

Draft Planning Committee Meeting Minutes

Held at Cairngorms National Park Authority HQ, Grantown on Spey (Online)

Derek Ross

On 14 March 2025 at 10.00 am

Present virtually

Chris Beattie (Convener)

Sandy Bremner

Peter Cosgrove

Paul Gibb (Deputy Convener)

Geva Blackett

Jackie Brierton

Kenny Deans

Dr Hannah Grist

Russell Jones John Kirk

Bill Lobban Lauren MacCallum Eleanor Mackintosh Fiona McLean Steve Micklewright Duncan Miller

Ann Ross

Apologies

Miachael Williamson

In Attendance

Gavin Miles, Director of Planning and Place
David Berry, Head of Planning and Chief Planning Officer
Edward Swales, Monitoring and Enforcement Officer
Peter Ferguson, Harper MacLeod LLP
Lacquarn Rose, Graduate Planner
Lauren Neil, Graduate Planner
Emma Greenlees, Planning Support Officer
Alix Harkness. Clerk to the Board

Agenda Item 1

Welcome and Apologies

1. The Planning Convener welcomed all present and apologies were noted.



Agenda Item 2

Approval of Minutes of previous meeting

2. The minutes of the previous meeting on 24 January 2025 held at Cairngorms National Park Authority, Grantown on Spey and Hybrid were approved with no amendments.

Agenda Item 3

Matters arising

- 3. Matters Arising:
 - a) No matters arising

Agenda Item 4

Declarations of Interest

4. No interests declared.

Agenda Item 5

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- 5. David Berry, Head of Planning and Chief Planning Officer introduced the new Graduate Planners, Lacquarn Rose and Lauren Neil who joined the team this week. He advised that they would work on both Strategic Policy and Development Management in the coming months. The Planning Committee Convener gave them a warm welcome on behalf of the Planning Committee.
- 6. The Committee Convener raised a motion to move to a confidential session.

Date of next meeting

- 7. The public business of the meeting concluded at 10.06
- 8. Date of the next meeting is 25 April 2025