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Our Schools promote 'Growing Spaces' through our curriculum for excellence with a variety of growing spaces, from raised beds, containers to tunnels to grow a wide range of vegetables, fruit and herbs. We have included some pictorial examples throughout this publication to illustrate this.

A number of schools have a variety of programmes in place to gain the necessary skills for food growing. An example of this approach is Tighsathriach Primary School, which has a successful permaculture programme.

Collaborating with local energy experts and renewable energy, building design, landscaping and practical hands-on experiences. The school has a poly tunnel, an orchard and a forage hedge allied with two beds within the local Kyles Allotment Group community growing space which is located within the Kilfinan Community Forestry.

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### Business Outcome 102 We Provide Support, Prevention And Opportunities To Help People Make Better Lifestyle Choices

1. New processes and service arrangements have been implemented to protect the quality of private water supplies

The **Water Intended for Human Consumption (Private Supplies)** (Scotland) Regulations 2017 introduced new duties in locw 11.0428.4 (a)2.0T ihori.4 (a)2ties and a new regime relating o private water supplies on whicw 11.04h cw 11.04ommercw 11.04ial properties were 8.4 (a)2ocw 2 (at)7.9 (e)-3 (d)2.2a(n)B(ut) 3.2 (y)1.35(5)4.573-1 i2)2.

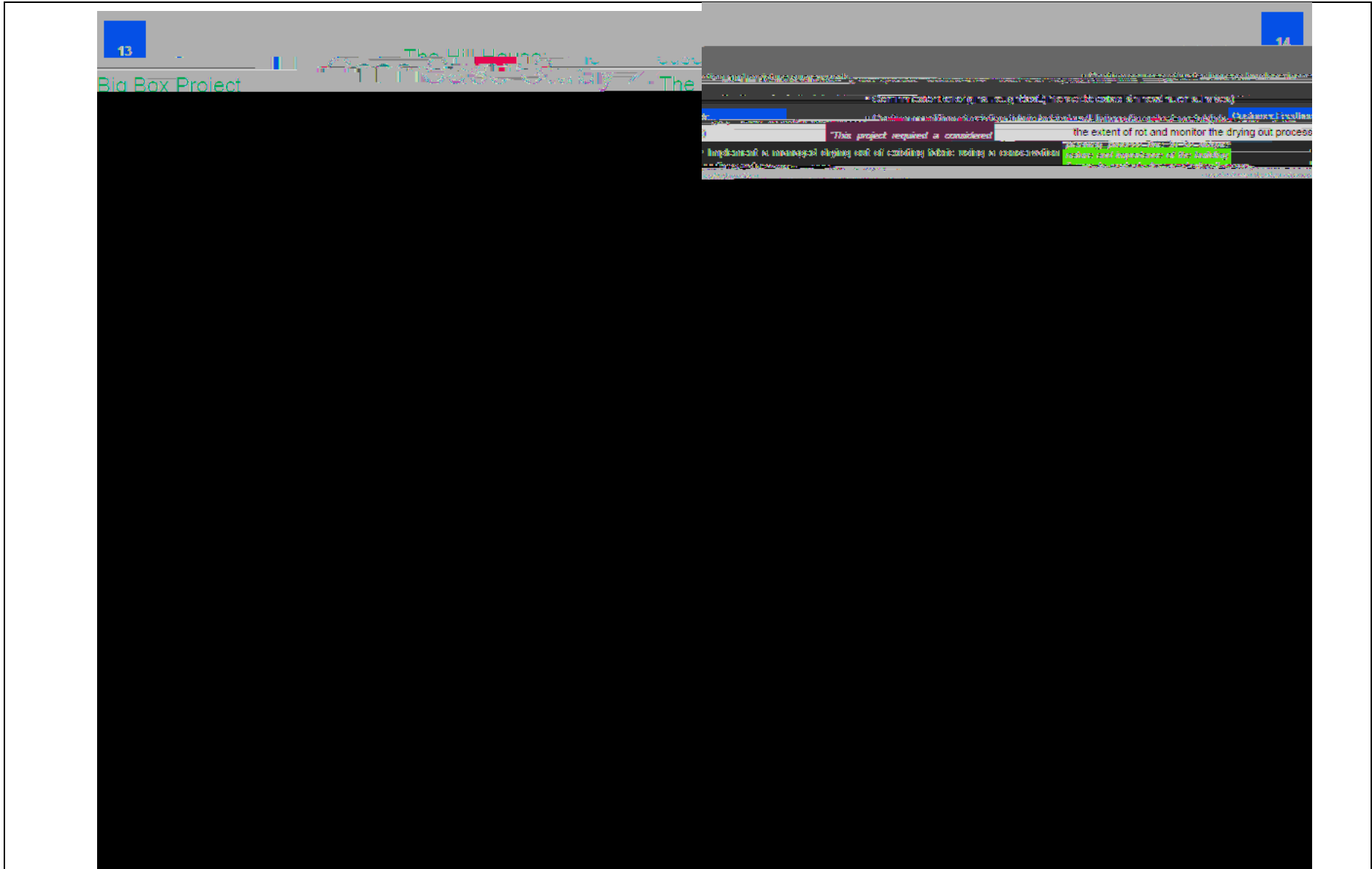


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Corporate Outcome: People Will Live In Safer And Stronger Communities

Business Outcome 105

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### 2. Heritage-led Regeneration Projects

#### a) **Campbeltown Conservation Area Regeneration Scheme (CARS)**

All grant funding committed. Final reporting and evaluation due to be carried out.

