

ARISAIG AND DISTRICT COMMUNITY COUNCIL
Minutes of the meeting of the Arisaig District and Community Council
Monday 20TH April at 7.30pm - Held in person and as a Teams meeting

Present in person: G MacDonald, B Martin, S Kingswood, V Stuart-Orchard, PC L Brown

Present on-line: S Cameron (Councillor), A Whittaker

Apologies: L Saggars (Councillor)

1.	Minutes of meeting held on 16 th March were approved after being proposed by SK and seconded by AW
2.	Reports: Treasurer – Balance currently £1,907.86 following bank charges Police – nothing of consequence to report
3.	Mackintosh Centre – currently full for residents, still seeking update for day care
4.	Burial Ground – a couple of potential sites for a new burial ground have been identified. Next step is input from David Lamont at Highland Council to assess suitability and way to move forward
5.	Local Place Plan – Tiina Heinonen of Morar CC has organised an initial meeting for 29 th April
6.	Local Resilience Plan – initial draft plan was approved at a well-attended meeting on 11 th March. This is to be made available to all residents for comment at the LSIC, and online. An article outlining the plan and need for it has been drafted for West Word. Residential database is now complete and responder areas have been finalised. Date of next meeting tbc
7.	Meeting Updates: A.C.T. – copy of resilience plan to be made available at LSIC B8008 – Awaiting date of meeting to discuss parking at Traigh RTIFG – Plans to progress with bin stores in the village as part of their winter projects. Lochaber Health and Social Care – plans for new Belford available to see online
8.	Planning Applications – nothing of concern. Noted that Stella McCartney has had planning approved for her proposed new home in Roshven
9.	AOCB Defibrillators – Draft letter re defibrillators approved to send to Traigh, LSIC and Arisaig Hotel Visitor Levy – No update Steps to Graveyard – suggested that Community Service team be approached to repair steps at graveyard A830 Detritus – agreed that there is nothing ADCC can do re decaying cabin and caravan along A830. Suggested that best approach would be that those concerned speak directly with landowner to raise concerns

Dates for 2026: Meetings take place on the 3rd Monday of the month – the next meeting will be on Monday 18th May 2026

All meetings are open to local residents to attend. Meetings can be joined on Zoom or in person. Please contact the Secretary for joining details: info@arisaigcc.org.uk