ARGYLL & BUTE COUNCIL

Kintyre Initiative Working Group ACPG

CUSTOMER SERVICES

8th Nov 2013

Kintyre Initiative Working group (KIWG) highlight exception report to Area Community Planning Group

1. SUMMARY

1.1 The purpose of this Paper is to update the Area Community Planning group regarding the main pieces of work undertaken by the KIWG

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

That the ACPG:

- 2.1 Note the exception report provided below (If further detail is desired the full minutes are published on the Council website)
- 2.2 Consider whether there are any specific tasks or issues which it wishes the CSP to undertake or review

3. DETAIL

- 3.1 The KIWG is a strategic partner of the ACPG focusing mainly on business renewal, development and community initiatives and opportunities
- 3.2 KIWG met on 25 October 2013 and is due to meet again on the 25th of November

4. IMPLICATIONS

5.1 **Policy** Adoption of the proposal will assist in delivery and reporting

of aspects of the SOA and the Community Plan

5.2 **Financial** None.

5.3 **Personnel** None

5.4 **Equalities Impact** None.

Assessment

5.5 **Legal** None

For further information, please contact Shirley MacLeod, Area Governance Manager tel 01369 707134

Kintyre Inititive Working Group Highlight Exception Report Nov 2013					
SOA Theme	Topic	Issue and Actions	Comment	Outcomes/ Indicators	
	Governance	Cllr Colville and Jim Martin appointed as chair and vice chair respectively			
	Transport				
	Irish links	there is no resource currently available to support additional twinning links			
		Future Sailwest events are likely to be proposed, however EDRF funding is likely to be restricted			
	Ferry	There is now a ferry subgroup chaired by Cllr Semple the revised timetable is in draft			
	Airport	Passenger Figures are down slightly this quarter. Loganair invited to send a rep to the next meeting			
	Roads	An update report was supplied including a number of issues	Issue covered included Tainloan parking, the work of the SSE at Crossaig and the recent landslide at the "rest"		
	CHORD	A town Hall manager has been appointed £1m Big lottery funding has been allocated this sould be finalised in 2015			
	Renewables	Production time for windtowers have been cut to 4 weeks	Renewables workshop to be held in lochgilphead following MAP meeting in December – all members invited		
	Emergency planning	An event is being proposed for spring 2014 to take the revised emergency plan forward	an monitore invited		
	Broadband	Regular updates now to come to the group from HIE			

Appendix1 KIWG Highlight- Exception report Nov 2013

Picture		