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To: Forestry FLS Communities

Subject: Community Asset Transfer Glenmore Views

To Whom It May Concern

I have been visiting Glenmore for over 35 years, and have seen the changes over the years, some of which have been very positive, but the opportunity to ensure the local community had a view and control of developments within the campsite, were missed, and the funds primarily leave the area, as its a Glasgow based company running it, and rightly the companies interests are reflected in any future developments, as opposed to local needs.

The local community is best placed to express their own needs, and to understand how to meet them. So the transfer of the assets will help ensure a development that supports the community, and helps affirm its long term sustainability. It is also a benefit to the Forestry Commission in that there is a shared outcome of joint work with the community and this will improve working relationships and have knock on benefits to other developments in the surrounding area. I very much support their request and see it as helping the community long term viability and improving the visitor offering.

Regards

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