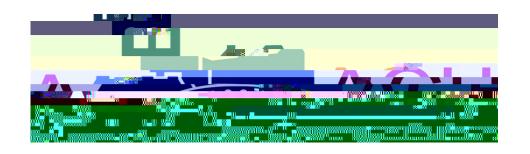


Update to Argyll and Bute Council
Bute and Cowal
Area Committee
Alastair MacGregor
Chief Executive
1st March 2022



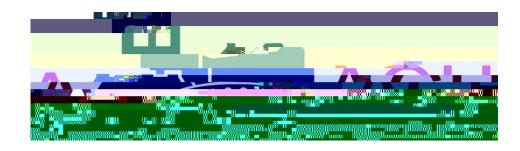
Investment Programme in Bute and Cowal from July 2007 to date

Bute and Cowal					



Investment programme in Bute and Cowal 2021/22

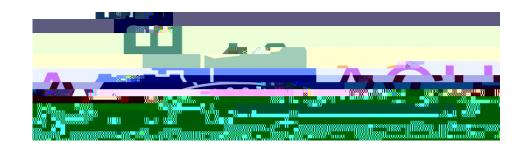
Bute and Cowal				
Element	Projected numbers			
Windows and Doors	6			
Kitchens and Bathrooms	10			
Heating and Rewire	3			
Roof and Roughcast				
Refurbishment				
Total	19			



Windows and Doors

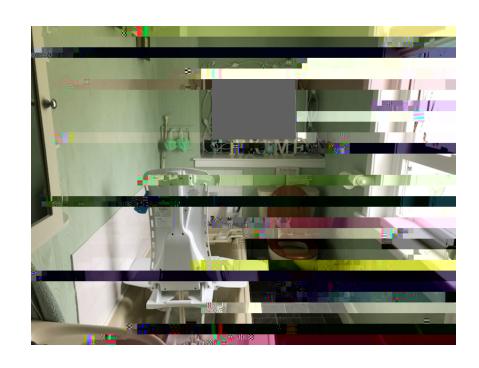
Extensive programmes in previous years have been carried out with the result that the programme this year is targeting any fails we have identified as part of our stock condition survey.

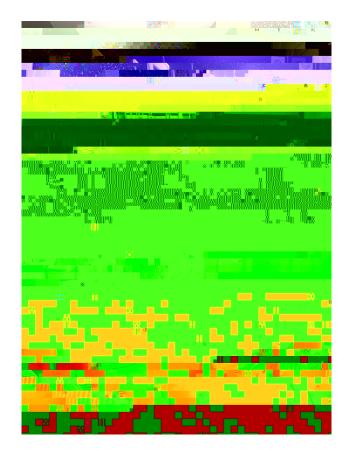
In line with the new energy efficiency standards we are fitting triple glazed windows as standard.



Kitchens & Bathrooms

Adapted bathroom installed for one of our tenants within Cowal and Bute

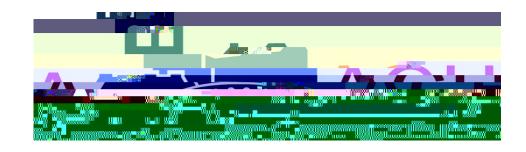






Exemplar Estates

ACHA has committed £300,000 per year for 5 years through Our "Exemplar Estates" initiative to improve the environment i42r.y4/9mc 0.026 0 Tda (hr)3.3 42r.53.3 (or)3.2(e)63.3 (pr)1.28 (per)3. (at)1

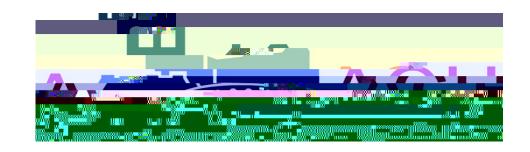


Warm Homes Fund – Heating

Argyll Community Housing Association have been successful in securing £5 million of funding through the Warm Homes Fund in Partnership with OVO Energy (Formerly SSE). ACHA are investing a further £5 million match funding to the project.

We are currently installing Air Source Heat Pump heating systems throughout a number of the Associations properties which meet the criteria for this heating type.

