

Minute/Note of Meeting	TITLE	lochdar Community Council Meeting		
	DATE	Wednesday 29 th January 2025	TIME	7.00pm
	VENUE	Talla an lochdair		

Present:	Peter Bird (Chair) Cllr Iain Macleod, Ronnie Macphee, Anne Bird (mins), Cllr Paul Steele, Uilleam Brass, Robert Currie, Angela Brass,
Apologies:	Morag Ann MacAulay, Donnie Steele,

Agenda Item	Summary	Action	Who?	When?
Previous Minutes	Previous minutes (07/11/24) were proposed by RM , seconded by RC.	Submit approved mins	AB	asap
Matters Arising	Ward funding received from CnES in November following the last meeting. Thanks expressed for those who organised and distributed the calendar which has been well received in the community.			
Treasurers Report	Money in since last meeting included welcome contributions from Councillor ward funding to assist with cost of calendars. Money out included £120 to the lochdar Youth Club Christmas party and £120 to the lochdar Seniors Christmas lunch. Beach Wheelchair fund stands at £3633.51, with Lovats still adding to this figure on a regular basis. Funding request has come in to help with Sgoil Lionacleit trip to Paris for senior pupils in June 2025.	Organise contribution of £200	RM	asap
CnES consultation on the primary school catchment boundary	There will be public engagement events at Daliburgh and lochdar in February and an online questionnaire will be circulated for people to express their views.	Publicise the engagement events and encourage participation from the community	ICC	During the consultation period.
Place-making	Cycle shelter for Sgoil an lochdair has been delivered and is a welcome addition to the playground. The pupil council hosted a visit by ICC reps and Cllr Hocine and Cllr Robertson to view the shelter and hear updates on the school. HT Joan MacDonald, Mel Butler from the Parent Council, Harry Luney from lochdar Saints and AB from ICC met with Council reps to discuss improvements to the ball court and the Croileagan play park.	Continue to liaise with all parties to develop proposals	ICC	ongoing
Pathway Project	HITRANS are assisting ICC to prepare an application to Transport Scotland for construction funding.	Liaise with HITRANS to prepare application.	ICC	For 7 th Feb.

	Councillors Slot	CnES is inviting feedback from members of the public on the Comhairle's 2025/26 budget proposals, consultation opens in the next few days.			
	Any other business	Street lighting: an enquiry has come in about the street lights that stop around Cuidhe nam Gamhna, could they be continued along the old road to the post box and bike shelter?	Contact CnES Angus Macdonald	AB	asap
		Appreciation was noted for some Sgoil an Iochdair pupils are going around the village unprompted, in their own time picking up litter.	Contact the school to commend their initiative	AB	asap
	Date of next meeting	Next meeting: Wednesday 26 th Feb tbc Meeting ended : 20:10			