Key Features Map Annotations

* Nearly the entire forest is designated as Long Established of Plantation Origin (LEPO) which will impact management decisions.
* Priority species such as red squirrels and badgers are plentiful in the forest and there are records of several raptor species present.
* Pine forest on Romach Hill has historically been an important habitat for protected bird species.
* Romach Loch, used as a reserve water supply in the past, is frequently used for recreation by the local community.
* The Dava Way core path passes through the forest for a stretch of roughly one mile.
* Historic landfill site, now capped and used as grazing for horses.
* The main access route into the southern end of the forest is shared with local residents.
* Bogawood peat restoration scheme has recently been completed.
* There are some heritage features located throughout the forest, mostly ruins of farmsteads and enclosures.
* Parts of Romach Hill, felled during the previous plan period, are due to be restored to peatland habitat in the near future.
* The Black Burn flows east from Romach Reservoir to join the River Lossie near Elgin.
* Large areas of the forest have been successfully managed using LISS recently.
* Via the Mosset Burn, the LMP area has connectivity to the Culbin Sands, Culbin Forest and Findhorn Bay SSSI.
* Transient Red deer populations are known to frequent Romach Hill, having an impact on successful establishment of palatable species.
* There are many private water supplies located in the surrounding area to be protected from forest operations.