

Agenda Item	<b>8</b>
Report No	<b>WRSL/004/21</b>

## HIGHLAND COUNCIL

**Committee:** Wester Ross, Strathpeffer and Lochalsh Area Committee

**Date:** 14 January 2021

**Report Title:** Area Capital Programme 2021 - 2022

**Report By:** Executive Chief Officer Infrastructure and Environment

### 1. PURPOSE/EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1.1 This report details the proposed 2021/22 Roads Maintenance Programme for Wester Ross, Strathpeffer and Lochalsh.

### 2. RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 Members are asked to:

- i. approve the proposed 2021/22 Roads Maintenance Programme for Wester Ross, Strathpeffer and Lochalsh.

### 3. IMPLICATIONS

3.1 **Resource** – All work will be managed within budget allocations with The Highland Council delivering its legal responsibilities.

3.2 **Legal** – The combined programme for Structural Resurfacing and Structural Integrity Improvements enables The Highland Council to meet its duty under the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 within the Local Committee area.

3.3 **Community (Equality, Poverty and Rural)** – This report recognises that the road network in Wester Ross, Strathpeffer and Lochalsh serves both strategic traffic and local access to remote communities. Road improvement schemes are selected on both the strategic and local importance and the extent and severity of defects.

3.4 **Climate Change / Carbon Clever** – This report has no impact on climate change or carbon clever considerations.

3.5 **Risk** – There are no risks associated with this report.

3.6 **Gaelic** – This report has no impact on Gaelic considerations.

## 4. BACKGROUND

- 4.1 This report outlines the proposed road maintenance programme for 2021/22 in accordance with the approved budget.

## 5. BUDGET ALLOCATION

- 5.1 The local allocations capital budget for 2021/22 has not yet been determined. Consequently, the budget for the capital programme was based on the previous year's budget. Should the draft budget be amended then the programme will be reviewed as appropriate.
- 5.2 The Ross and Cromarty budget has not been disaggregated to the Easter Ross Area; Black Isle, Dingwall and Seaforth Area; and Wester Ross Strathpeffer and Lochalsh Area.

As Wester Ross, Strathpeffer and Lochalsh have a total of 48% of the road length in the former Ross and Cromarty area, this capital programme is based on 48% of the 2020/21 Ross and Cromarty Area Capital budget which equates to £500,083.56.

- 5.3 The approved 2020/21 Roads Budget local allocations for the former Ross and Cromarty Area can be found in **Appendix 1** to this report.

## 6. ROAD STRUCTURAL MAINTENANCE PROGRAMME

- 6.1 Schemes are selected for the capital programme as follows:
- Approved capital schemes from previous years that remain to be completed;
  - Prioritised ranking of the worst sections of A class roads; and
  - Local roads serving remote communities.
- 6.2 The following information was used to prepare the programme:
- Deferred schemes from the 2020/21 Programme;
  - Scottish Road Maintenance Condition Survey (SRMCS) data;
  - Safety Inspections;
  - Service Inspections; and
  - Input and feedback from Ward Members.
- 6.3 The 2021/22 programme is scheduled in **Appendix 2**. Schemes that are above the red lines are expected to be delivered in 2021/22 financial year and are funded from the Ross and Cromarty Capital Budget. Schemes below the red lines will be delivered should additional funding become available. Schemes funded from the Area Capital budget are illustrated in **Appendix 3**. Schemes subject to additional funding are illustrated in **Appendix 4**.

Designation: Executive Chief Officer Infrastructure and Environment

Date: 15 December 2020

Author: Iain Moncrieff

Appendices: Appendix 1 – Roads Budget Allocation 21-22  
Appendix 2 – Resurfacing Programme  
Appendix 3 – Scheme Funded from Area Capital Budget  
Appendix 4 – Schemes Subject to Additional Funding



