

# Lonan Parish Commissioners

## Extraordinary Garff Presentation Meeting

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2015 at 1830 hours at Laxey Commissioners Office.

### MINUTES

**Present:** Mr N. Dobson, Mr S. Clucas, Mr J. Faragher, Mr P. Hill. **Apologies:** Nil.

**Chair:** Mr J. Faragher. **Clerk:** Mr P. Hill.

The Meeting commenced at 1837 hours.

#### Public Sessions.

##### **56/15 Planning Applications.**

- a) Planning Application No 15/01066/B of 21.09.15 in respect of alterations, creation of an additional window and erection of a porch to dwelling at 3, Park View, Agneash, Lonan, IM4 7NS. *Approved.*
- b) Planning Application No 15/01067/B of 21.09.15 in respect of alterations, erection of a rear extension and installation of front and rear dormer windows to dwelling at Duncraggan, Highfield Drive, Baldrine, IM4 6ED. *Approved.*

##### **57/15 Lonan Commissioners Garff Public Meeting Presentation Discussion.**

A comprehensive discussion took place regarding Lonan Commissioners' contribution to the forthcoming Public Meeting on 14<sup>th</sup> October. It was resolved that ND would represent Lonan Parish Commissioners and would liaise with SC to ensure that all aspects of opinion were aired; that he would attend a proposed meeting on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 1900 hours at LVC Offices with Steve Rodan, Roz Bate from Laxey and John Quayle from Maughold; that the format of the Public Meeting should be based on the three bullets points in the letter to Residents and introduced by Steve Rodan who would give a brief history of Garff, introduce the Commissioners both on stage and in the audience. Then, as the Boards' have always dealt with things in alphabetical order they proposed that **Roz Bate for Laxey** should take Topic 1 of the Garff letter, (**Representation and Local Control**, How will it work? Who will be my Commissioners? Will our local identity and control be lost); **Nigel Dobson for Lonan** should take Topic 2, (**Finances, Assets and Rates Equalisation**, How will the finances be managed? What will happens to the Authorities assets? Will we pay the same rates? Are there winners and losers?); and **John Quayle for Maughold** should take Topic 3, (**Provision and delivery of services in a cost effective manner**, What services will be provided? Who will provide these services? Will there be any cost saving benefits?).

##### **58/15 Any Other Business.**

- a) There was no other business

**There being no further business, the Meeting closed at 2000 hours.**

**The next Statutory Meeting of the Authority will be on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2015 at 1830 hours**