

# CRAILING, ECKFORD & NISBET COMMUNITY COUNCIL (CENCC)

## Minutes of General Meeting

**19:00 hrs 8 May 2023 Eckford Village Hall**

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<b>1</b>	<p><b><u>Welcome</u></b></p> <p>In attendance</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 30%;">Dinah Faulds (DF)</td> <td style="width: 30%;">Chair</td> <td style="width: 30%;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Myra Hope (MH)</td> <td>Councillor</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Peter Jeary (PJ)</td> <td>Treasurer</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Charlie Robertson (CR)</td> <td>Councillor</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Carol Spalton (CS)</td> <td>Councillor</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hugh Wilson (HW)</td> <td>Councillor</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3"> </td> </tr> <tr> <td>Pam Brown (PB)</td> <td>Scottish Borders Council (SBC) Councillor</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3"> </td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nicola Cowe (NC)</td> <td>Member of the public</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Keith Bader (KB)</td> <td>Member of the public</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Godfrey Spalton (GS)</td> <td>Acting Minute Secretary</td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p>Apologies</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 30%;">Scott Hamilton</td> <td style="width: 30%;">Scottish Borders Council</td> <td style="width: 30%;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sandy Scott</td> <td>(SBC) Councillors</td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p>DF explained that KB was considering replacing PJ as a representative for Eckford, KB explained his background and experience.</p>	Dinah Faulds (DF)	Chair		Myra Hope (MH)	Councillor		Peter Jeary (PJ)	Treasurer		Charlie Robertson (CR)	Councillor		Carol Spalton (CS)	Councillor		Hugh Wilson (HW)	Councillor					Pam Brown (PB)	Scottish Borders Council (SBC) Councillor					Nicola Cowe (NC)	Member of the public		Keith Bader (KB)	Member of the public		Godfrey Spalton (GS)	Acting Minute Secretary		Scott Hamilton	Scottish Borders Council		Sandy Scott	(SBC) Councillors		
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<b>2</b>	<p><b><u>Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting(s)</u></b></p> <p>2.1 General Meeting 13 March January 2023</p> <p>The minutes of this meeting were approved unanimously.</p>																																											
<b>3</b>	<p><b><u>Matters Arising from previous meetings</u></b> (not discussed elsewhere)</p> <p>3.1 Defibrillators (previous item 3.1 from 9 January and 13 March)</p> <p>DF explained that Malcom MacGregor was taking care of all aspects of the provision of the defibrillators (conducted separately from the activities of the resilience co-ordinators). He will look at the option of standardising with other Community Councils when the existing equipment reaches its end of life (probably at the next battery replacement). DF undertook to keep in touch with Malcolm MacGregor on this topic.</p> <p>3.2 CENCC Area Revisions (previous item 9 from 22 November 2022)</p> <p>DF explained that the Jedburgh CC wished to expand their area to include the land currently assigned to the CENCC to the south of the A68 between the Teviot crossing and Bonjedward. This is to allow them to develop footpaths in the Calderwood Wood as well as a footpath to Ancrum. DF noted this would mean 3 households being transferred out of the CENCC</p>	<b>DF</b>																																										

