

COMHAIRLE NAN EILEAN SIAR: 12 FEBRUARY 2025

COMMITTEE DECISION REPORT

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE: 4 FEBRUARY 2025

At its meeting on 4 February 2025, the Sustainable Development Committee considered the business referred to below. The Committee has approved the recommendations detailed for approval by the Comhairle. Where the Committee has exercised delegated powers or used the conditional delegation provisions for any item, this is stated.

Items marked with an asterisk* were considered with the press and public excluded from the Meeting.

Item Title	Agenda Number	Committee's Decision
Minute of Meeting of 26 November 2024	1	The Minute of Meeting of 26 November 2024 was approved.
Declaration of Interest	2	There were no declarations of interest.
SSEN Transmission Presentation	3	It was agreed to recommend that the Comhairle note the Presentation.
UK Government Consultation: Electricity Infrastructure Consenting	4	It was agreed to recommend that the Comhairle homologate the response submitted to the UK Government's Consultation on Electricity Infrastructure Consenting in Scotland.
UK Parliamentary Scottish Affairs Committee: Call for Evidence	5	It was agreed to recommend that the Comhairle homologate the response submitted to the UK Parliament's Scottish Affairs Committee's Call for Evidence on GB Energy and the Net Zero Transition.
Strategic Housing Investment Plan 2025/26-2029/30	6	It was agreed to recommend that the Comhairle (1) note the contents of the Report; and,
		(2) authorise the Chief Planning Officer, in consultation with the Chair and Vice Chair of Sustainable Development Committee, to finalise the Strategic Housing Investment Plan and submit to the Scottish Government.
Museum Service Update	7	It was agreed to recommend that the Comhairle approves:
		(1) the Museum Forward Plan at Appendix 1 to the Report;
		(2) the plans and policy documents for the Comhairle's Museum Service at Appendices 2-9 to the Report; and
		(3) dispersal of obsolete museum display cases to Comainn Eachdraich.
The Lewis Museum Trust	8	It was agreed to recommend that the Comhairle approves the proposed receipt of the collections and remaining assets of the Lewis Museum Trust on terms to be agreed by the Chief Executive.

Outer Hebrides Economic Regeneration Strategy 2025-35	9	It was agreed to recommend that the Comhairle approve the draft Outer Hebrides Economic Strategy 2025-2035 at Appendix 1, noting that following further consultation, a final version will be submitted for approval.
Reports Outstanding	10	It was agreed to recommend that the Comhairle note the Report.