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**Appendix 2**

**Resurfacing Programme**

Route	Location		L
U3079	Golf Course Rd	Strathpeffer	272
A832	E of new tar at Fain		100
U4936	Bundaloch Rd 2 OL	Top end	780
A896	E side of Lochcarron		1424
A890	W of bridge E of Sannachan	W of Lochcarron	740
A832	Corriemoillie - A835T Junction	W of Corriemoillie	400
A832	Chullin Access Track - Corriemoillie		310
A832 B8056 Jct	Taagan Access Track	Kerrysdale	200
		W end of Sannachan	275
A896	Kenmore Junction - Cattlegrid	Lochcarron	
A890 A87 Junction - Avalanche Sh	Auchteryre bend		153
A890 A87 Junction - Avalanche Sh	Ardnaff, Stromeferry		538
A896 Cattle Grid North of Lochcarr	Hill W of Lochcarron		1670
A890 A896 Junction - Loan, STRA	Achnashellach - Balnacra		504
A890 A87 Junction - Avalanche Sh	500m E of Ardnaff		168
A832 Tollie Pier Road Junction - B	North end Gairloch		570
A832 Corriemoillie - A835T Junctio			350
North Road, ULLAPOOL			180
A896 Kenmore Junction - Cattlegrid			174
A890 A87 Junction - Avalanche Sh			150
A832 Aultbea - B8057 Junction, P			160
A832 Aultbea - B8057 Junction, P			220
A832 B8056 Junction - Taagan Ac			170
A890 A896 Junction - Loan, STRA			160
A896 A832 Junction - Torridon Jun			205

A896 Kenmore Junction - Cattlegr	250
A832 B8056 Junction - Taagan Ac	725
A832 B8056 Junction - Taagan Ac	300
A896 Kenmore Junction - Cattlegr	191

