



Asset Transfer Request
Reporting Template 20 23/24

If not please provide the name, job title and email address for the lead contact for any queries:

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Section 2: Asset Transfer Data in 20 23/24

2.1 Please complete the following table for the 2023/24 reporting period :

| Total Applications Received | Number of successful applications determined | Number of unsuccessful applications determined | Number received and yet to be determined | Number received prior to 2023/24 and yet to be determined |
|-----------------------------|--|--|--|---|
| None | None | None | None | None |

2.2 Please provide details of Asset Transfer Requests received which resulted in transfer of ownership, lease, or rights from your relevant authority to a community transfer body in 2023/24:

2.3 Please provide details of Asset Transfer Requests that went to a relevant authority appeal or review which were concluded in 2023/24:

| Name of Community Transfer Body | Was the Asset Transfer Appeal/Review accepted? (Y/N) | Why was the Appeal/Review accepted/refused? <i>Please provide details of the asset transfer request and reasons for your decision.</i> |
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| None | | |
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2.4 Please use this space to provide any further comments relating to the above data:

Although we have no formal ATRs to report, we have a number of active Expressions of Interest (20) with 7 of these new requests being instigated within the time frame of this report. We view the increase in EOI and subsequent decrease in ATR a positive reflection of the support we are giving to communities to address and articulate their request without requiring them to invoke the legislation and the subsequent, often onerous for groups, process involved.

Section Three –

Section Four – Additional Information

4.1 Please use this space to provide any further feedback not covered in the above sections.

We have redesigned our website and are developing a more user friendly Expression of Interest (EOI) page on our website; displaying less technical and more user friendly text on the page. We are keen to promote that this is an informal option, and it is not part of the formal process which sometimes is seen as onerous. Our new website and revised webpages will make clearer the pathways of taking forward ideas and plans on council assets and Community Asset Transfer. It will include a guide of frequently asked questions and key matters for community groups to consider before they take on an asset and where they can access additional support.

We are also planning to trial some promotional opportunities for community groups to work in partnership with the Council to develop the use/ future sustainability of council assets.

The existing EOI page will be continue to be updated as new ideas come forward

[Asset Transfer Expressions of Interest | Argyll and Bute Council \(argyll-bute.gov.uk\)](https://www.argyll-bute.gov.uk/my-community/communities-and-partnerships/community-asset-transfer)

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Please email the completed template by 30 June 2024 to community.empowerment@gov.scot

If you have any queries please contact Malcolm Cowie, Asset Transfer Policy Manager at Malcolm.cowie@gov.scot