

Heathfield Sand And Gravel Extension at Wester and Easter Coillimore

Drop-in Consultation Event

Station Hotel, Alness
3.00-4.30pm and 5.30-7.00pm,
Tuesday 23 June, 2026

Reinstatement and Habitat

Land will be reinstated as the extraction process proceeds, providing new woodland and ponds. This will be controlled by conditions attached to the planning permission. A reinstatement bond will also be required.

Paths will provide access for local people and visitors around the ponds. A new public car park will be formed at the south east, within the existing quarry. There are additional ponds completed and currently being formed in this part of the existing quarry. A secure play area will also be provided.

Habitat surveys have been undertaken in support of the planning application. Initial surveys indicate no significant issues with habitat and protected species. Measures to enhance habitat are suggested and these are reflected in the reinstatement proposals.

Updated seasonal surveys are continuing, including detailed studies to review any potential impacts on osprey and capercaillie.

The pond, path and reinstatement images shown have been completed locally in recent years by the applicant.