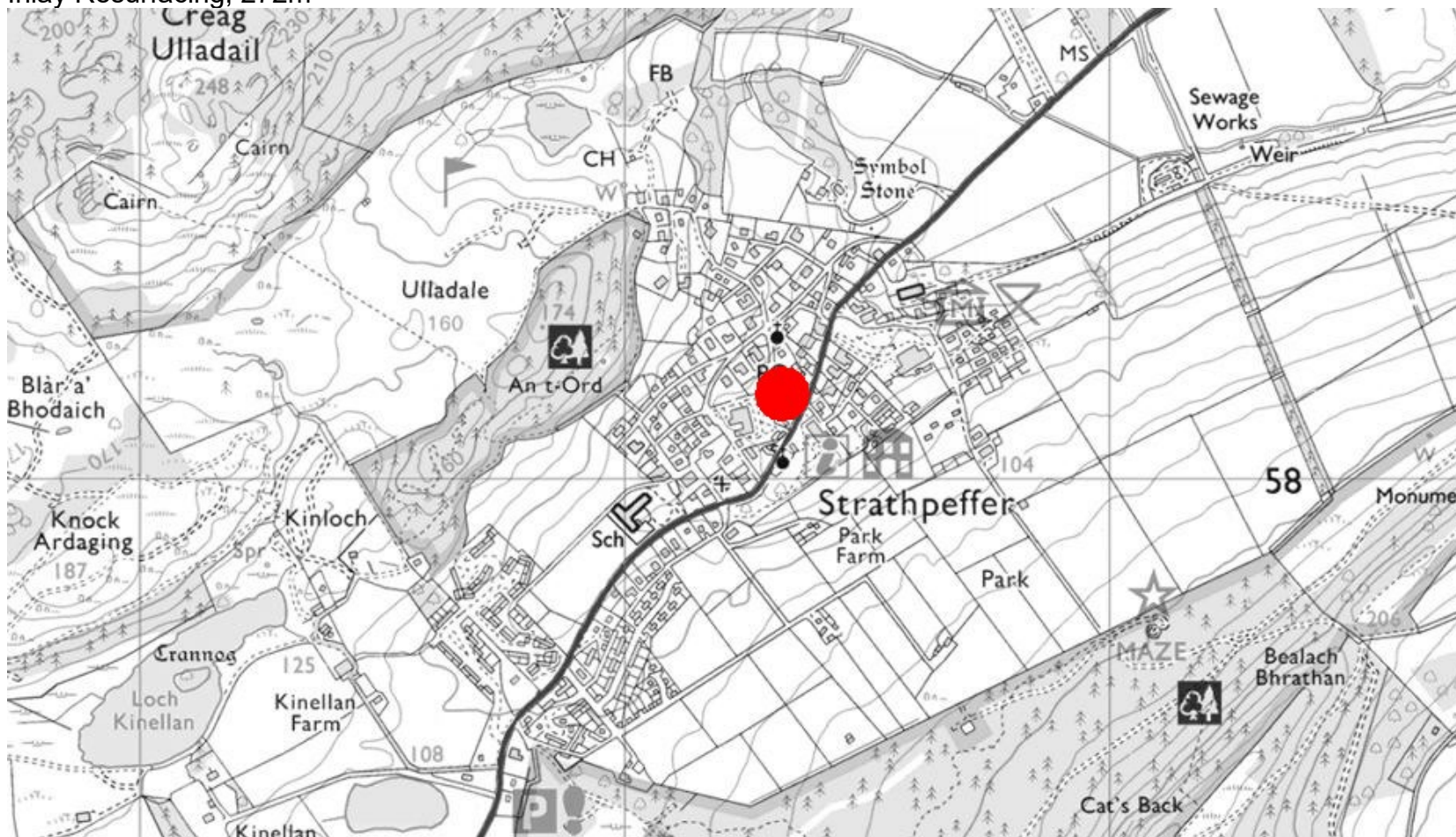
## Surface Dressing Programme

Route	Location	Length (m)
A896	Kinlochewe-bridge	1120
A890	Achnasheen R'bout W	1,000
A832	Slattadale new section	1520
C1055	Letters - Logie Rd	1,132
