuesday 2nd October at Ardrishaig Public Hall

Present:

Mary MacCallum-Sullivan (MMS)	Convener
Kenneth MacVicar (KMcV)	Vice Convener
Arthur Barclay (AB)	Treasurer
Catherine Bowe (CB)	Secretary
Fiona McFarlane (FMcF)	
Ron Bowe (RB)	
Neil-John MacLean (NJ)	
Lynn MacVicar (LMcV)	
Cllr Philand (DP)	
Police Sgt Martin Balkeen	

1. Apologies:

David Inglis (DI)
Cllr MacMillan
Donna Mallin (SC)

2 Notes of Previous Meeting Approved by KMcV and seconded by AB.

3. Matters arising Failure of Bear to repair the road at the swing bridge on 9th September will be followed up by DP. **DP**

4. Policing

Sgt Balkeen reported that a total of 27 call outs to the police had been investigated in Ardrishaig recently. They consisted of theft; no car insurance; breach of peace in a shop; cannabis found and a disorder offence. None presented a risk to the community.

5. Planning and Regeneration

DP emphasised the importance of keeping a close watch on Health and Social Care budget cut plans to Social Services in the area, including Ardfenaig.

6. Other Community Council Activities

6.1 Poppy wreath purchased – NJ agreed to lay the wreath at the War Memorial on Armistice Sunday. **NJ**

6.2 Wooden sign posts ABs suggestion of wooden posts pointing out features of the village should be held in abeyance meantime



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6.3 FMcF has bought tulip and daffodil bulbs for tubs – to be planted end October, November – cheque paid.

6.4 Canal's Level regulator, the "Waster", is not on SC's agenda meantime but they do have intention to repair it as soon as funds allow.

6.5 Extra barrels for summer planting can be obtained by NJ for Spring '19.

6.6 Bins surrounding the telephone kiosk are very unsightly and should be kept at the back of the buildings. **DP**

6.7 ACT has given a grant of £1000.00 to the village, to enable ACC to purchase a 6ft aluminium "Tommy" silhouette, to stand at the War Memorial in honour of the War dead in this Armistice Centenary year. **CB**

7. Next Meeting of the Community Council: 7.30 pm Tuesday 6th November in Ardrishaig Public Hall.