

INFORMATION ITEM

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FAIRHAVEN HERITAGE LOTTERY PROJECT UPDATE

PUBLIC ITEM

This item is for consideration in the public part of the meeting.

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

Building Works Contract

Practical Completion was issued for the Building Works contract on 13th September 2021 and now has entered the 12 months defects rectification period. The Café tenant has since moved into the café premises and opened to the public on 20th October following their own internal training and fit out period. The completed works are now monitored by the end users and on-site management team, with any minor defects to be identified and rectified by the main contractor.

Landscape Works Contract

All works associated with the engineering of the Landscape works have now been completed, including the raising of the stepping stones within the Japanese Gardens. The planting works will be undertaken by the in-house gardening team.

Interpretation

In the last reporting period, the rotating kiosk and camera link has been installed within the Pagoda (RSPB) building. The outstanding work that remains within the funded interpretation scheme is the completion of the Fairhaven app; the storyboard for which has been finalised and has now been transferred to the software developer to complete the finished app within the next 4 weeks.

Activity and Events Programme

Activity and Events are being delivered as per the NLHF approved purposes. The Watersports Centre is now operational and has been the main base for delivering Watersports activity sessions as per the Activity Plan. The original grant expiry date of February 2022 has been agreed in principle by the NLHF to be extended until end of August 2022 to deliver Activity and Events that were postponed/cancelled due to COVID related restrictions.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION

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WHY IS THIS INFORMATION BEING GIVEN TO THE COMMITTEE?

A request was made at the Tourism & Leisure Committee held on the 7th September 2017 for a regular information item to be presented to the Committee.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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