

**Minutes of 13 November 2023 Inaugural Meeting**

**Broadford Village Hall**

**Present** Den Connell, Rhona Coogan, Skye Deans, Nick Ferguson, John Finlayson (Cllr), Hamish Fraser, Alistair Macpherson, David O’Donnell

John welcomed all to the meeting.

**Overview of scheme of establishment**

John briefed new council members on their responsibilities and drew attention to guideline documents emailed to all members by Willie Mackinnon.

**Appointment of Office Bearers**

1. Chairman

Hamish proposed by David, seconded by Alistair

Rhona proposed by Nick, seconded by Den

Both agreed to run for Chair. John called Willie Mackinnon for advice. Draw in vote led to cutting of cards. Rhona (seated to the left of John) drew a 3. Hamish drew a 2. Rhona (higher card) to be Chair.

1. Secretary

Alistair proposed by David, seconded by Den. Alistair requested to review at 6 months.

1. Treasurer

David proposed by Hamish, seconded by Den

**Associate Memberships**

We can look at associate memberships from next meeting. Suggestions; Broadford & Strath Community Company – Rhona to invite, Broadford Primary School Parent Council – Den to invite.

**Future CC Meeting Dates**

11 December 2023

22 January 2024

12 February 2024

11 March 2024

8 April 2024

20 May 2024

24 June 2024 AGM

Times of meetings agreed - 7.30pm.

David to check if *UHI North, West & Hebrides – Broadford* available as meeting venue and confirm

**AOCB**

Christmas lights – old ones not working after many repairs. Alastair to source new ones with community council funds.

**Date of next meeting:**

11 December 2023