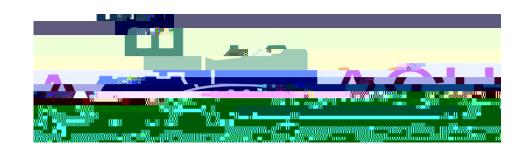
The contract targets 845 Argyll Community Housing properties it also includes the potential for 200 private homes to benefit from this project.



BEIS – Whole House Retrofit Programme

ACHA have won funding through a central government scheme to retrofit energy efficiency measures to 130 of our homes including, external wall, internal wall, under floor insulation, windows and doors and renewable heating systems.

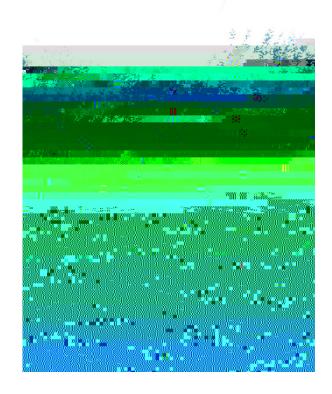
We are retrofitting 27 houses in Cowal and Bute.

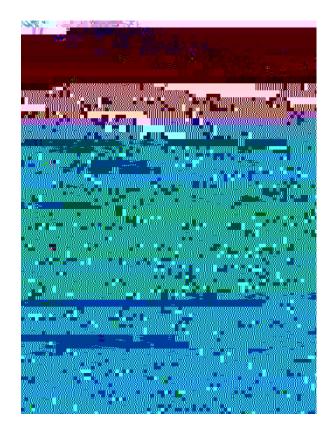


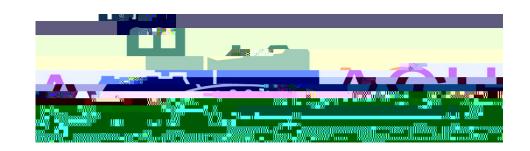
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Columshill, Rothesay - Before



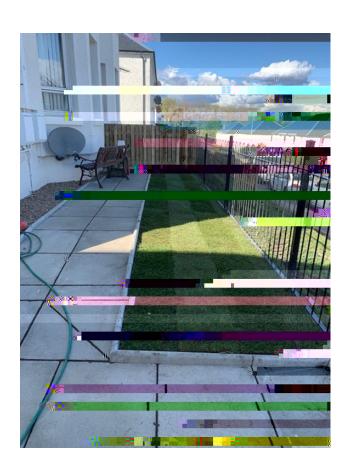






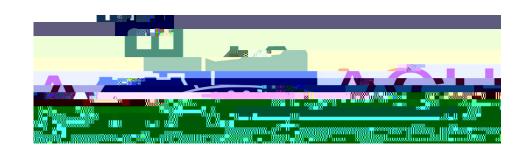
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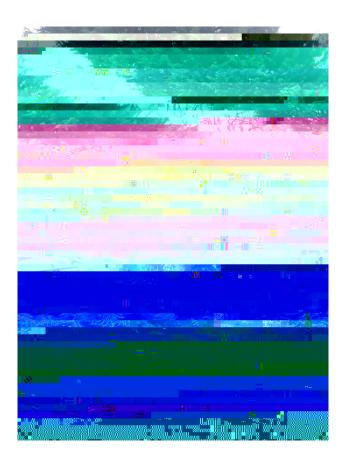


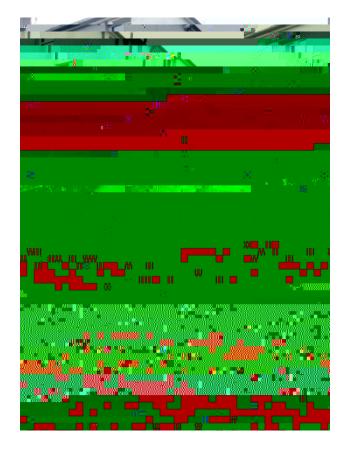


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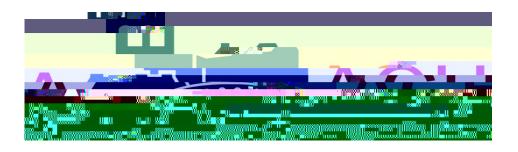
Longhill Crescent, Rothesay - Before





