

Scotland - Round 3 Awards - Rest of Scotland

| APPLICANT NAME | PROJECT DESCRIPTION | AWARD |
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| North East Scotland Preservation Trust | The project will restore the derelict, category B listed buildings at Back Green, Portsoy and convert them into four star bunkhouse accommodation. The project will bring economic benefit to the whole area, support local businesses, create new jobs and apprenticeships, provide workplace training opportunities and safeguard local jobs. | £601,148 |
| Dundee Museums Foundation | The grant will contribute to the delivery of the Victoria and Albert Museum of Design Dundee which will be an iconic cornerstone in Dundee's waterfront regeneration, creating both direct and indirect jobs. | £500,000 |
| RSPB Scotland | The project will upgrade and expand the existing volunteer and visitor facilities at Loch of Strathbeg coastal nature reserve, creating volunteering roles annually and bringing significant economic benefit to the area from wildlife tourism and increased local expenditure. | £58,575 |
| Ayr Renaissance | The project will establish a heritage trail in Ayr Town centre that connects visitor destinations with economic and transportation | £95,000 |

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| | nodes. It will support local businesses and jobs by bringing more visitors into the town, creating new and safeguarding existing jobs. | |
| Caledonian Maritime Assets Ltd (CMAL) | The grant will contribute to the wider regeneration of Brodick Harbour, which will make the Island of Arran an even more accessible destination, and will create employment opportunities in the tourism sector estimated through increased visitor numbers and expenditure. | £350,000 |
| Scottish Canals | The project will support the transformation of Bowling Basin in West Dunbartonshire into a vibrant tourism and leisure destination by improving the public realm and visitor facilities, and developing four new business units, which will create and safeguard jobs and bring wider economic benefits to the area. | £882,413 |
| Scottish Fisheries Museum Trust Ltd | The project will consolidate and develop boat-building and boat restoration/conservation as a sustainable activity at the Scottish Fisheries Museum in Anstruther. This will conserve the Museum's own vessels whilst keeping traditional boat-building skills alive and creating business and employment opportunities. | £175,858 |
| Fife Council | The project will result in the creation of a new Landing Platform at the Town Pier in North Queensferry. The overarching aim is to attract more visitors by waterborne means and to grow and sustain local economic infrastructure to support increased visitor numbers. | £754,439 |
| Dumfries and Galloway | The project will create a new | £400,000 |

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| Council | vibrant visitors attraction and sea front asset within Agnew Park, Stranraer Waterfront. The project will create direct and indirect jobs and a number of modern apprenticeships and will sustain local jobs and businesses. | |
| Perth and Kinross Council <i>(awarded March 2015)</i> | The award to Perth and Kinross Council's Inner Tay Regeneration Scheme will see the installation of pontoon landing stages at three locations on the Inner Firth of Tay - Perth, Elcho Castle and Willowgate. The project will deliver sustainable economic growth, generating increased visitor numbers and employment and skills opportunities, and will work closely with the Tay and Earn Trust (TET) to manage the operational delivery of the project once complete. | £693,000 |
| East Lothian Council <i>(awarded May 2015)</i> | East Lothian's Coastal Communities Improvement Project will continue the upgrading and improvement of the local coastal paths of the John Muir Way and cycle routes of the National Cycle Network through local apprenticeship opportunities, leading to an increase in visitor numbers which will, in turn, boost the income of local coastal businesses generating employment. | £138,958 |
| Field Studies Council <i>(awarded May 2015)</i> | The Field Studies Council will undertake a phased redevelopment of the Marine Station on the Isle of Cumbrae in the Clyde Estuary to provide informative and enjoyable educational and research opportunities for people of all ages and abilities to discover, explore, be inspired by, and understand the natural environment. The project will create and safeguard jobs on the island and surrounding | £274,482 |

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| | communities, and the refurbished facilities will allow visitors to make the most of their stay at the Marine Station and on the Island. | |
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| Argyll and Bute Council | Based in Rothesay on the Isle of Bute this project aims to redevelop the Grade A listed Rothesay Pavilion on the town's seafront into a centre for cultural, commercial and community use, to comprise a year round programme of exhibitions, a cafe/restaurant, retail, meeting and function space and office space for business lets. The project will carry out repairs to the roof; windows, stonework and architectural features, and the redevelopment of the building will create direct jobs for local people and support the island economy by boosting visitor numbers. | £600,000 |
| Barra & Vatersay Community Ltd | To install a set of pontoons in Castlebay Harbour for the use of the local water sports clubs, local residents and visiting yachtsmen to improve access to marine pursuits and increase the safety of water sports participants. The project will directly benefit the existing water sports clubs and yachtsmen and will indirectly benefit the local shops, hotels and cafes by encouraging more visitors to the island due to the increased facilities available. | £906,781 |
| Campbeltown Community Business Limited | To place the restored historic Campbeltown Picture House at the centre of the town's regeneration. Campbeltown Community Business Ltd will restore the 1930's A-listed | £535,682 |

