Floors, Makerstoun, Nenthorn, and Smailholm Community Council

Notice of Council Meeting on Tuesday 16th October 2024 at 7 pm Smailholm Village Hall and Zoom

In attendance

Makerstoun – Andrew Carter AC, Philip Green PG Lord Biddulph LB

Smailholm – Jane Roberts IR, Veronica Ross VR

Nenthorn - Ian (IT) and David (DS) Tony Kime TK on zoom

Floors - Roddy

The meeting opened with the approval of the previous meeting minutes with no amendments.

Agreed Actions

- 1) Finance Summary
 - a. With the balance of funds available at £860.94 agreed that each area would provide ideas to utilise the funds available before the year end. It was noted with gratitude that Betsy Barker has paid for the renovation costs of the Nenthorn telephone box, even though it is still operated by Openreach.
- 2) Police report received and read by all, request for the police to attend the odd meeting in order to hear any Community Council concerns.
 - a. No Action
- 3) Roads new bollards outside Burnbrae Cottages, no consultation with the village to this and the Village aren't very happy with them.
 - a. Action To speak with the Council as to the process for these being approved.
 - b. Please advise AC of pot holes, AC will report these to the council.
 - *c.* Speed in Nenthorn Action AC to speak to the police / council to understand what options we have and to request further monitoring of the speed through the village.
- 4) Planning
 - Action AC to contact the Council and object on behalf of the CC to the development of the new building development at the back of the Burnbrae Cottages.
- 5) Surface water on the field gate way by the Stables, Scottish Water confirmed it is not there issue.
 - a. Action AC to contact the council for a solution
- 6) Smailholm Grass cutting around the war memorial and grass verge by the walking trail.
 - a. Action Council to provide a map of the village in order to agree what areas the council are responsible for.

Meeting was closed with the next meeting agreed 14th of January 2025 at 19.00 hours at Smailholm Village Hall