

Arran Community Council

Please note the following changes as directed by NAC 25th March 2020 in light of the COVID-19 outbreak.

I've have been asked to implement the recommendations of the officer report to Council as they relate to community councils. This means that:

- 'ordinary' community councils due in September/ October/ November for Arran, Cumbrae, Dalry, Fairlie, Irvine, Kilbirnie & Glengarnock, Kilwinning, Largs, Skelmorlie and West Kilbride will not now take place until Spring 2021. (Ordinary elections due in 2021/22 are not affected)
- the term of office of existing community councils and their members which would otherwise come to an end in 2020 is extended until 30 April 2021 (or effectively until the postponed ordinary elections have taken place)
- in the interim, community councils are not required to meet and are not subject to the requirement to meet as least 6 times per year actions/decisions which you require to take during this period when meetings cannot take place, can be taken remotely via consultation with your members, including the appointment of new members
- North Ayrshire Council will not exercise the power to dissolve a community council during this period

Please note Arran Community Council members are still contactable via the contact us page on this website or acc.contactus@btinternet.com

We are exploring digital conferencing but this is at an early stage of development and all our members currently don't have facilities to fully engage in this format which we will explore to ensure we effectively represent the community views as appropriate.