

# Highland Environment Forum 13th March 2018

**Venue:** Great Glen House, Inverness

If you'd like to come along, get in touch with Caroline at [highlandenvironmentforum@gmail.com](mailto:highlandenvironmentforum@gmail.com) to book a place. Lunch is provided, so say if you have any dietary requirements.

## Agenda

Time	Subject	Speaker
9.30	Tea/Coffee	
10.00	Welcome	George Hogg, SNH
	<b>Climate Change</b>	
10.20	New Government targets: A role for everyone in meeting them	Keith Masson, Highland Council
10.35	Introducing the Inverness carbon baseline report	
10.45	Highlights from the Inverness carbon baseline report. Where is action needed?	Archie Prentice, Practically Green Susan Carstairs
11.15	Satellite Radar - A future orbital ECG for measuring peatland health in the Flow Country	Chris Marshall, UHI Environmental Research Institute
11.35	Discussion	
11.55	Comfort Break	
12.05	Workshop introduction. How behaviour change models can identify gaps and opportunities in people's engagement with the natural environment, and how HEF can contribute.	Keith Masson
12.15	Workshop	
13.15	Lunch	
	<b>Current and Future work</b>	
14.15	What's the Forum been up to?  Reports from the working groups  Outdoor Volunteering Biodiversity Invasive Species Marine Litter	
15.00	Future work - discussion and adoption of proposed way forward	Nicole Wallace, Highland Council
15.40	Thanks and close of meeting	George Hogg

The Highland Environment Forum was established to provide an arena for discussion, networking and action on environmental subjects.

The aims of the Forum are to:

- Foster and coordinate activity on environmental matters.
- Take forward relevant actions identified in the Highland Outcome Improvement Plan and be a valuable source of practical advice.
- Identify, and respond to, emerging environmental agendas.
- Provide a link between local groups and national strategies, action plans and reporting.
- Raise awareness and promote good practice on environmental issues.