5 priority building projects completed within budget safeguarding the future of 14 commercial units and 36 residential units.

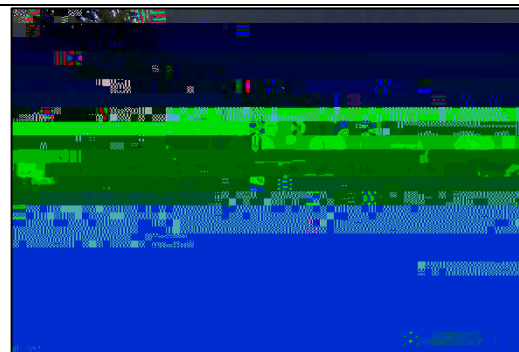
Tenement repair project at 22-30 Main Street/2-8 Longrow South wins Best Collaborative Project at the Howdens Scottish Empty homes Champion of the Year awards 2019.

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Before work started



After work completed

### Corporate Outcome: Our Economy Is Diverse And Thriving

#### Business Outcome 110 We Support Businesses, Employment and Development and Opportunities

##### 1. High hops for Islay Ales thanks to Business Gateway

Islay Ales, a traditional 4-barrel brewery based on the island of Islay, has doubled its turnover after being awarded a grant and receiving specialist support from local advisory service, Business Gateway.

Local entrepreneurs Mackay Smith and Donald MacKenzie approached Business Gateway for support as they embarked on the company's first rebrand and the development of essential training workshops for their small team.

The duo, who also run the established whisky company, The Islay Boys Ltd, have wholly owned Islay Ales since July 2018. Since working with Business Gateway, the business has completely revamped its product offering with the notable introduction of a lager, the development of new recipes and the roll-out of a fresh, contemporary brand for the 15-year-old company.



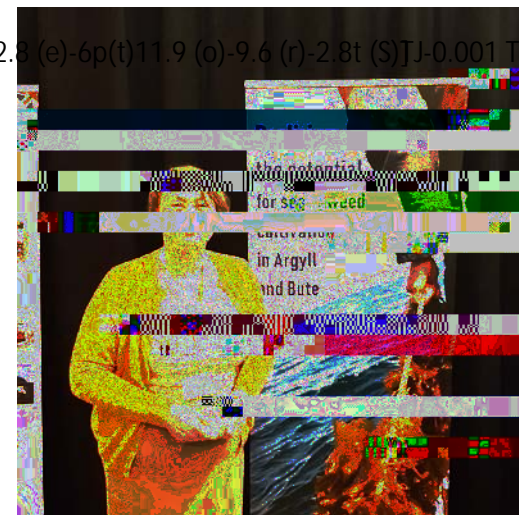
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The increased turnover, which has sparked the growth of the business, has resulted in the installation of a taproom at their brewery and Islay Ales is currently planning work on bigger, bespoke premises. This has created an opportunity for interested parties and investors to be part of the business's future growth plans.

### 2. Seaweed Farming Feasibility Study

Argyll and Bute Council commissioned SAMS to produce a report on the feasibility of Seaweed Farming.

The completed Seaweed Farming Feasibility Study (SFFS) was published



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## Case Study 7 Examples of High Quality Design 2018/19

**The Columbia Hotel, Tarbert**  
Change of use and alteration of former hotel to form 7 residential flats.

Key Issues: Consistent materials, external finish.

proposed location of the building on the Tarbert Conservation Area.

developer will provide sufficient documentation to support the proposals which would allow the listed building conservation area to be used for residential purposes.



[www.columbia-hotel-tarbert.co.uk/#/home](http://www.columbia-hotel-tarbert.co.uk/#/home)

**Premier Inn, Oban**  
Development of an 81 bedroom hotel.

Key Issues: Consistent materials, external finish.

with a dual frontage.

Key matters relating to the design of the building and the palette of materials.



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Plans for the refurbishment and remodeling of the auditorium to incorporate fitness suite, play area and playroom.

Key issues: Consistent materials, external finish, and to revitalize a tired and dated roads network and improve the public realm.

Additional value in location of the building for the Council's Economic Development Strategy supported by the Planning Service as a key element of the Dundee Regeneration Plan.



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