A890	Strathcarron Hotel - 1.1km S of Attadale Ho	3260
A832	Kerrydale	1800

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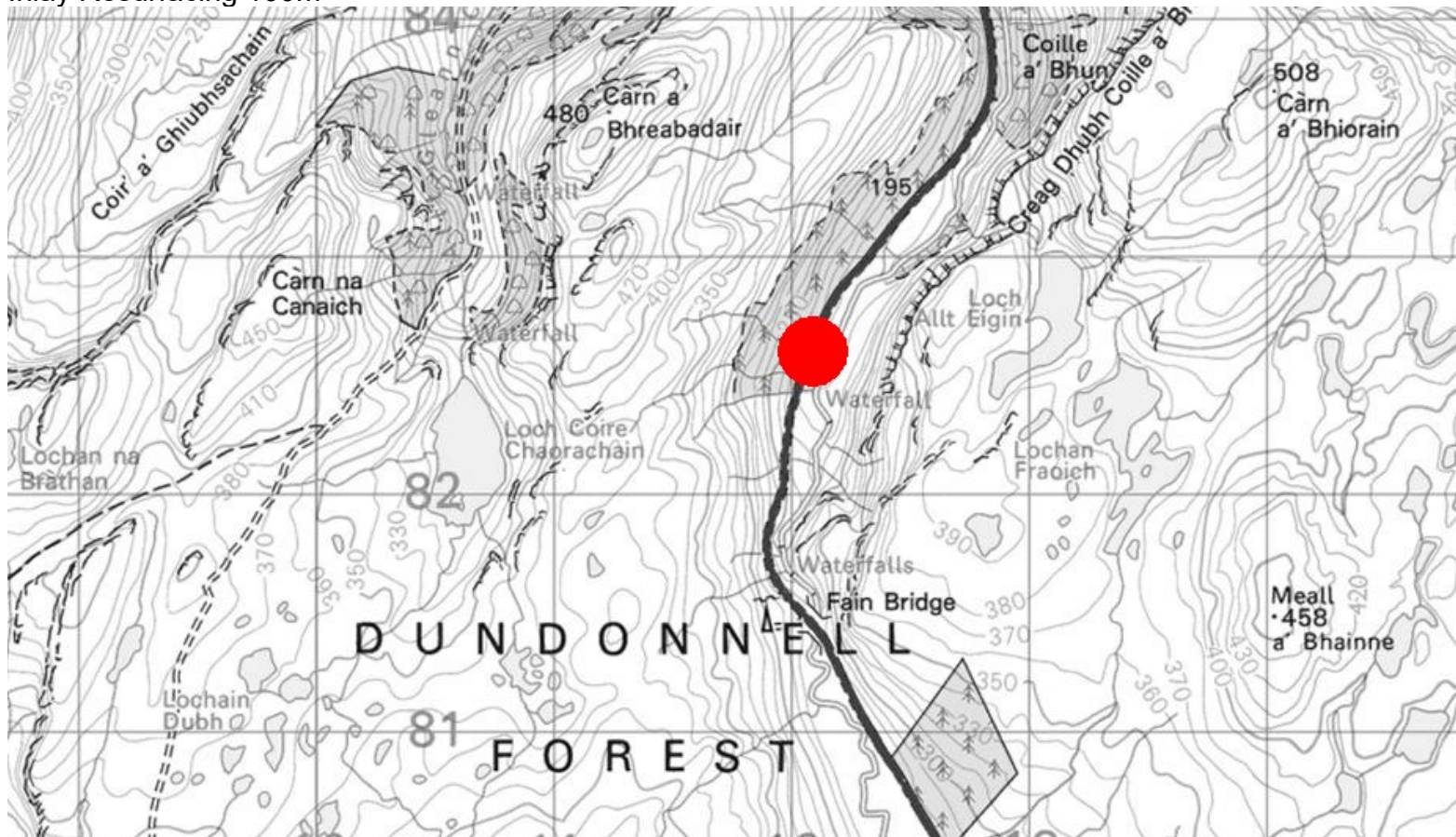
U3079 Golf Course Rd, Strathpeffer,  
Inlay Resurfacing, 272m



