



Forestry and
Land Scotland
Coilltearachd agus
Fearann Alba

Deborah Long
Chief Executive
Scottish Environment Link
5 Atholl Place
Perth
PH1 5NE

Via e-mail: deborah@scotlink.org

Our Ref: SEC-26-77

02 April 2026

Dear Deborah

Forestry and Land Scotland Corporate & Rolling Three-Year Business Plans

As a valued stakeholder with a significant interest in Scotland's national forests and land and/or the work of Forestry and Land Scotland, I wanted to take the opportunity to personally highlight the publication of two key documents.

Prior to the Pre-Election period Forestry and Land Scotland published both our **Corporate Plan** (2026 -2030) and **Rolling Three-Year Business Plan** (2026 -2029).

The Corporate Plan sets out what FLS is for: ***we are for people, for nature, for the climate and for the economy***. In the long term our aim is to sustain and maximise the public value of the fantastic natural asset in our care.

It sets out the broad framework of how we will deliver, for the Scottish people, for this and future generations.

It confirms:

- our **core** activity, that which enables us to steward Scotland's national forests and lands, and work in support of the Scottish Government Net Zero ambition.
- how we will look to go beyond this to achieve **more** in response to wider Scottish Government objectives, subject to available resources; and
- how we will **explore** new opportunities and meet new challenges, whilst being strategic and selective in making any new commitments.

Forestry and Land Scotland

Head Office
Great Glen House
Leachkin Road
Inverness
IV3 8NW

Tel/Fòn 0131 370 5541
ceo@forestryandland.gov.scot

Ard-Oifigear/Chief Executive

Kevin Quinlan

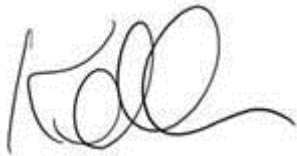
FLS is a strong organisation with an enduring mission ***“to look after Scotland’s national forests and land, for the benefit of all, now and for the future”***. We are proud of the contributions that we make to our society, environment, and economy. These include: supporting rural jobs and the economy by producing 40% of Scotland’s timber; boosting the green energy transition by hosting 14% of Scotland’s onshore windfarms; welcoming people through over 10 million visits per year; supporting over 100 community projects and many more events and activities in local woodlands; and conserving and restoring iconic landscapes and nature within the 9% of Scotland in our care. We are here for good ... in the service of Scotland ... as one FLS.

Our rolling three-year Business Plan 2026/27 to 2028/29 sets out in more detail how we will deliver the Corporate Plan, and how we will match our income sources to our priorities.

The FLS team and I will be looking to engage with you in the coming months to discuss our shared objectives and how together we can deliver our ambitions.

In the short-term, if you have any questions arising from either document, please do not hesitate to come back to me.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K. Quinlan', with a stylized, cursive script.

Kevin Quinlan
Chief Executive