

RESOLIS COMMUNITY COUNCIL (RCC)

Minutes of Meeting 03 May 2016

Venue and time:

The meeting was held at Resolis Memorial Hall at 7.00 p.m.

Present:

Alister Matheson (AM) Chairperson, Marion Campbell (MC), Norma Holm (NH) Neil Cameron (NC)
Cllr David Alston (DA) - The Highland Council

Welcome and Apologies

Apologies were received from Ian Philips

1. Previous Minutes

At item 2 reference was made to a proposed development at Newhall Farm. It should have read Mains of Newhall Steading.

Apart from that the minutes were approved as correct. Proposed by AM and seconded by NH

2. Matters arising

Actions as follows:

1. From Item 1. It was noted that the new Meals on Wheels service had started recently.
2. From Item 2. Carried over from last meeting, NC to contact Philip Waite to establish the outcome of his investigation and actions regarding access to the development at Newhall Farm.
3. From item 2. NC had reported the pothole issues on roads. Some repair work had been carried out but in many cases the potholes reappeared very quickly, possibly due to tractor traffic and other heavy vehicles. Larger area re-surfacing was more effective. Also the new jet patcher had been seen in operation locally.
4. From item 5.1. NC had returned the Local Policing questionnaire. AM had also met the Local community police officer. NC to approach Police Scotland for local policing information.
5. From item 5.2, NC had contacted Mr. Allan Maguire at the Council for more information about the Newhall School site and previous development proposals. A reply was awaited.
6. From Item 7. Newhall Burn and Himalayan Balsam. NH and AM were still identifying adjacent landowners to assist the clearance project.

3. Treasurers Report

Nothing to report.

4. THC Councilor's report

No new issues to report.

Newhall School sale. No progress to report
Newhall Bridge. As above, start date not known.
Affordable housing. Drainage might well be an issue but this would be investigated as part of any development process.

5. Correspondence

1. Received by AM. University of the Highlands and Islands Research Review. No direct impact on Resolis CC area. **No action.**
2. Received by AM. Moray Firth Partnership, notice of AGM and newsletter. No direct impact on Resolis CC area. **No action.**
3. Received by NC. Final call to register and pay fee to Information Commissioners Office (IOC) for Data Protection Registration. NC has undertaken an on line self assessment and concluded that Resolis Community Council does not need to be registered at this time as it does not hold any personal information on individuals apart from the 5 elected Councillors and is therefore exempt from registration under the regulations. It was agreed that registration was not required. This will be reviewed if data holding circumstances change. **No further action**

6. Planning

1. Outline permission for a new house at Pitchfork, Mid Culbo. No comments.
2. Full permission for a double garage off Church Street, Jemimaville. No comments.

7.0 Any Other Business

NH brought up the issue of the proposed use of Resolis Hall as an emergency response centre to support vulnerable people in the event of e.g. a prolonged power failure. The Hall Committee felt this was too big a project for them to undertake alone and were requesting the assistance of the Community Council. NC agreed to contact Nigel Shapcott (nigel.shapcott@gmail.com) who organized a similar project in Cromarty and to speak to Phil of the Hall committee about the technical issues.

Action NC

8. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting will take place at the Resolis Memorial Hall at **7.00 pm** on Tuesday 07 June.