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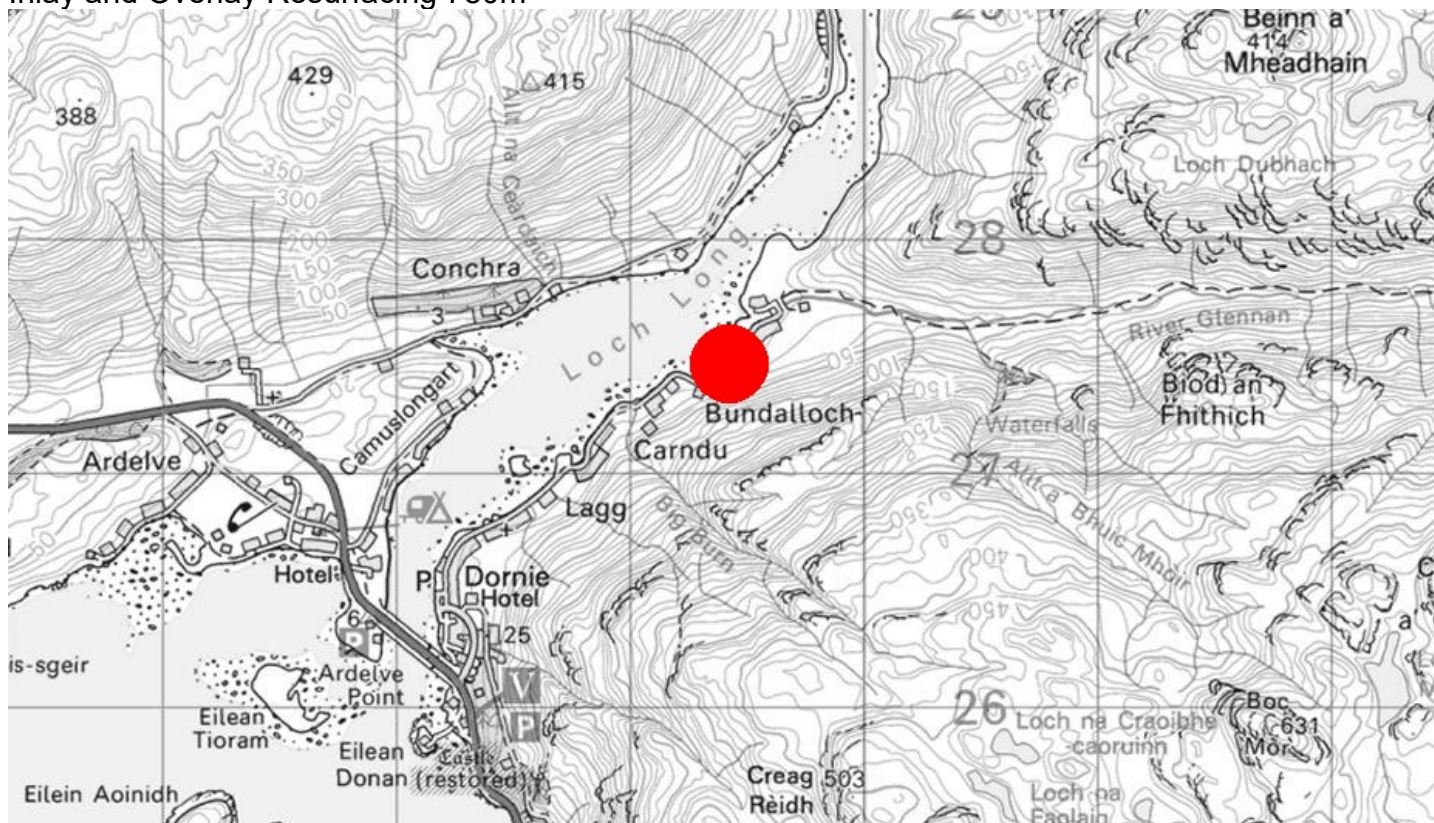
A832 East of Fain Bridge  
Inlay Resurfacing 100m



