Ballachulish Community Council

Meeting held in the Shinty Pavilion 1st November 2016

Present: Kath Small, Dave Kitson, Kevin Smith, Rob Malpas, Sandy Stoddart, Shirley Grant, Carl Stubbs (Police), Andrew Baxter Jimmy Waugh, Members of youth development.

Apologies: Alisdair Jack,

Minutes were proposed by KaS and seconded by RM

1. NSA – Funding (£7500) in place. Leader deadline for application 11/11/2016 Awaiting application outcome.

2. Police - There have been 2 break-ins, in the area. Villagers advised to be aware.

Ab met with Road representative regarding 20mpoh limit. There is a budget overspend for the next 2 years and roads are being prioritised. Speed survey to be done

- 3. Boatsheds Funding Ongoing.
- 4. Co-op Coop assumed that signs were done! Currently investigating

5. War Memorial – Cleaning grant to be applied for. Better access for current site to be looked into. Ground at rear of memorial to be opened up. Funding to be chased via Bob Spence

- 6. Recycling Still no reply from Andy Tuck.
- 7. Christmas Lights Ongoing
- 8. Finances A report of finances were submitted.

9. Cycle Path – There is still some repairs required on the Glencoe side of the cycle path. Sustrans to be chased in order to get same standard as Onich.

10. JSMTC - Awaiting replacement. Glenahulish bus stop is also damaged. To be completed by December

- 11. Ballachulish Sports and Play Park Ask Sophie Malcom for info
- 12. Ballachulish Company –. AGM 9th Nov @ Shinty hut. Company is looking for new members
- 13. CAP Investigate rural Housing Trust. Projects need to be decided upon and leaders selected..

AOCB

A. Arch - Latest info on arch states that it meets the building spec..

c. Pathway at the underpass – Scottish water to repair damage. Disable access to be installed at bridge with access to underpass. Try to organise that both happen at the same time.

d. SEPA –No concerns re flooding n village.

e. Village Emergency Plan - Contingency plan in process of fine tuning

f. Village Clean up -Village hall area to be done

g. Fireworks Meeting done and organising started. Letter to local companies for donations to be drafted and sent out.

h. Discretionary Budget – Grant for the Sculpture for the entrance to the Village, Dr Grants Stone, The Witches Stone, Landscaping, Meadow flower garden and labour for the Quarry and croft has been applied for.

i. Chiscot – A public meeting to be organised in the Village. Notice to be put up to make Community aware of meeting (25th NOV)

k. PPSG – Fundraising ongoing. Look into match funding.

n. Village newspaper. First edition judged a success and thanked all those responsible.

O. village Hall- Busy into mid-2017. A burns supper night has been suggested Date TBC.

p.Public entertainment license. Concerns raised over implications to organisers. Looking into a fee waiver from Highland Council.

q. Dog mess & litter in area. Notices to go up around village reminding people that they can be fined for allowing their dogs to foul in public place.

Next meeting 6th Dec