

LDO report: 07/08/19

Updates	Notes/Questions
<p>PLOCK HUB</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HIE approved our funding request to provide 58.2% intervention towards the designs - £19,647. We are now waiting for the official grant letter. 	
<p>FUNDING FOR NEW JOBS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I've started working on funding applications for 3 years' funding for a Ranger (35 hrs/wk), Community Engagement Officer (30 hrs/wk) and to change the current admin post into a Finance & Administration Officer (35 hrs/wk). I also want to include the alteration works to the Toll Office, contribution towards the wildlife hide and costs of activities and management of the Plock. I've had discussions with the National Lottery Community Fund, National Lottery Heritage Fund and Robertson Trust. A draft budget has been prepared but needs to be updated once we get quotes for the Toll Office works and once the Board agrees the wages. I've asked for support letters from 6 stakeholders and so far received them from our conservation volunteers, the Medical Practice in Kyle and the Youth Trust. We are still waiting for the Kyle Community Council, Biosphere and the Highland Green Health Partnership. 	
<p>LOCHALSH CONSULTATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Another Collaboration meeting took place at the beginning of July. Due to the summer holidays it was decided to have the next meeting in September. 	
<p>CAR CHARGING POINT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Our funding application is still under consideration and we are still waiting for a new quote from SSEN. 	
<p>RERAIG</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> We've been told that National Trust for Scotland decided to sell the Reraig Campsite. 	What are our next steps?
<p>PAYPAL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Siobhan is still working on setting up the paypal which proves to be quite difficult as they require numerous documents to grant us a lower charger. 	