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U4936 Bundalloch Rd  
Inlay and Overlay Resurfacing 780m

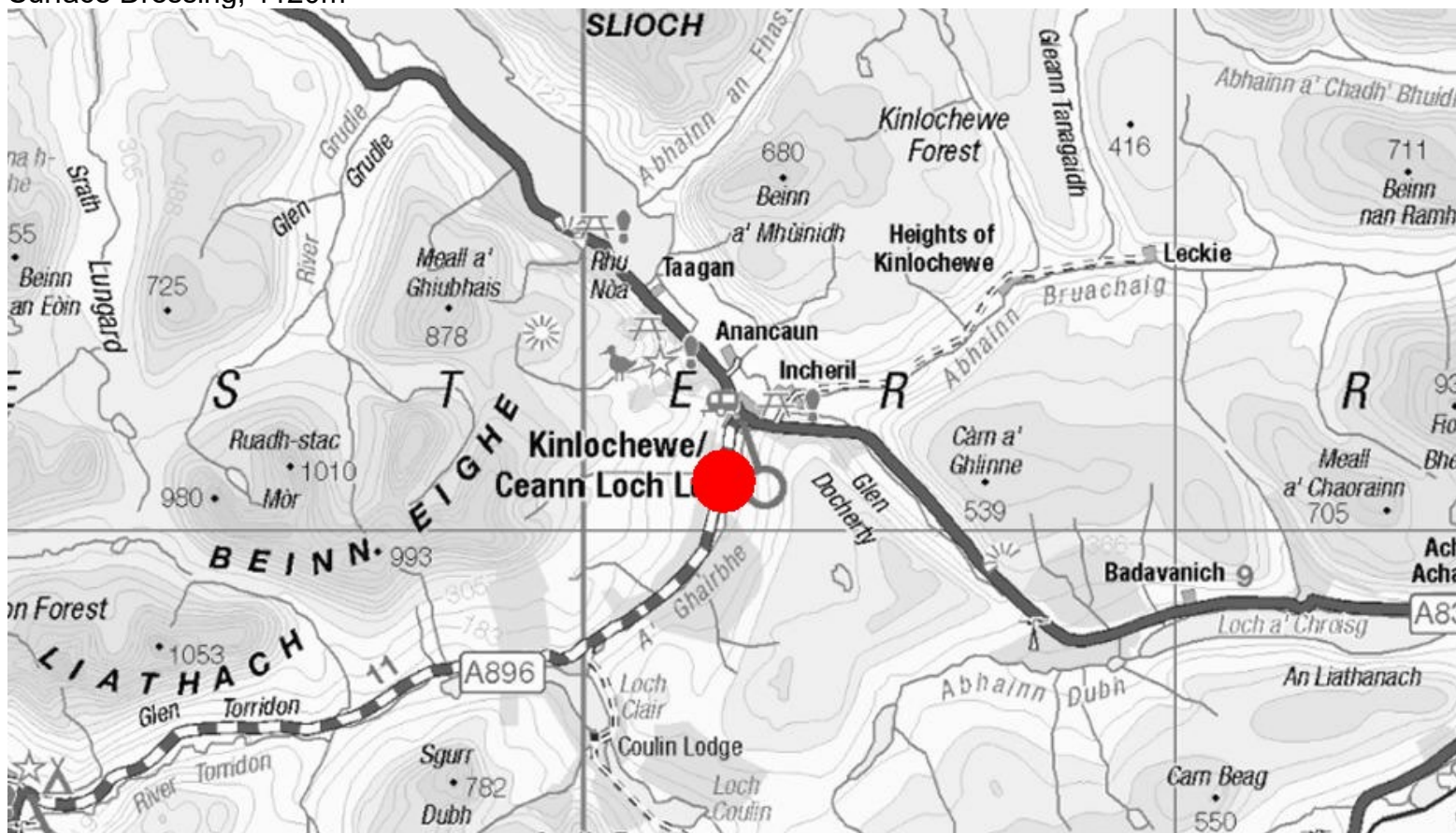




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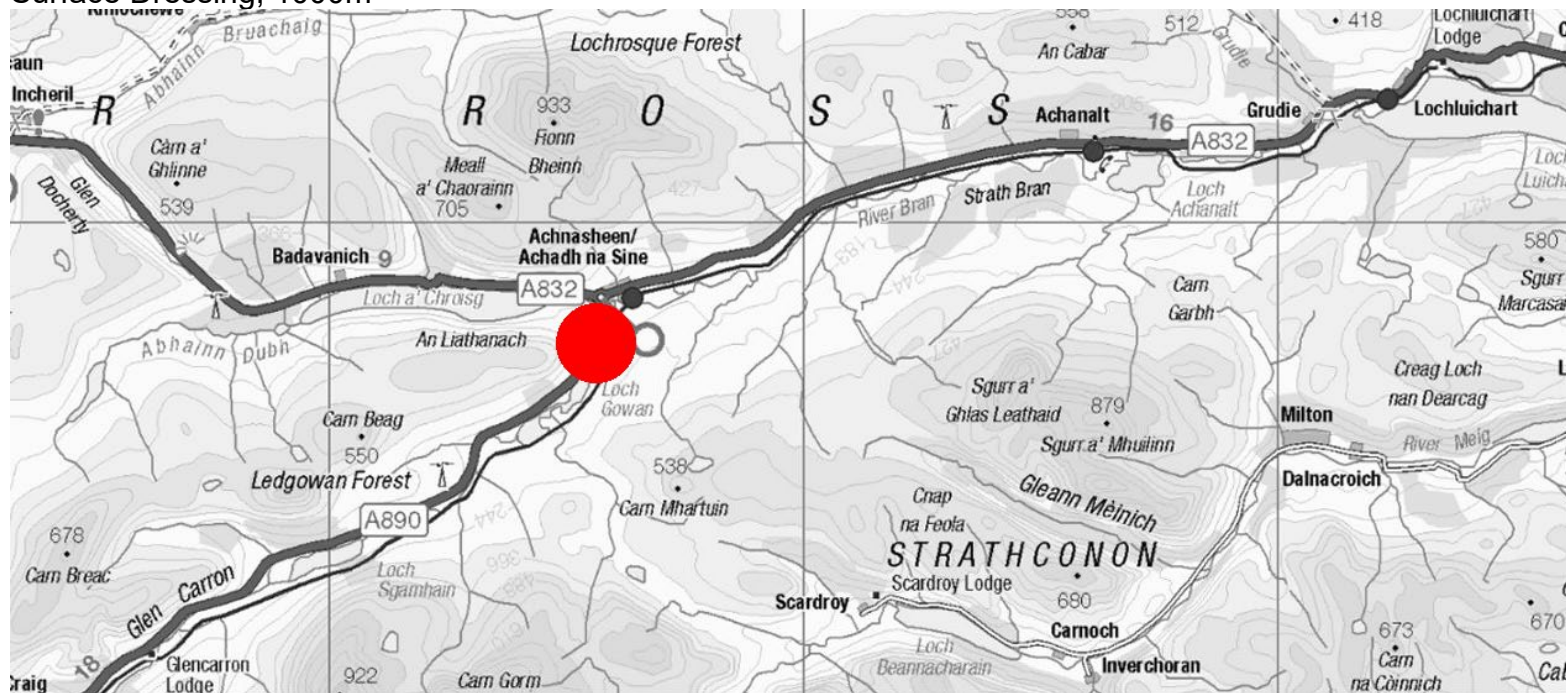
A896 Kinlochewe – Bridge  
Surface Dressing, 1120m