	<p>area, possibly to join the Ancrum area. This would be separate from the work to resolve the boundary anomaly at Wester Ulston. DF asked the meeting to confirm this would be acceptable. This was agreed unanimously. DF will pursue with the Jedburgh CC. DF asked CS to contact the three households affected and ascertain their opinions.</p> <p>3.3 Website Costs (previous item 5.3 from 9 January)</p> <p>DF noted she will prepare a request to Sheila Campbell for the information the Council needs to conduct the IT Support Review currently scheduled for the CENCC meeting on 10 July 2023.</p>	<p>DF CS</p> <p>DF</p>
<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b><u>Treasurer's Report</u></b></p> <p>4.1 Audited Account for 2022-23</p> <p>PJ presented the audited account for the last financial year – Appendix 1 below. This was accepted by the Council unanimously.</p> <p>PJ indicated that John Henderson was willing to continue as honorary auditor for 2023-24.</p> <p>4.2 2023-24 Account to date</p> <p>PJ presented the account for 1 April 2023 - 8 May 2023 - Appendix 2 below.</p> <p>The bank balance at 8 May 2023 was £556.92 after receipt of the Coronation Grant of £500.00 from SBC and payments of £600.00</p> <p>The anticipated receipts from SBC for 2023-24 amount to £1130.00.</p> <p>Future expenditure commitments were estimated as £1509.00 with the only non-recurring item being the £188 agreed previously for Nisbet Churchyard benches. DF asked to Council to confirm it agreed with the inclusion of £210.00 in the expenditure for plants for the village planters. The meeting agreed this unanimously.</p> <p>The future expenditure leaves CENCC with free funds available of £177.92.</p> <p>PJ noted that some applications for funding from SBC require the Community Council to make a partial contribution and CENCC should bear this in mind as a potential future requirement to access further SBC funds.</p> <p>4.2 Treasurer designate</p> <p>DF thanked PJ for all his service to CENCC and the whole community through his work as Treasurer.</p> <p>DF indicated that Katherine Pery, resident in Nisbet, was willing to take on the role of Treasurer and was in contact with PJ.</p>	

<p><b>5</b></p>	<p><b><u>CENCC Activity Programme</u></b></p> <p>5.1 Short Term Projects</p> <p>DF led the meeting in a review of progress on the Short Term Projects for Immediate Action (the Summary Tables were updated after the meeting - Appendix 3). Particular points noted included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Strong support from Nisbet residents for amending the 20 mph zones - which could be documented as a petition.</li> <li>• Some information on how residents can tackle Deteriorating Roads and poor Broadband will be shared by email.</li> <li>• Interest from Lothian Estates in discussing an integrated guide to the Jubilee Path and President's Ride.</li> <li>• The condition of the Kalemouth Bridge appears to be deteriorating, albeit with no vehicular usage. PB offered to raise the need for adequate monitoring with the SBC Infrastructure team.</li> <li>• A need to monitor compliance with Planning commitments regarding passing places at Ulston.</li> </ul> <p>Discussion of the Short Term Projects for Later Action was deferred.</p> <p>5.2 Longer Term Options</p> <p>The Council agreed to defer discussion until some more progress has been made on the Short Term Projects.</p> <p>5.3 Glossary for Councillors</p> <p>The meeting endorsed the draft circulated by DF before the meeting.</p>	
<p><b>6</b></p>	<p><b><u>Feedback to the Community</u></b></p> <p>DF indicated she would compile a proposal for the next meeting.</p> <p>CR noted that CENCC needed a process of continuous communication.</p> <p>The meeting noted that the JED Eye and Kelso Life provided possible channels for raising awareness. DF agreed to determine how these might be accessed.</p>	<p><b>DF</b></p> <p><b>DF</b></p>
<p><b>7</b></p>	<p><b><u>Planning Applications</u></b></p> <p>23/00391/FUL – Erection of Garden Shed at West Nisbet Farm House</p> <p>DF noted there were no objections from Nisbet residents.</p> <p>23/00531/FUL – Change of use of land to form plant hire storage yard (retrospective) Land West Of Wenlock, Mounthooly</p> <p>DF noted there were numerous letters of objection submitted by residents in respect of this application. DF and HW summarised their views on the proposal after a site visit. The meeting agreed to submit a letter to SBC summarising the objections. This will highlight the retrospective nature of</p>	

