

**Nairn West & Suburban Community Council**  
**Meeting: Mon 29<sup>th</sup> April 2024, 7pm, Nairn Community & Arts Centre**

NWSCC Members: Kevin Reid (KR, Chair), Kristin Duncan (KD), Cory Jones (CJ), Alastair Noble (AN, Vice-Chair), Joan Noble (JN), Graham Stuart (GS, Sec, Minutes), Phill Stuart (PS, Treasurer)  
Ex-Officio Invitees: Cllrs Laurie Fraser, Michael Green, Babs Jarvie, Paul Oldham

**AGENDA**

- 1. Welcome, Apologies**
- 2. Declaration of Interests on Agenda Items**
- 3. Minutes of Community Council Meeting, 25<sup>th</sup> March 2024, for Approval ([link](#))**
- 4. Review of Actions Log from Last Community Council Meeting (See Appendix) (GS)**
- 5. Accounts and Admin (PS)**
- 6. Planning Applications Submitted Since Last Meeting for Review (GS)**
  - Land next to 13 Moss-side Road - (24/01162/PIP)\_ ([link](#))
- 7. Local Place Plan Update (AN)**
  - Update from NICE chair on LPP status
- 8. Community Regeneration Funds Distribution (GS)**
  - Discussion on letter arguing for improved funding for Nairn (letter [link](#))
- 9. Nairn Common Good Charging and Leisure and Recreation Spend in Nairn (JN)**
  - Discussion on letter arguing for greater fairness for Nairn on L&R (letter [link](#))
- 10. Ardersier Port Community Benefit Fund Working Group (PS)**
  - Report from first meeting – (email from Phill Stuart [link](#) for info)
- 11. Nairn District Planning Group – including NNCP (AN)**
  - Report from Meeting - (Adult Services Strategic Plan [link](#) for info)
- 12. Common Good Engagement Group (CGEG) (JN)**
  - Update from first meeting on 24th April
- 13. Coastal Erosion (KD)**
  - Update from site location meeting on 15 April
  - For information – Summary of Dynamic Adaptive Pathways Report ([link](#))
- 14. A96 Tradespark Wood to Sandown Road Speed Limits (CJ)**
  - Update on current situation
  - For information, previous letter from NWSCC ([link](#)) and reply Transport Scotland ([link](#))
- 15. AOCB**
  - Nairn Bypass Meeting 31<sup>st</sup> May, for information
  - Tradespark Hall Charity Update (JN)
  - Vaccinations Update (AN)
  - Next Meeting 22<sup>nd</sup> May, tbc, including AGM

**For Reference - Communications from/to NWSCC Since Last Meeting**

- 20240325\_Oldham\_SEPA\_PVAs ([link](#))
- 20240326\_NWSCC\_letter\_Nairn\_Academy\_Planning\_([link](#))
- 20240409\_NWSCC\_Email\_Campbell\_Nairn\_Academy\_([link](#))
- 20240412\_NWSCC\_Letter\_Councillors\_Funding\_([link](#))
- 20240412\_NWSCC\_StuartPh\_Ardsier\_CEG\_([link](#))
- 20240314\_Email\_Herron\_Ardsier\_Working\_Group\_([link](#))
- 20240422\_NWSCC\_Letter\_CG\_Charging\_Leisure\_spend\_([link](#))

## Appendix – Actions Log

<b>(Date) Action</b>	<b>Status</b>
<p><b>(29Jan24) Community Regeneration Funds Methodology</b>  <b>Action:</b> GS/JN to draft email to councillors drawing attention to the huge differences between funding allocated to Nairn compared to other regions and asking them to push for a better allocation.</p>	<p><b>Agenda item 8</b></p>
<p><b>(25Mar24) - Active Travel Signs – Action:</b> GS to follow-up with BJ to identify person responsible for providing update.</p>	<p><b>Update</b> – No responses from Transport, BJ to discuss with Access Panel</p>
<p><b>(25Mar24) East Beach Signage and Conveniences -</b>  <b>Action:</b> JN to follow-up with Ali Garrow to confirm the CC support for the design and enquire about the size of the signs.</p>	
<p><b>(25Mar24) Nairn Academy – Library Relocation</b>  <b>Action:</b> GS to draft a letter requesting a response to the last letter submitted, requesting that the public library references be removed from the planning documentation and that a decision on the public library is not part of the school planning approval.</p>	<p><b>Completed</b> – <a href="#">link</a>, plus email to Robert Campbell requesting a meeting, <a href="#">link</a></p>
<p><b>(25Mar24) Ardersier Port Community Benefit Fund Working Group</b>  <b>Action:</b> AN to confirm to the organiser that CJ, PS and Rev. Steven Manders are proposed.</p>	<p><b>Completed-</b> <a href="#">link</a></p>
<p><b>(25Mar24) Nairn District Planning Group</b>  <b>Action:</b> GS to confirm to organiser the AN is nominated by NWSCC.</p>	<p><b>Completed</b> - <a href="#">link</a></p>
<p><b>(25Mar24) Coastal Erosion Report Commissioned by Highland Council</b>  <b>Action:</b> KD to connect with River CC with the proposal for a Working Group and organisation of a site visit after the Councillors’ meeting and before next NWSCC meeting.</p>	<p><b>Completed</b></p>
<p><b>(25Mar24) A96 Tradespark Wood to Sandown Road Speed Limits</b>  <b>Action:</b> GS to organise with CJ a follow-up letter and ensure that there is liaison with Nairn Access Panel.</p>	<p><b>Completed</b></p>