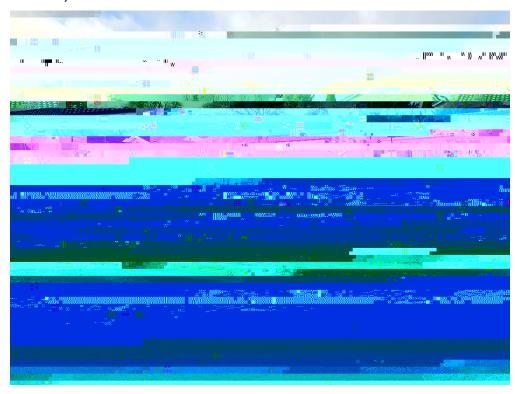


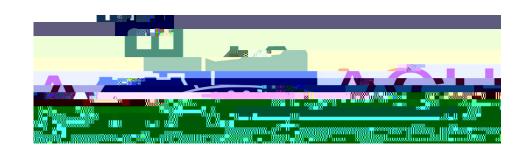
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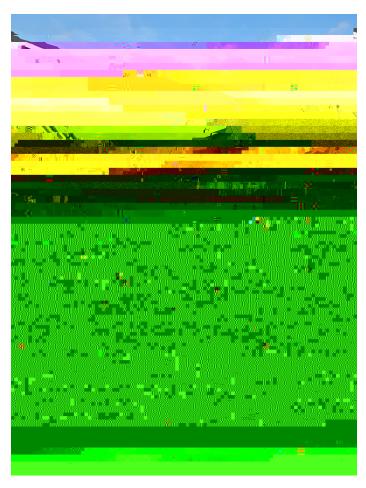


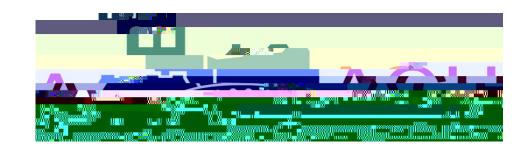
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Extensive work completed to replace old chain link fencing with robust bow top fences and beech hedging at Cowal Place, Dunoon







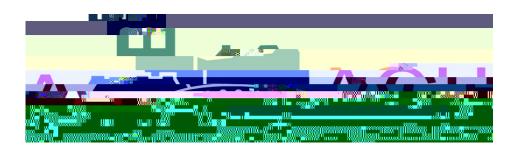


Demolitions

We have now completed the final demolitions at Eton Avenue in Dunoon and Columshill on Rothesay.

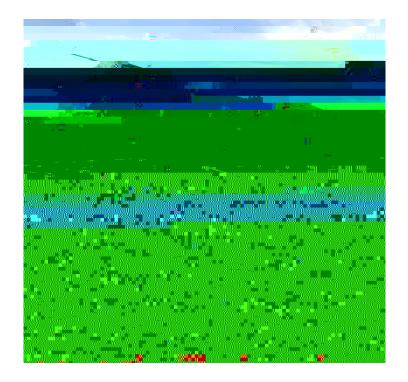
The vacant site at Eton Ave is be redeveloped for housing for particular needs.

The vacant site at Columshill is to be redeveloped for additional parking.

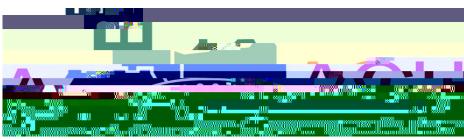


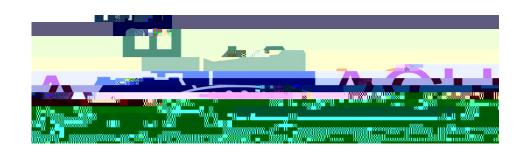
Eton Avenue











Welfare Rights

The welfare rights service has continued to work through the pandemic and produced the following results:

Overall Income total for all areas £1,844,195.30

Overall number of clients 694

Area Updates Total Clients

Lomond: £459,925.76 144

OLI: £445,248.77 175

MAK: £425,399.44 179

C& B: £513,621.40 196