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| | Picture House and add contemporary facilities which will radically improve the audience experience and ensure that the venue can operate successfully as a sustainable community-based business and cultural hub for the wider Kintyre peninsula. | |
| Camuscross and Duisdale Initiative | Based in Sleat on the Isle of Skye, the award will contribute to the creation of a community hub with an activity space, shop and café, with a focus on local food, including local seafood run as social enterprises, providing local employment, for the benefit of our coastal community and visitors, including those who arrive by ferry. | £862,775 |
| Carbost Pier | The project will complete the provision of harbour facilities at Carbost on the west coast of the Isle of Skye by constructing a boat launching slipway and completing the upgrade of the access road to the pier, slipway, and pontoon jetty, benefitting the local economy through additional demand for shore support and maintenance, watersports, retail and tourism provision. | £270,100 |
| Colintraive and Glendaruel Development Trust | To make improvements to the Cowal Way, a 57 mile coastal path connecting Portavadie in south west Cowal to Loch Lomond and raising the path to the standard required of 'Scotland's Great Trails' to benefit from greater and sustained promotion that such trails enjoy. The project will create direct employment and will benefit businesses along the route. | £418,950 |
| Findhorn Village Centre | This project based in Findhorn in Moray will refurbish the existing Victorian style hostel to modern, energy efficient standards, | £167,437 |

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| | <p>upgrading heating, insulation, windows, kitchen and living space to extend the length of the letting season. A new marketing campaign will draw in more visitors (groups and individuals) to the refurbished hostel offering high quality accommodation at a low cost all year round.</p> | |
| GlobalYell Limited | <p>The project will improve facilities; provide sustainable employment and generate an income for GlobalYell Ltd which will support the textile industries of Shetland in particular and weaver development more broadly - providing jobs and opportunities in Shetland and benefiting the sector through supply chain development from manufacture through to retailing.</p> | £141,000 |
| Lochboisdale Development Limited | <p>To transform redundant quayside space in Lochboisdale in South Uist into a vibrant and commercially productive area. Capital works will enhance and develop the quayside ensuring that it is easier to access by all and a pontoon will provide access to the water. Digital interpretation screens will provide cultural and heritage information for visitors and involve the local community in producing the content for these digital pods. The overall plan will incorporate a seating area, shelter, landscaping and a viewpoint feature to help create the space as an attractive destination boosting tourism and local business.</p> | £310,473 |
| Papay Development Trust | <p>The project will establish an integrated environmental conservation, heritage and crafts programme for the island of Papa Westray (or Papay) in the Orkney Islands through the creation of direct jobs, benefitting the local</p> | £279,107 |

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| | community co-operative, small businesses and wider island community. | |
| Scottish Wildlife Trust | This 1 year project based in Lochinver in the Highlands of Scotland aims to address the lack of employment and training in this remote area by supporting a tree nursery social enterprise creating sustainable jobs, providing much needed training and practical experience to local beneficiaries. | £183,459 |
| Shetland Amenity Trust | To establish a fully accredited training programme to equip future generations with the skills necessary to build, repair and maintain traditional Shetland wooden boats, thereby preserving a precious and fragile skills resource. The project will also upgrade the historic boat sheds adjacent to Shetland Museum and Archive, and construct a boat building workshop and storage facility. | £105,000 |
| Tarbert (Loch Fyne) Harbour Authority | The project will upgrade smaller summer pontoons and provide additional berthing facilities for larger boats and better disabled access at the harbour on Loch Fyne. The project will increase visitor capacity, enable the growth of the existing business and benefit local businesses, creating indirect and direct jobs. The planned upgrades will further enhance the economic opportunities that are being experienced in the wider Clyde estuary. | £600,000 |
| The Dornoch Area CIC | Based in Dornoch, East Sutherland, this project aims to increase visitor spend by implementing a marketing strategy to develop the day trip market, attract more tourists in the shoulder months and encourage longer visitor stay. The strategy | £195,175 |

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| | includes a holistic approach to on and off-site digital and physical signposting. | |
| The Scottish Submarine Trust | The grant will contribute to exhibition infrastructure for the Scottish Submarine Museum which will attract visitors to our town centre and in so doing, create employment, sustain jobs, regenerate the town centre and educate visitors about the history of submarines The museum will be unique and expects to receive 25,000 visitors per annum which will benefit local businesses through increased visitor spend. | £106,000 |
| The Unst Partnership | The project will develop and promote tourism on Unst in the Shetland Islands by bringing together existing services, providers and organisations to maximise Unst's tourism potential. The partnership will create a tourism strategy, run events and tour packages and build up the local economy whilst promoting local tourism providers through an enhanced website. | £132,348 |
| Tighean Innse Gall | The project will support and improve energy efficiency and promote the use of renewables for B & B's, self catering and small tourism related businesses throughout the Western Isles and promote the islands as an eco-tourism destination "The Energy Isles - Low carbon tourism in the Outer Hebrides". | £497,419 |
| Tobermory Harbour Association | The project will deliver improvements to visitor facilities and infrastructure at Tobermory Harbour on the Isle of Mull. Car park, signage and promenade improvements will better connect facilities in and around the Harbour | £309,882 |

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| | area, supporting local tourist, hotel, catering and nature tour businesses, and creating direct and indirect jobs within the local and wider island economy. | |
| Uist Wool Limited | Based on North Uist in the Western Isles, the project will construct a wool centre and drying loft at the existing Mill creating an interpretative area, workshop, office, amenities, and passive solar drying loft. The project will secure jobs through enterprise and tourism throughout the islands communities. | £225,000 |
| Vatersay Community Association | CCF funding will contribute to the upgrade and extension of the community hub on the Island of Vatersay in the Western Isles, creating a unique multi-purpose Centre incorporating first class community and visitor facilities which will create and sustain jobs, support marine development and encourage future business opportunities within the small island community. | £443,068 |
| Wild Things | The project will strengthen wildlife tourism in Moray by enhancing coastal path networks, conserving fragile coastal habitats, and providing training and work experience for our local communities. The project will directly create new jobs, an apprentice post and provide training, skills, qualifications and work experience for local people | £142,647 |