

Motion by Councillors J Duff and G Laing

MÒD NÀISEANTA RÌOGHAIL PHEAIRT / ROYAL NATIONAL MOD PERTH 2022

That this Council:

- Congratulates everyone involved in the organisation and delivery of the recent Royal National Mod and the Mod Fringe held in the City of Perth and recognises, with grateful appreciation, the significantly successful return of this major Gaelic cultural festival to Perth after an absence of 18 years;
- Acknowledges the contribution of An Comunn Gàidhealach, the Local Organising Committee, Perth Gaelic Society, the many volunteers, partners and official sponsors of the event, as well as the considerable input from officers and staff of Perth and Kinross Council, CulturePK, Horsecross Arts and Live Active Leisure, in making this 9-day event such a well-organised and enjoyable occasion;
- Recognises that the quality of delivery of this year's Royal National Mod, the Mod Fringe and its many excellent venues has reflected well on the city of Perth and Perth and Kinross in general and has brought numerous positive messages of gratitude for the warm, welcoming and helpful atmosphere experienced by those attending;
- Appreciates the considerable support provided by city centre businesses, as well as hospitality and accommodation providers in helping to provide that warm and friendly environment and welcomes the considerable economic benefits which the Royal National Mod has brought to the economy of the city and the wider area;
- Continues to build up its fund to help finance further Royal National Mods in Perth and Kinross and should look to support the submission of a further bid prior to the end of this 5-year Council term to host a future Royal National Mod.