

Dear Founder Member and Anchor Member,

Many thanks for your continued support of Lussa Community Wind with your membership. As you may have read in the Courier, or on our website (<https://kintyrewind.com/lcwl-news/>), we received the fifth tranche of Beinn an Tuirc 3 Community Benefit Funds from SPR in May last year. After deductions for administration costs, this tranche of funds has been donated equally between the three nominated Community Charities of Campbeltown, East Kintyre and West Kintyre. The provision of these funds on a yearly basis for the lifetime of the Beinn an Tuirc 3 windfarm will enable the communities to plan long-term and develop large scale projects that truly benefit the communities.

In this last year, the Community Charities dispensed (or committed to dispense) £207,175 of the £263,709 they received as donations from Lussa Community Wind Ltd to over 50 projects. Given the depth and breadth of the projects, there are too many to go through each one, but I would like to highlight a few to give a flavour of how these funds are helping the sustainability of our Communities as viable places to live and work. For information on the projects that the Charities supported, please see their webpages, which can be accessed via the Kintyre Wind website.

The Campbeltown Community Windfarm Fund, supported the Campbeltown Picture House in the screenings for the Care Home residents and other vulnerable community groups. It also supported the Kintyre Food Bank in supplying Christmas meals, warm items and food to those in need.

The East Kintyre Community Fund supported 5 young apprentices from East Kintyre through bursaries and the installation of a new kitchen in the village Hall for community events and crises resilience.

The West Kintyre Community Fund supported a new spinning and weaving start-up using local wool and the development of a Pump Track for cyclists of all ages at Tayinloan.

Beinn an Tuirc 3 appears to have generated about 110GWh of electricity in the year to December 2025 whilst Beinn an Tuirc 1 & 2 generated about 127GWh of electricity in the same period. Combined this would be enough to power ~14,000 homes - far more than there are in Kintyre! Within Argyll and Bute, SPR employs four local operatives to maintain their windfarms and contracts with a further dozen technicians to assist in this maintenance.

Once again, many thanks for your ongoing support and I hope to see you at our AGM later this summer (6.30pm, Thursday, August 13th). Further comms about the AGM and a zoom link will be sent closer to the date.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rob Lee', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Rob Lee
Chair of Lussa Community Wind Ltd