



APPROVALS LIST – ARGYLL AND THE ISLANDS ENTERPRISE

June 2006

The following are funds approved up to the last day of the month. Please note that the sums relate to approvals, not payments. While finance may be approved, for a business investment for example, it does not guarantee that the developments will go ahead. The approval simply shows that funds have been made available by Argyll and the Islands Enterprise, but they will not be released until evidence is received that the project or activity has gone ahead.

HIE Network financial assistance for business

Financial assistance to help new and existing businesses to expand and develop.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Funding (£)	Total Project Costs
Majestic Line	Dunoon	Conversion of fishing vessel (Ref 38210)	£38,500 # £31,500	£460,000
Proform Marine Ltd	Dunoon	Purchase of power boat (Ref 38349)	£9,282	£30,939
Henshelwoods Fine Foods	Rothesay, Isle of Bute	Attend trade fair (Ref 38440)	£2,100	£5,220
Andrew Durie	Salen, Isle of Mull	Upgrade fishing vessel's to meet health and safety (Ref 38442)	£3,700	£12,200
Rosemary Burgess	Fionnphort, Isle of Mull	Develop market garden (Ref 38573)	£2,500	£8,200
Integrin Advanced Biosystems	Barcaldine	Workforce development grant (Ref 38363)	£12,400	£31,000
Sasha Hampton	Lochgilphead	Workforce development grant (Ref 38413)	£330	£1,100
Stewart's Garage	Dunoon	Workforce development grant (Ref 38415)	£593	£1,975
Oban & Lorn Community Enterprise Ltd	Oban	Workforce development grant for Atlantis Leisure (Ref 38499)	£6,700	£22,300
Argyll Heating Ltd	Oban	Workforce development grant (Ref 38530)	£365	£1,216
Cousin & Armour Veterinary Surgery	Campbeltown	Workforce development grant (Ref 38566)	£1,900	£6,400
R S MacColl & Son	Appin	Workforce development grant (Ref 38575)	£3,120	£10,400

HIE ACTIVITY - EU funds to encourage businesses in the activity holiday, visitor attractions and the events sectors to enhance quality, through more targeted, niche tourism product development and marketing.

Business start-up

Financial support for new business start-ups.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Grant (£)
William McFetridge	Millport, Isle of Cumbrae	Dawn Rise Fishing charters	£3,500
John and Ian Paterson	Slidery, Isle of Arran	Arran Falcons	£3,500
Paul Jameson	Lamlash, Isle of Arran	Bespoke kitchen & bedroom fitter	£4,500
Karen Goodchild	Tarbert	Lochgfyne Boatyard	£3,500
Philip Price	Kilchrenan	Loch Visions photographic services	£3,500
Shona Lennon	Millport, Isle of Cumbrae	Millport Express, land train tourist attraction	£2,500
Kathleen Mirrlees	Strachur	Mobile tanning	£1,000

HIE Network financial assistance for global connections

Financial assistance for organisations to develop and enhance their global connections.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Funding (£)	Total Project Costs
Forestry Commission Scotland	Kilmichael	Production of development plan (Ref 38580)	£6,600	£13,820

HIE Network financial assistance for skills development

Support for organisations wishing to develop new skills.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Funding (£)	Total Project Costs
Kris Laird	Kilmichael Glassery	360° digger course	£752	£1,504
Midton Acrylics Ltd	Lochgilphead	Graduate Programme	£15,200	£50,000
Number of Skillseeker Starts =		5		
Number of Modern Apprentices=		1		
Number of Modern Apprentices 25+ =		8		
Number of Get Ready for Work Starts=		5		
Number of Training for Work Starts =		19		

HIE Network financial assistance for community projects

Financial support for a wide range of community-based projects.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Funding (£)	Total Project Costs
Kirn Gala Committee	Kirn, Dunoon	Assist gala event (Ref 38463)	£800	£4,330
Tarbert Festivals Committee	Tarbert	Costs and development of seafood festival (Ref 38472)	£5,000	£20,400
Islay Energy Trust	Bowmore, Isle of Islay	Assistance in the purchase of equipment (Ref 38474)	£2,000	£3,884
Arran Junior Sailing Club	Brodick, Isle of Arran	Support in providing hard standing (Ref 38481)	£2,866	£9,554
Ross of Mull Historical Centre	Isle of Mull	Refurbishment of Millbrae cottage museum (Ref 38521)	£24,869 £32,000*	£90,676
Development Coll Ltd	Arinagour, Isle of Coll	Cost and design of environmental improvements for Arinagour (Ref 38574)	£1,760	£3,520

* EU Community Economic Development (CED) funding.