	the application, the limited neighbourhood consultation, the wide remit for the activity, the current disturbance to neighbours and the materials now on site.	<b>DF</b>
<b>8</b>	<p><b><u>Community Updates from Councillors</u></b></p> <p>10.1 SBC Councillor(s)</p> <p>PB provided a summary of her recent activities to the CENCC Councillors. She highlighted recent briefings on non-domestic rates and school transportation issues and the recent Cheviot Area Partnership (CAP) meeting discussing the Health and Social Care Strategic Framework as well as many funding applications. She noted that CENCC should be aware of future changes to the rules on funding applications and agreed to seek clarification on the hierarchy of community organisations these utilise. She also noted increased emphasis on Community Wealth Building. She agreed to feed back on the roles of the CAP meeting and the new Community Update Sessions.</p> <p>10.2 Crailing</p> <p>MH expressed the gratitude of the Crailing community to HW for repainting the inscriptions on the War Memorial.</p> <p>The meeting congratulated the Lothian Hall committee on the success of their Coronation Party which had over 100 attendees from Crailing, Nisbet and the outlying areas.</p> <p>10.3 Eckford</p> <p>CR reported that over 30 people had enjoyed a collective viewing of the Coronation itself in the Eckford Hall followed by an 'after-party' over lunch. The Hall committee planted a rowan tree to mark the event in the hall grounds.</p> <p>CR noted some in Eckford were interested in creating a collective view of the long term future of the village via community discussions. The meeting noted the interest and recognised the need to align long term thinking. An invitation was extended to open talks on the subject.</p> <p>10.4 Nisbet</p> <p>HW noted the cemetery benches were being put in place and it was planned to sow wild flowers where the grass was not mowed regularly.</p> <p>10.5 Ulston Nothing material to report.</p>	<b>PB</b>
<b>9</b>	<p><b><u>Any Other Business</u></b></p> <p>12.1 AGM Arrangements</p> <p>DF indicated she will prepare presentation slides to summarise the learnings from the leaflet distribution, the feedback heard from residents and the subsequent short and long term actions adopted by the Council.</p>	<b>DF</b>

	The meeting agreed to provide refreshments at the AGM. 12.2 Help from Criminal Justice Youth Team DF noted this organisation was still seeking opportunities for project work.	<b>All</b>
<b>10</b>	<b><u>Dates of Future Meetings - TBC</u></b>  22/05/23 Annual General Meeting Eckford Village Hall 10/07/23 General Meeting Lothian Hall, Crailing 11/09/23 General Meeting Eckford Village Hall 13/11/23 General Meeting Lothian Hall, Crailing 15/01/24 General Meeting Eckford Village Hall 11/03/24 General Meeting Lothian Hall, Crailing 13/05/24 AGM and General Meeting Lothian Hall, Crailing	

## Appendix 1 Audited accounts for 2022-2023

### CRAILING, ECKFORD & NISBET COMMUNITY COUNCIL RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT YEAR ENDED 31st March 2023

	2023	2022
	£	£
<b>Receipts</b>		
Grants from Scottish Borders Council:-		
CC Administration	540	540
Hall Rentals 2021/22	130	0
Jubilee Path maintenance	450	450
Repainting Phone Boxes	0	1026
Nisbet Churchyard restoration	0	3600
Fallago Env. Fund - Eckford Moss path	0	2500
Donations - restricted	0	250
Donations - unrestricted	785	710
	<u>1905</u>	<u>9076</u>
<b>Payments</b>		
Repainting Phone Boxes	1140	0
Nisbet Churchyard restoration	3840	0
Eckford Moss path restoration	0	2400
New seats for walks around Eckford	0	433
Jubilee Path maintenance	745	670
Plants and trees.	644	355
Presentation to Jed Callant	55	0
Defibrilators expenses	1070	155
Honoraria	40	90
Information leaflets	60	0
Hall rentals for meetings	140	130
Website Costs	150	275
Eckford War Memorial Wreath	41	36
	<u>7925</u>	<u>4544</u>
<b>Deficit / surplus for the year</b>	<u>-6020</u>	<u>4532</u>
<b>Funds</b>		
Bank Balance at 1 April 2022	6677	
Less: Deficit for the year	-6020	
<b>Bank Balance at 31 March 2023*</b>	<u>657</u>	

\* See overleaf

Peter Jeary  
Treasurer  
26 April 2023

#### Auditor's Certificate

I have examined the Accounts of the above Community Council for the year ended 31 March 2023 showing a deficit of £6020 for the year and a bank balance of £657 as at 31 March 2023. I find the Accounts to be correctly stated in accordance with the records, vouchers and bank statements submitted to me.

