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Morvern
Land Management Plan

M2c Key Issues
Community and Culture

Community owned HEP installation.

The Scheduled Ancient Monument at Loch Doire nan Mart has great cultural and social significance for Morvern and is a memorial to land use change forced on local communities by external economic and cultural forces. The area is currently grazed by horses which provides a welcome faint echo of the past.

Rock overhang where the Postie left and picked up the post for Barr after walking over from Bunavullin.

The path which formerly linked the two road networks created a long circular walk through the high parts of the forest which was valued by the Community. The path is now blocked with windblown timber. Scope for restoring the functionality of this path during felling and restocking operations.

The Strava heatmap for the forest shows most activity follows the existing core path routes and is focussed around Lochaline, the Township at Loch Doire nan Mart and along the road through Barr towards Loch Sunnart.

Cairn for victim of clearances.

Flint arrowhead find (Hugh Milner)

Site of two graves

HEP installation.

Agricultural grazing lease.

Potential area of Community interest to establish Forest Crofts. The local community is represented by the Morvern Community Council. The Morvern Community Development Company is the focus for fund raising and taking forward Community aspirations. There are a number of associated groups which focus on specific areas of interest.

The RSPB is opening a nursery on FLS land near Lochaline which will focus on growing locally seed sourced native broadleaves to encourage native woodland restoration in Morvern.

Legend

- Morvern LMP Boundary
- Water Supplies
- Public Right of Way
- Core Paths
- Scheduled Ancient Monument
- Open Hill within LMP Boundary
- Heritage Features
- Proposed Roads
- Existing Roads

Current Species

- Native Mixed/Other Broadleaves
- Birch
- Douglas Fir
- Larch
- Lodgepole Pine
- Other/Mixed Conifers
- Norway Spruce
- Oak
- Scots Pine
- Sitka Spruce
- Other/Mixed Broadleaves

1,000 Meters

Scale: 1:27,000 @ A2

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