

Cross-Party Group on Fisheries and Coastal Communities

18 June 2025, 18:00

Minute

Present

MSPs

Karen Adam – convener
Beatrice Wishart – deputy convener
Audrey Nicoll

Non-MSP Group Members

Lee Robb, 3x1 – secretariat
Archi Sturrock – office of Karen Adam MSP
Charlotte Cochrane – Salamander offshore wind farm
Cllr Ann Bell – Aberdeenshire Council
Alice Tirbooman – Scottish Renewables
Elspeth Macdonald – Scottish Fishermen's Federation

Apologies

Jamie Greene MSP
Rachael Hamilton MSP
Ariane Burgess MSP

Approval of minute of previous meeting

Members approved the published minute of the previous meeting of the CPG.

Election of officers (chaired by Audrey Nicoll MSP)

Convener – Karen Adam MSP (proposed, Beatrice Wishart MSP; seconded, Audrey Nicoll MSP)
Deputy convener – Beatrice Wishart MSP (proposed, Karen Adam MSP; seconded, Audrey Nicoll MSP)
Secretariat – Lee Robb, 3x1 (MSP members agreed)

Any other business

Dr Mitchell Lennan was unable to make it along to the CPG meeting to provide an update on the University of Aberdeen research work being undertaken in cooperation with the CPG, however he will provide a written report to members in the meantime.

Date and time of next meeting

To be circulated in due course.