J. Henderson FCMA  
Hon. Auditor  
28 April 2023

#### \* Commitments at 31 March 2023:-

	£
Balance at Bank at 31 March 2023	657
<b>Deduct: Expenditure commitments:-</b>	
Nisbet Churchyard - 2 benches	188
AED Supplies Fund (batteries)	340
Web hosting - March 2023	15
Refurbishing benches / stores	100
	<u>-643</u>
<b>Free funds available at 31 March 2023</b>	<u>14</u>

# Appendix 2 Accounts 1 April 2023 to 8 May 2023

## CEN COMMUNITY COUNCIL ACCOUNTS 1 April 2023 to 8 May 2023 RECEIPTS

Details	Date	Amount
Balance B/fwd	01-Apr-23	656.92
Scottish Borders Council - King's Coronation grant	28-Apr-23	500.00

## PAYMENTS

Cheque No	Details	Date	Amount
211	Eckford V Hall- King's Coronation celebration	08-May-23	250.00
212	Lothian Hall - King's Coronation celebration	08-May-23	250.00
213	Cancelled		
214	Scottish Borders Council - picnic bench Eckford	08-May-23	100.00

		<u>600.00</u>
	Balance at bank	556.92
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<u><u>1156.92</u></u>

**TOTAL** 1156.92

## Balance at Bank at 8 May 2023

556.92

## Add: Anticipated Receipts:-

SBC - Administration Grant	540.00
SBC - Hall rentals 2022/23	140.00
SBC - Jubilee Path maintenance	450.00
	<u>1,686.92</u>

## Deduct Expenditure commitments:-

AED Batteries Fund Balance B/fwd	340.00
Add: 2023/24 contribution	340.00
Nisbet Churchyard benches	188.00
Web hosting (12 @£15 per month)	180.00
Domain name renewal	15.00
Plants for Nisbet.	70.00
Plants for Eckford.	70.00
Plants for Crailing.	70.00
Hall fees (7 @ £20)	140.00
Presentation to Jed Callant	55.00
Eckford War Memorial Wreath	41.00
	<u>-1,509.00</u>

## Estimated free funds available to 31 March 2024

177.92

NB Village Hall costs for meetings during 2023/24 will be reimbursed by SBC in 2024/25.

Appendix 3 Summary Tables of Projects and Options post meeting on 8 May 2023

Updated after General Meeting of 8 May 2023

CEN CC Short Term Projects (mainly to address Residents' Concerns)

Project Title	Project Objective/Scope (what success looks like)	Source (No. of households)	Potential Timescale (to Complete)	CENCC Lead	Current Position	Resources required / in place		Additional Information
						Residents	External Help	
CEN CC Constitution	Constitution brought up to date	CENCC Minute	Months	DF	Review yet to start		Bridge, SBC Gillian Jardine	
CEN CC Area Changes	1. All existing Wester Ulston houses in CENCC 2. Move boundary to A68 as requested by Jedburgh CC	CENCC Minutes	Months	CS/DF	W Ulston issue raised with JedburghCC, CENCC agreed A68 proposal 8.5.23	To be consulted	Fiona Henderson, SBC Boundary Commission	
Crailing Visibility onto A698	Drivers exiting Crailing village onto the A698 have improved visibility around the bends	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (5)	Months	MH (NC)	Need to identify possible solutions and select best	Crailing Residents	SBC Roads	
Crailing Speed/Noise on A698	Increased safety and lower noise from lower speed limit on A698 beside Crailing	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (10)	Months	MH (NC)	Need to identify if any solutions possible	Crailing Residents	SBC Roads	
Defibrillators	Strategy in place to purchase replacement equipment in common with other CC's	CENCC Minute	Months	DF (MM)	MM to pursue for end of current equipment life.		Scottish HART - Kenneth Gunn	Monitor impact on financial provision
Deteriorating Roads	Potholes are reported and filled in a timely manner	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (8)	Weeks	DF (via Chair's email)	Text written about SBC reporting system (but how to monitor delivery and unaadopted roads?)	Users of system		Crailing (Kirk Mains Road), Eckford (unamed road at Grahamslaw and Bowmont & 'main road' at Easter Wooden), Nisbet (access road from the unamed public road to Ploughlands)
Eckford Churchyard Watchtower	The Eckford community are able to take ownership and long-term accountability for the Watchtower	Previous CENCC Minutes	Years	CR	Objective recognised, legalities and practicalities being recognised			
Fibre or other Superfast Broadband	Households outside villages understand their current and future options to access >30mb/s superfast broadband	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (12)	Months	DF (via Chair's email)	Text written about how households identify their position and options	Advice for residents		Kalemouth area, EasterWooden, Grahamslaw, Bowmont, Nisbet Mill Farm Cottages and Garden, Doocot Cottage (Monteviot)
Integrated Path Leaflet	Jubilee Path and President's Ride have an integrated leaflet/guide	Previous CENCC Minutes	Months	CR	Lothian Estates open to meeting to discuss			
Kalemouth Bridge Repair	The households directly affected by bridge have adequate information and participation in future decisions.	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (8)	Months	PJ	Need to understand what communication has/will occur between SBC and residents			Initial data suggest a £1 million plus decision. Monitoring of condition to be requested
Nisbet 20mph Area	Extending the area of 20 mph speed limit in Nisbet to include all areas where pedestrians walk regularly on roads	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (7 Households)	Months	HW	~75% residents contacted, all in favour	1 volunteer to discuss with residents	SBC Roads	Unknown
Nisbet 20mph Speeding	Traffic in Nisbet is encouraged to observe the 20 mph limit.	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (7 Households)	Years	HW	Need to contact residents/farm to gain views before selecting proposal	1 volunteer to discuss with residents	SBC Roads	Unknown
Nisbet Visitor Parking	Visitors park in Nisbet without impact on pedestrians or verges		Weeks	HW	Selecting - Need to create a polite way to point visitors to existing parking spaces	1 volunteer to discuss with residents		
Ulston Passing Spaces	Specific adequate signed passing places on unamed road from Crailing to Jedburgh	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (3 Households)	When funds available!	CS	Defined - requested to John Lamont who has consulted SBC who say no funds available!			Pursue with SBC if planning conditions not met

