

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL

TRANSPORT, ENVIRONMENTAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE – 18 March 2010

Agenda Item	
Report No	

Deletion of Part of the U1140 Killin Road, Whitebridge from the List of Roads

Report by Director of Transport, Environmental and Community Services

SUMMARY

This report invites Members to approve the deletion of the section of the U1140 Killin Road, between Garrogie Lodge and Killin Lodge, from the List of Roads, subject to there being no unresolved objections.

1. Background

- 1.1 The U1140 Killin Road was first adopted in 1879. Commencing at its junction with the Fort Augustus – Whitebridge – Torness – Dores – Inverness Road (B862) at a point 795 yards south west of where the latter road crosses the River Fechlin it extends in a south easterly direction and terminates at the access road to Killen Lodge. The road is approximately 5 miles 1215 yards long (9.157 km) or thereby. It is a narrow single track road consisting of a carriageway approximately 2.4 metres wide with formal passing places. The road is surfaced from the junction with the B862 along its entire length.
- 1.2 The section of the road from the entrance to Garrogie Lodge to Killin Lodge is in very poor condition. This section is approximately 1.5 miles long and 2.1 metres wide with no formal passing places and serves only two holiday homes. A warning sign has been erected indicating it is not suitable for vehicles.
- 1.3 The deletion of this section of road from the List of Roads removes the Council's liability to maintain it but does not extinguish the right of passage along it.
- 1.4 There would be substantial costs involved in bringing this section of road up to an acceptable standard and additional land would have to be acquired to accommodate passing places.
- 1.5 A location plan is attached at **Appendix A**.

2. Consultation

- 2.1 The Ward Members have been consulted and have agreed to the proposal.
- 2.2 All frontagers must be notified by letter of the Council's intention to delete this section of road. A public notice must also be circulated in at least one local newspaper. These notices will be issued, provided Members agree the recommendation to delete this section of road.

2.3 If there any unresolved objections to the proposals then it will be referred back to Committee for a decision.

3. Cost Implications

3.1 There are no cost implications other than the advertising of the public notice which is approximately £100.

4.1 RECOMMENDATION

4.1 Members are invited to approve the deletion of the section of the U1140 Killin Road, between Garrogie Lodge and Killin Lodge, from the List of Roads, subject to there being no unresolved objections.

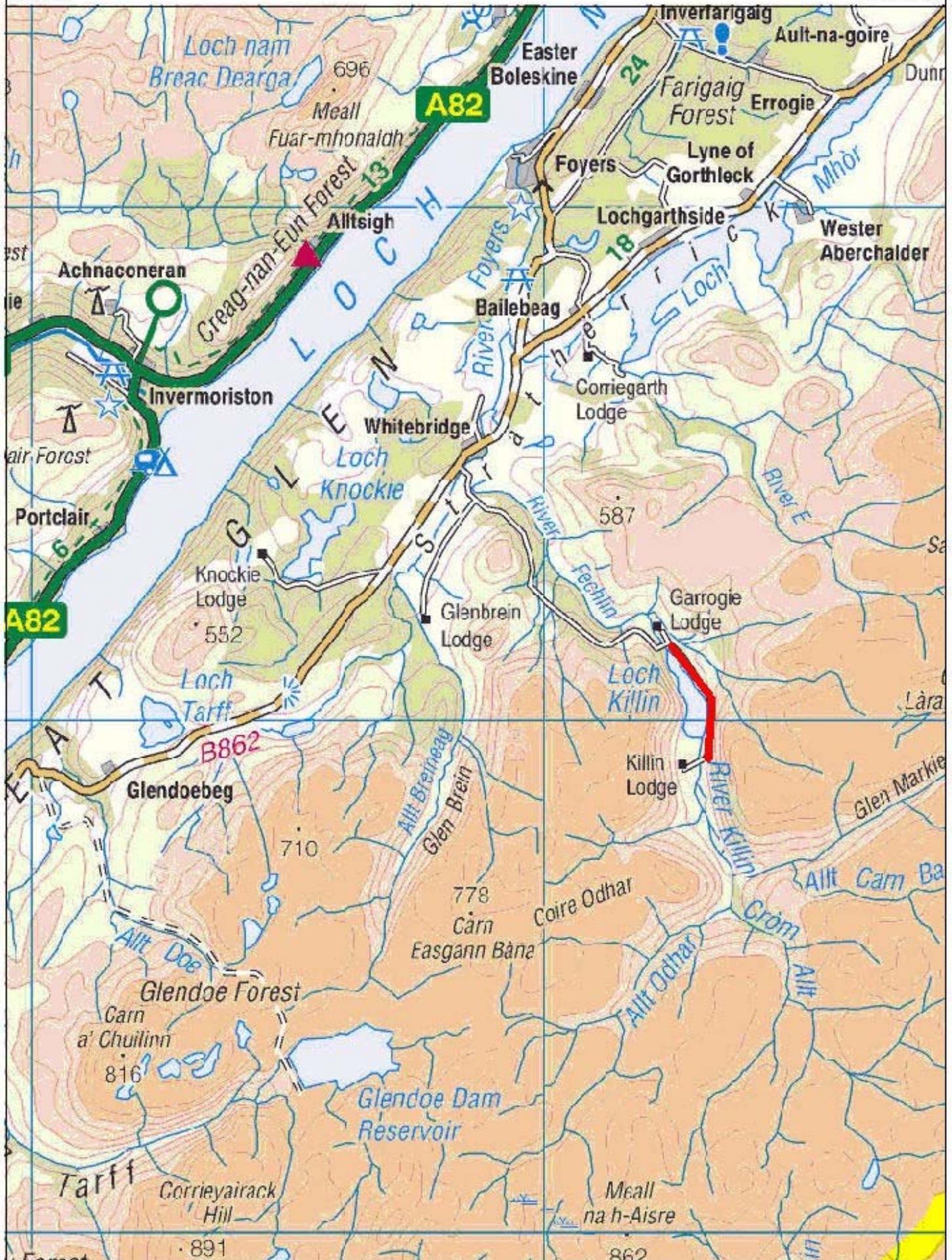
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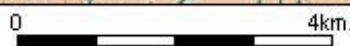
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Background Papers: Plans of area to be deleted from public list of roads



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