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Dear Vicki

University of Highlands and Islands Funding Cuts

At the recent Perth and Kinross Council meeting, held on 28 June 2023, a motion was passed which called on me as Council Leader to arrange a cross party meeting ie members representing each political party within Perth and Kinross Council and the Principal of the University of the Highlands and Islands to discuss the financial settlement agreement between UHI and Perth UHI and if necessary, following the said meeting, to contact the Minister of Further and Higher Education to call for additional funding for UHI Perth to prevent job losses and course cuts.

I would appreciate if you would find a suitable date within your diary to facilitate a Teams meeting as soon as is practically possible and look forward to hearing from you in due course.

Yours sincerely

Councillor Grant Laing
Leader of the Council