Immediate Action



**CEN CC Short Term Projects (mainly to address Residents' Concerns)**

**Updated after General Meeting of 8 May 2023**

Project Title	Project Objective/Scope (what success looks like)	Source (No. of households)	Potential Timescale (to Complete)	CENCC Lead	Current Position	Resources required /in place			Additional Information
						Residents	External Help	Funds (£)	
<b>Crailing Pavements &amp; Kerbs</b>	Kerbs in good condition and facilitate disabled access	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (2)	Years	Crailing CEN Councillor	Pursue once progress on immediate actions				
<b>Crailing Turning Place for Cars</b>	??	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (1)	??		Pursue with household once progress on immediate actions				
<b>Grahamslaw Passing Places</b>	Specific adequate signed passing places on unnamed road	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (1)	Years		Wait on outcome of Grahamslaw planning application?				
<b>Kalemouth Visibility onto A698</b>	Drivers exiting Eckford village onto the A698 have improved visibility	Previous CENCC Minutes	Years		? Learn from Crailing project				
<b>Speed/Noise on A698 at Kalemouth</b>	Increased safety and lower noise from lower speed limit by Kalemouth	Previous CENCC Minutes	Years		? Learn from Crailing project				
<b>Low Water Pressure</b>	Households suffering low water pressure are able to work with Scottish Water to improve their position	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (2)	Months						Nisbet Mill Farm Cottages - more information required
<b>Mobile Coverage</b>	Households in mobile coverage 'hotspots' understand their current and future options to have better mobile reception	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (2)	Months		? Add to Broadband				EasterWooden, Monteviot
<b>Neighbourhood Help</b>	A neighbourhood mechanism to solicit or offer help with tasks like pet sitting, wheelie bins, tyre inflation, printing, scanning and community snow clearing.	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (2)	Months						
<b>Nisbet Pavements</b>	Walkers have a safe pathway on roads where limited visibility put them at risk	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (1)	Years						
<b>Nisbet Letter Box</b>	Larger letter box opening in Nisbet village	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (2)	Months						
<b>Nisbet Visibility onto A698</b>	Drivers exiting Nisbet village onto the A698 have improved visibility		Years		? Learn from Crailing project				
<b>Speed in Uliston 20mph</b>	Traffic in Uliston is encouraged to observe the 20 mph limit.	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (1)	Years		? Learn from Nisbet project				
<b>Speed on B6400 Nisbet to Crailing</b>	Increased safety, easier exit from houses	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (2)	Years		? Learn from Crailing project				
<b>Community Events</b>	Communities are stimulated to organise more events involving villagers and outlying households	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (3)	Completed March 2023	DF	Following retireals, the Lothian Hall Committee has been re-resourced via a public meeting and includes representatives from Nisbet, Nisbet Mill and Brownrigg. This ensures a second active Hall, with multiple events, for the CENCC area.				

