

CAIRNGORMS NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY

FOR INFORMATION

**Title: TIMETABLE FOR PREPERATION OF NATIONAL
PARK PARTNERSHIP PLAN 2022-2027**

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Purpose

To update the Board on the indicative timetable for preparation of the next Cairngorms National Park Partnership Plan for the period 2022-2027.

Recommendation

That the Board:

- a) Note the indicative timetable for preparation of the Cairngorms National Park Partnership Plan 2022-2027.**

Background

1. The National Park Partnership Plan (NPPP) is the statutory National Park Plan required by the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000. It sets out the CNPA's policy and priorities for managing the National Park, coordinating the CNPA's functions and the functions of other public bodies that affect the National Park in order ensure the National Park aims are collectively achieved in a coordinated way. The current Cairngorms NPPP was approved by the Scottish Ministers in 2017 and runs to 2022.

Indicative Timetable

2. The preparatory work to start developing the next plan to run from 2022 to 2027 has started, with reviews of evidence and initial work on statutory assessments underway. Table 1 shows the indicative timetable for preparation of the next NPPP to ministerial approval and adoption in 2022. The bulk of the work will be undertaken during 2021, with consultation on a draft NPPP being undertaken in the autumn/winter.

Table I – Indicative timetable for preparation of National Park Partnership Plan 2022-2027

| | Nov 2020 | Dec 20 | Jan 21 | Feb 21 | Mar 21 | Apr 21 | May 21 | Jun 21 | Jul-21 | Aug 21 | Sep 21 | Oct 21 | Nov 21 | Dec 21 | Jan 22 | Feb 22 | Mar 22 | Apr 22 | May 22 | Jun 22 | Jul-22 | |
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| SEA Scoping Report | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Evidence Gathering | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Comms plan development and delivery and EqIA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pre Consultation Engagement | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Draft Report | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Draft SEA Environmental Report, HRA & EqIA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Design & Consultation materials/ finalised | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Consultation | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Consider Consultation Responses | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Finalise Drafts (Plan, SEA, HRA, EqIA) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ministerial Approval and Adoption | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |