



Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator

### Trustees' Annual Report for the period

Period start date				Period end date			
From	Day	Month	Year	To	Day	Month	Year
	1 <sup>st</sup>	Dec	2022		30 <sup>th</sup>	Nov	2023

### Reference and administration details

Charity name  
Other names charity is known by

Peffery Way Association

Registered charity number

SC046138

Charity's principal address

Keppoch House

Strathpeffer

Postcode IV14 9AD

### Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Miles Davis			
2	Ian Searle	Treasurer		
3	Clara Hickey			
4	Nessa Findlay			
5	Ron McAulay	Chairman		
6	Chris Monckton			
7	Alison Smith			
8	Mia Sabel			
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## Reference and administration details

**Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)**

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year
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## Structure, governance and management

### Type of governing document

The Peffery Way Association is governed by its constitution which was adopted on 12 October 2015. The Association was granted charitable status by OSCR on 16 November 2015.

### Trustee recruitment and appointment

The current 8 Trustees form the Management Committee which meets on an approximately monthly basis. Membership of the management committee is open to all members and elections are held at the annual meeting, as per the Constitution.

## Objectives and activities

### Charitable purposes

The primary purpose of the Association is to establish and maintain a safe and publicly accessible footpath and cycleway between Strathpeffer and Dingwall. The route of this path will generally follow the line of the old disused railway over its western section and will run parallel with the operational railway over its eastern section. The Association plans to raise funds and encourage the involvement of the local communities at either end of the route and along its length, to help clear the route, build the path and thereafter maintain it.

### Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

At the end of January 2023 came news that the Path Order promoted by The Highland Council in June 2021 had finally been confirmed by Scottish Ministers. (DPEA PPO-270-2). THC Access Team mobilised rapidly to clear the main obstacles and barriers and the PWA were then able to follow with construction this section of the Peffery Way. This work was fully funded by our successful application to the THC Community Regeneration Fund.

Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period

During the course of the year we continued to receive a number of smaller donations, plus one very generous donation from a charitable trust.

Our total for the year from all fundraising, donations and grants came to £55,180.

We held our Annual Members Meeting on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2023.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

Some of the funding we have received is for specific purposes. These funds are identified and tracked as restricted funds in the accounts. At the end of the latest accounting period all restricted funds have been expended and all current funds are held in the general account.

Details of any deficit

Donated facilities and services (if any)

None



## APPENDIX 1

### Other optional information

### Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Ronald William McAulay	Ian Robert Searle
Position (e.g. Chair)	Chairman	Treasurer
Date	17/12/23	16/12/23