

Royal Navy/ MOD and Argyll and Bute Community Planning Partnership

Review of Partnership Working Helensburgh and Lomond Civic Centre

17 January 2024

NOTE OF MEETING

Attendees.

- [REDACTED] Captain of the Base, HMNB Clyde – MOD
- Fergus Murray, Head of Development and Economic Growth, Council
- [REDACTED] Chief of Staff, HMNB Clyde - MOD
- Pippa Milne, Chief Executive - Council
- [REDACTED], Commodore, HMNB Clyde - MOD
- Stuart Green, Corporate Support Manager – Council

Apologies

- Kirsty Flanagan, Executive Director - Council
- Ross McLaughlin, Head of Commercial Services - Council

Note of Meeting

1. The Commodore provided a verbal update on the new Estate Management Plan (EMP).
2. The emergence of the critical issue with RAAC caused significant disruption to the estate within HMNB Clyde and an unexpected need for extensive temporary arrangements. Consequently this sharpened thinking about what needs to be on the base and what can be relocated out of the base.
3. The EMP was informed by up to date calculations on future number of berths, personnel and accommodation units required which will effectively double over the longer period.
4. Development of a vision (North Star) supported by an emerging Masterplan on what HMNB Clyde should look like and is informed by;
 - i. A review of zones and optimum flow of personnel and information.
 - ii. Understanding of space and permissible uses.
5. The vision provides;
 - i. A singular vision for the MOD, partners and stakeholders.
 - ii. A route to delivery of the Masterplan (2070).

- iii. Clear signalling to markets and strategic partners (e.g. Local Development Plan).
- 6. Noting that the scale of the vision is so significant, work is ongoing to assess capacity within the UK to facilitate this development e.g. planning, environmental, design, development etc.
- 7. The Commodore has 'stood up' two project teams as follows to commence
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