27. Letter to Forestry & Wild Ennerdale Partners

A motion was brought before the Council in November 2022 to write a letter to Forestry England, Wild Ennerdale and other partners. The motion was carried and the task of drafting the letter was delegated to a councillor.

An acceptable draft was never put before the Council, so in the meeting in March 2023 it was resolved that the letter would be drafted after Councillors Outhwaite and Guise had attended the March meeting of Wild Ennerdale and would be able to ask questions. The answers that they received would then steer the wording of the letter.

The Council must decide what they wish to say in the letter and delegate the task of drafting the letter to either a member or officer of the Council. Draft letter to be emailed to all councillors for comment and suggestions until an agreement is reached. Letter then to be sent by the Clerk on behalf of the Council.