

COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT MANAGER UPDATE – 10th October 2014

The following has been deleted and will not be made public until the consultation period is over.

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Scarista Wind turbine

After various promises Harbon are currently due to arrive on Monday 13th October to repair the turbine.

Horgabost Wind Turbine

I completed a pre-accreditation application to OFGEM for this scheme on 30th September in order to retain a higher tariff rate. Lisa is investigating share issues as a way of financing this project.

Rubha Romagaidh- Community Building

Tendering is now expected in w/c 20th October due to delays with some of the engineering information.

Rubha Romagaidh – Housing

In the meeting of 26th September HHP expressed a desire to move the housing forward to the 2014-15 year. They will discuss the current house design and potential changes directly with Rural Design as they need to make savings on the current projections.

Marine Access project

Isle of Harris Plant have been carrying out finishing works around the shed and Murdo MacKinnon has been reinstating the fencing for the fank. The postal address has been simply registered as “The Cliff”.

The pontoon suffered serious damage in the gales at the end of September. Patrick Connon intends to visit to inspect the damage.

Plot sales

Duncan MacKay & Sons have quoted £34k for completing the water works at Luskenyre which is considerably more than originally expected. A paper on the overall financing of the project will be discussed at the board meeting.

Seilebost School

The school is now in the ownership of the Trust.

Hebridean Long Distance Route

Notification has been received of proposed bridges for various burns and rivers. A date has yet to be arranged for a local meeting regarding the proposed route.

Duncan MacPherson

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