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Balloch Park Regeneration Group,

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Re – L.L.A.I.A Support For Your Application For a Riverwoods Project.

Dear Audrey,

Further to your recent communication to the L.L.A.I.A and meeting with myself. I can now confirm that the L.L.A.I.A committee would fully support your group in its submission to Riverwoods.

Our Association which has existed for over 140 years to manage the fishings on the whole of the Loch Lomond catchment. Our aims have always been to improve the whole fishery for all fish species and that includes every water course, burn and river.

As the riparian owners of the fishings on the R Leven and Loch Lomond your project to improve and enhance the water courses and burns through Balloch Park and adjoin the park would get our whole heartedly support. The burns just slightly downstream in Balloch the Haldane and Carrochan burn hold a number of fish species including Salmonids and also, we know that Sea Lamprey enter and spawn within the mouth of the Haldane burn.

We are sure with the appropriate improvements and ongoing care the same species could inhabit the watercourses in Balloch Park.

Our Association would wish to be kept informed of the progress of your application as we would look to see where we can support your group further if things progress. We would also indicate that the local fisheries Trust would also be a valuable source of help in this project.

On behalf of the L.L.A.I.A we wish you the very best of success in your application, and if somebody needs to speak with us from Riverwoods then please put them in contact with myself.

Yours Sincerely

Gareth Bourhill
L.L.A.I.A Secretary