

<b>Title of Report:</b>	<b>Dalradian Gold Ltd – invitation to visit site</b>
<b>Committee Report Submitted To:</b>	<b>Planning Committee</b>
<b>Date of Meeting:</b>	<b>27 April 2022</b>
<b>For Decision or For Information</b>	<b>For Decision</b>

<b>Linkage to Council Strategy (2021-25)</b>	
Strategic Theme	Improvement and Innovation
Outcome	Council maintains its performance as the most efficient of NI's local authorities
Lead Officer	Head of Planning

<b>Budgetary Considerations</b>	
Cost of Proposal	Individual mileage of Members and staff
Included in Current Year Estimates	
Capital/Revenue	Revenue
Code	34001
Staffing Costs	

<b>Screening Requirements</b>	Required for new or revised Policies, Plans, Strategies or Service Delivery Proposals.		
Section 75 Screening	Screening Completed:	N/A	Date:
	EQIA Required and Completed:	N/A	Date:
Rural Needs Assessment (RNA)	Screening Completed	N/A	Date:
	RNA Required and Completed:	N/A	Date:
Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA)	Screening Completed:	N/A	Date:
	DPIA Required and Completed:	N/A	Date:

## FOR DECISION

### 1.0 Background

1.1 This Report is to provide Members with details on the invitation issued by Dalradian Gold Ltd to visit their site and arrangements previously made with limited update in attendance.

### 2.0 Details

2.1 On 25 October 2021 Mr Brian Kelly, Managing Director of Dalradian Gold Ltd wrote to Council in relation to their planning application and its referral to the Planning Appeals Commission by the DfI Minister. Mr Kelly invited Members to a site visit at the Dalradian site.

2.2 The invitation was discussed at the Planning Committee meeting held on 24 November 2021 when it was resolved that the Planning committee send a delegation, subject to clarification from the Head of Planning on venue and timing of event.

2.3 Details of the site visit to be held on 25 March 2022 issued to Planning Committee Members on 02 March 2022. Unfortunately, only 1 Member was available to attend and therefore the site visit was postponed.

2.4 This report seeks members agreement to:

- Option 1 – decline the offer to visit the Dalradian site
- Option 2 – schedule a further date for the visit to the Dalradian site

### 3.0 Recommendation:

3.1 **IT IS RECOMMENDED** that the Committee notes the Report and AGREES to either Option 1 to decline the invite or Option 2 to schedule a further date for the visit to the Dalradian site.