



BALLOCH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF MEETING ON 17th July 2024

1	Members present: Ian Williams, Rachel Arkell, Gillian Spalding, Pip Johnson In Attendance: Apologies: Daniel Johns, Cllr Robertson, Cllr Reid, Moira Stuart, Louise Bain, Charles Stephen, Sine Mackay
	Minutes of Previous Meeting : Proposed: R Arkell Seconded: I Williams
2	Matters Arising: Noticeboard at the shop – Men’s Shed - fix in progress. Field around school/hall – no update Felling Permission – IW trying to get a start date. IW will ask about cutting trees in the Meadow Rd end of woods when restocking plans are discussed later in the year.
3	Path Upgrade – discussion around speed of cars around the junction with the B9006. Members of the public walking on verges and possible tourists not seeing where the paths start/stop. IW to walk up new path and see if any cutting back of low trees and an arrow sign will help guide walkers/cyclists. Will be carried on to next meeting when Councillors are in attendance.
4	Chapelton - no update
5	Place Plans – SM has produced a first draft that has been circulated. Discussion around the order of priorities and that we need to state that lists are not in priority order. GS to coordinate a Place Plan consultation at the shop for last weekend in August.
6	Councillors Report – none in attendance. Cllr Reid, when sending apologies, did state that she had been contacted regarding grass verges not being cut. Possibility of community action to tidy areas up.
7	Chairperson’s Report - none
8	Treasurer’s Report. Business Bank Account balance as of 17 th July 2024 £7023.56 Treasurer’s Account balance as of 1 st March 2024 £1711.92
9	Secretary’s Correspondence – RA suggested that next year BCC has no meeting in July and restarts in Augus. This was agreed. RA will circulate FOI obtained by member of the public regarding developers contributions.
10	Any Other Business: None
11	Date of Next Meeting: 18 th September 2024 Meeting Dates: 16 th Oct, 20 th Nov