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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 19 November 2021 09:59
To: Director of Environment & Forestry
Cc: Signorini D (David); [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: [REDACTED] - woodland point for Cab Sec budget note

Thanks Kevin,

Much appreciated. I assume that updated note will only include ENFOR related information? We're still working through briefing for our individual ministers.

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[REDACTED]
Director of Finance and Corporate Services
Transport Scotland

I am currently working from home Monday to Friday. I do have young children at home during this time so will endeavour to reply to emails and calls as soon as possible.



Transport Scotland, the national transport agency
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Subject: [REDACTED] - woodland point for Cab Sec budget note

Hi [REDACTED] – see woodland point in yellow below for Cab Sec budget note.

Beyond that Karen & Simon are pulling together another short "update on budget" note for Ms Slater and Ms McAllan setting out latest headlines, pressures and consequences (and implicit arguments to make to Kate Forbes). We'll get that up today. That will include a few crunchy points for Cab Sec to make on wider Nature / Env /Circular Economy stuff.

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Cc: [redacted]@forestry.gov.scot>

Subject: RE: ACTION - Dave/[redacted] - 2-3 lines only on example of budget impact to [redacted] by tmrw 1pm Friday

Hi Kevin,

- Woodland creation targets are going up by around 11% a year, yet we're faced with a 17% cut in our Forestry Grant Scheme CDEL budget. At current grant rates, that's going to result in a shortfall of over 4,000 hectares against our target for 2022-23 of 15,000 hectares, putting us far behind where we need to be on the Climate Change Plan.

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