



Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park Authority  
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FOI Ref: 2024-047  
Date: 27 September 2024

Dear

## **REQUEST UNDER FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002**

Thank you for your information access request, which we received by email on 21 September 2024 and have processed under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002. Our response is provided below.

### **Your Request**

*I was looking for the video of the meeting around the Flamingo Land decision as I started watching some of it, but it has since been removed. This is in the public's interest so should be available to the public. Please can this be made available again please.*

### **Our Response**

Under section 17(1) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, a public authority is required to notify the applicant if the information they have requested is not held. I can confirm that the National Park Authority does not hold the information you have requested in this instance. Specifically, we do not hold a recording of the board meeting that took place on 16 September 2024.

The 16 September 2024 board meeting was held in public and broadcast live over the internet. Furthermore, to accommodate the attendance of as many people as possible, the venue of the meeting was changed, from the National Park Authority's headquarters on Carrochan Road, to Lomond Parish Church. While this relocation allowed for greater attendance at the meeting, it meant that the National Park Authority had to employ the services of an external company to ensure the event could be broadcast live. As a result, the National Park Authority does not hold a recording of the meeting.

Please note that the draft minutes of the meeting are available online at the following link:

<https://www.lochlomond-trossachs.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/Agenda-Item-3-Draft-Minutes-of-Board-Meeting-16092024-FINAL.pdf>

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### **Further Information**

If you are unhappy with our response, you can ask us to review our handling of your request. Further information about the review process and your right of appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner is provided in the attached sheet.

Yours sincerely

**Information Management**  
**Loch Lomond and the Trossachs National Park Authority**

## Review Procedure

If you are dissatisfied with this decision, or the way in which the Authority has dealt with your request, you are entitled to require the Authority to review its decision. Please note that in order for a review to take place you are required to:

- Send your request for review in writing, setting out in full the reasons why you are requesting a review.
- Submit your review request within 40 working days of either the date on which you received a response from the Authority or the date by which you should have received a response under the terms of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, whichever is the later.
- address your review request to:

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The review will be handled by staff who were not involved in the original decision. You will receive notice of the result of your review within 20 working days.

If you are not satisfied with the response to your request for review, you can contact the Scottish Information Commissioner, the independent body which oversees the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, at:

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