

Farr North Community Development Trust

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Ref – Melvich Community SCIO

I write on behalf of Farr North Community Development Trust (Farr North) in support of Melvich Community SCIO s application for funding.

Farr North strongly support Melvich Community SCIOs strategic plan to deliver a new fit for purpose multi-functional, multi- generational inclusive community hub for the Melvich area.

Farr North has a remit to drive forward social and economic development in the Parish of Farr which includes the community of Melvich.

Through community consultations four key strategic priorities for the Trust were identified:

- Improve community meeting spaces
- Improve accessibility to services and opportunities (Transport)
- Improve services and opportunities for our older and vulnerable people (Care)
- Maximise the benefits accruing from local wind farm developments including securing shared ownership of local developments where this is possible and appropriate.

The proposed development of a community hub will potentially contribute to Farr Norths strategic priorities.

Farr North Community Development Trust and Melvich Community SCIO have established a good working relationship with regular updates on progress. Where required Farr North Community Development Trust has offered and given assistance.

Having established a good working relationship with Melvich Community SCIO Farr North are fully aware of previous and ongoing community engagement to ensure members of the public are where possible updated at every step of the process.

Through this letter Farr North Community Development Trust acknowledge the hard work and dedication of Melvich Community SCIO to deliver what has been outlined in their strategic plan for their community.

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Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Sincerely

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