



Steep slopes above key public infrastructure; threat of rockfall, debris flows and landslide. Currently planted with second rotation commercial forest, with high working costs. Significant area of PAWS
Restore steep slopes to a mosaic of native woodland, with a range of species; providing and strengthening soil cohesion, through a range of rooting strategies. Woodland to act as a physical barrier to rockfall.

Poor quality Lodgepole pine stands, on peat soils, approaching terminal height and susceptible to DNB. Not a visible location
Advance felling within the plan, use large scale coupe, appropriate to landform. Rationalise productive zone during restocking and utilise nurse mixtures of Lodgepole pine and Sitka spruce to reduce fertiliser requirement. Expand area of native woodland, linking into riparian zones and Attadale Estate proposals for new native woodland.

Locally well used area for recreation with iconic first rotation trees and native woodland.
Allow development of mixed woodland to continue. Keep iconic large trees as Long Term Retention. Where possible develop the internal aesthetics and encourage development of understorey through small scale thinning.

Significant area of open habitat, predominantly blanket bog and upland heath. High levels of exposure and moderate deer population.
Establish native treeline woodland on sheltered heath and flushed shallow peat. Use natural regeneration and network of micro sited small scale enclosures

Sheltered basin with favorable climatic conditions, better quality soil and existing infrastructure. Stands all largely within a ten year age range, but out with thinning window.
Manage through smaller scale clearfell. Maintain the zone as productive and take opportunity to diversify productive species during restructuring, through use of resilience mixtures using Sitka spruce with Norway spruce, western red cedar, western hemlock and Scots pine.

Loch Achaidh na h-Inich, public water supply for Kyle and important wildlife habitat.
Restore network of native woodland around loch side and managed under lower intensity system in the future to promote water regulation and protection. Maintain productive core of woodland in less sensitive zone above Sean Chreag that links into neighboring productive forest.

Designated oakwood, Coille Mhor SAC & SSSI. Habitat with a high ecological value; large area of veteran remnant trees and PAWS.
Link all PAWS fragments through large scale native woodland restoration, provide buffer to the core habitat of the SAC and reduce long term impact of non native regeneration. Use natural regeneration where possible in re-establishment.

Diseased and burnt lodgepole pine stand, with rapid deterioration anticipated. Hidden by topography.
Target for early clearfelling to enhance level of timber recovery. Use minimal road construction to extract timber, but maintain reasonable extraction distances. Re-establish productive crop with riparian woodland along Balmacara burn.

Former caravan site, well used by local groups (schools etc) for outdoor events and activities.
Maintain as valuable recreation resource, undertake small scale thinning to enhance visitor experience and develop woodland structure. Implement the Visitor Management Plan.

Mature, fast growing conifer on steep inaccessible and highly visible slopes. Wind blow occurring on the westward edge.
Begin restructuring of conifer stands, rationalise wind blow to suitable edges, minimise road construction where possible. Re-establish commercial conifer on accessible terrain and native woodland around existing remnants.

Legend

- Significant Watercourses
- Portachullin Common Grazings
- CORE_PATHS

DNB Present

- Positive Sample
- SAC
- Unstable slopes
- SSSI
- Heritage Features Point
- Heritage Features Line
- Heritage Features Polygon

Forest Road CLASSIFICATION

- Class A
- Class B
- Class C
- Transfer Point
- Unclassified

PAWS Aim

- Enhance
- Full
- LMP Boundary

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