

	<p>█████ shared a high level offsite office concept setting out 3 key phases of activity over 5 year period in a logical sequence.</p> <p>FM emphasises the importance of encouraging innovation and creativity to ensure alignment with the Argyll and Bute Rural Growth Deal. This could potentially unlock government funding to support these endeavours.</p> <p>RMcL advised that the council remains open to accommodate employees from partners on council premises. █████ welcomed this offer on the understanding that it was made clear to the media that it is not squeezing council employees out and instead is using existing available space.</p> <p>JP keen to work with all partners to exploit every opportunity for successful joint working for sustainable solutions e.g. co-location of estates.</p> <p>The SDDF Board agreed;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To the proposals set out in the high level offsite concept. █████ • Proceed with hubs to support flexible working during the pandemic. █████ • Not proceeding with the pilot for short term rentals for office accommodation. █████ • Continue to develop medium to long term proposals for co-location and flexible working that understands and meets the requirements of partners. █████/RMcL)
	<p>MM provided an update on the planning application for a 60,000 sq. foot office accommodation at Colgrain, Helensburgh. It is an outline application only at this stage (i.e. permission in principle).</p> <p>A key issue is an objection from the Scottish Environmental Protection Agency on the grounds of flooding for which the Council is confident have a solution.</p> <p>Blairvadach (vacant council office accommodation north of Helensburgh) has become available for use and potential options will be explored.</p>
3.	<p>█████ provided an overview of progress on development of offsite single living accommodation (SLA) as set out in the papers.</p> <p>The Board agreed it would be helpful to see timeline of programme covering next 3 years.</p>
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█████ was clear that no further accommodation will be built in the base.