Later Action

Done

## CENCC Longer Term Potential Options

As agreed on 13 March 2023

Theme	Potential Opportunity	Source of idea (no. of households)	Potential Community Benefit	External Parties to be Involved	Likely Timescale	Relevant to SBC Dev't Plan and any National Park	Possible First Step(s) (to establish project scope)	CENCC Lead (or when required)	Additional Information
<b>Countryside Relationships</b>	Better community life by ensuring <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- More compliance to Countryside Code</li> <li>- Better control of dogs</li> <li>- More parking spaces used considerately</li> <li>- More stiles, less barbed wire</li> <li>- More respect in use of gates</li> <li>- Litter taken home</li> <li>- Less noisy early morning truck movements</li> <li>- Less fast tractor movements</li> <li>- Better appreciation of farming/estate needs</li> </ul>	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (14)	Less tension between farming and non-farming households. Sources of friction addressed to foster mutual respect and understanding.	Estates Tourism agencies SBC NFU	Years	Unclear	Create robust and balanced list of concerns and possible solutions by running a public meeting of all interested parties	To design meeting	?External meeting facilitation
<b>Transport for Individuals</b>	An integrated plan to deliver cost-effective and user-orientated transport to Jedburgh, Kelso, Ancrum, Tweedbank, BGH, Galashiels including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- On demand services</li> <li>- Communal superfast vehicle charging (three phase power supply)</li> <li>- Car sharing via WhatsApp</li> </ul>	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (3+)	Reduced energy usage Less traffic, shared transport Easy medical attendance for non-drivers	Sustrans SBC	Years	Yes	Assess demand and preferred ideas by surveying households in villages and outlying settlements. If significant demand, work on preferred ideas in a public meeting involving parties interested in these.	To design and organise survey	
<b>Enhance the Shared Community Facilities</b>	Develop any of the following (no. of households by idea): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bottle bank in Nisbet village (1)</li> <li>- Community garden, orchard, polytunnel (1)</li> <li>- Community run shop or pub (2)</li> <li>- Community supply of wind or solar power (2)</li> <li>- Communal superfast vehicle charging via three phase power supply</li> </ul>	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (6)	Community well being and cohesion Lower environmental impact Easier access Preferable economics Reliability of supply	SBC Estates Utilities	Years	Yes	Assess demand and preferred ideas by surveying households in villages and outlying settlements. If significant, work on preferred ideas in a public meeting involving parties interested in these.	To design and organise survey	
<b>Multi-age Settlements</b>	Create a more balanced age distribution in the three larger settlements via <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- More affordable housing</li> <li>- More options to downsize.</li> <li>- Option of self-build plots with land to 'hobby farm'</li> <li>- Biasing house planning approvals towards growing the three villages</li> <li>- Pre-school facilities in villages</li> </ul>	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (2+)	More balanced interactions More focussed service provision (Younger councillors)	SBC Estates	Years	Yes	Assess concern by surveying households in villages and outlying settlements. If significant, define preferred ideas by public meeting of residents.	To design and organise survey	
<b>Street Lighting</b>	Provide more, and optimise, street lighting	2022 Leaflet Dist'n (2)	Residents feel in control of, and select level of provision	SBC	Years	?	Assess demand by surveying households in villages and outlying settlements and address each location specifically	To design and organise survey	
<b>Kalemouth Bridge Bicentenary</b>	Use the bicentenary to promote tourism and foster community relationships	CENCC discussion	Higher visitor numbers		2026-2030	No	Define the actual year the bridge opened (newspaper archive?), assess timescale for event design.		