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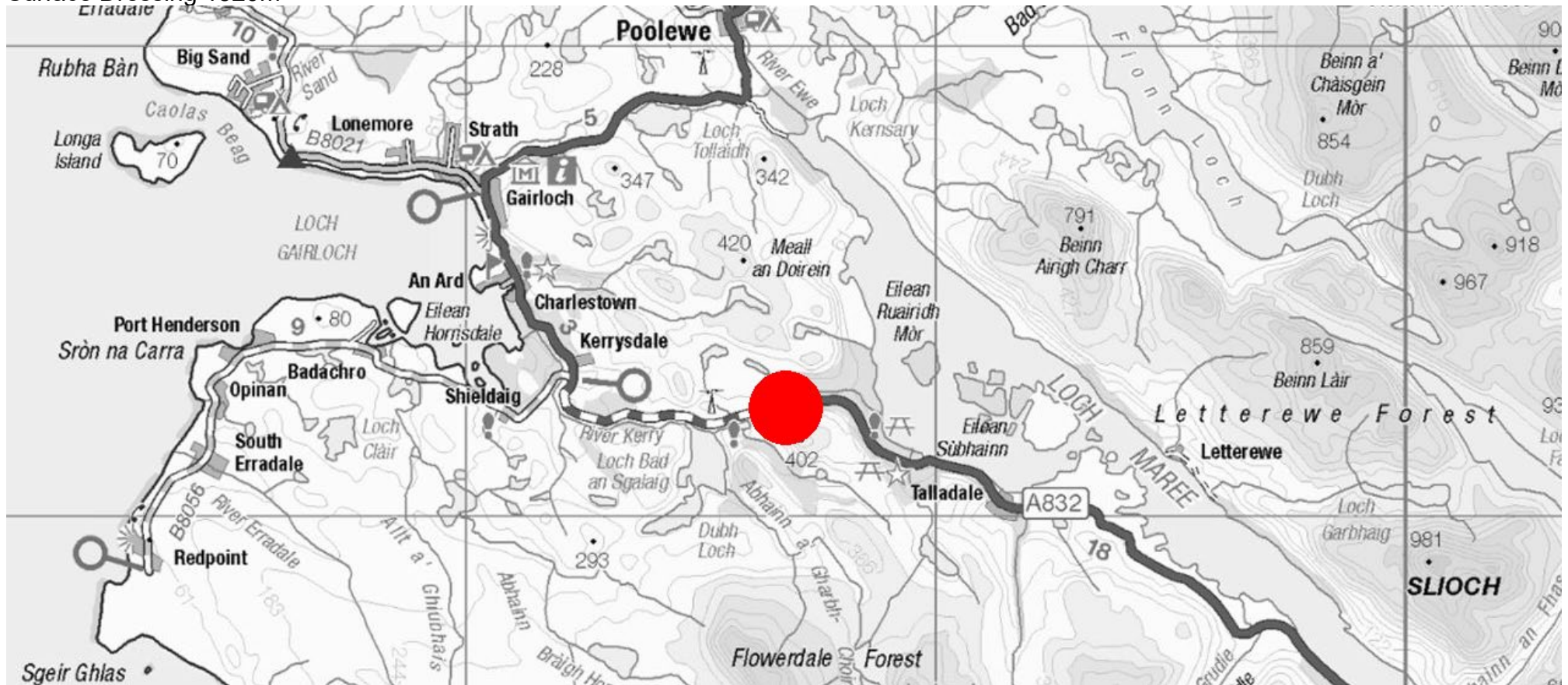
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A890 Achnasheen Roundabout - West  
Surface Dressing, 1000m



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A832 Slattadale  
Surface Dressing 1520m

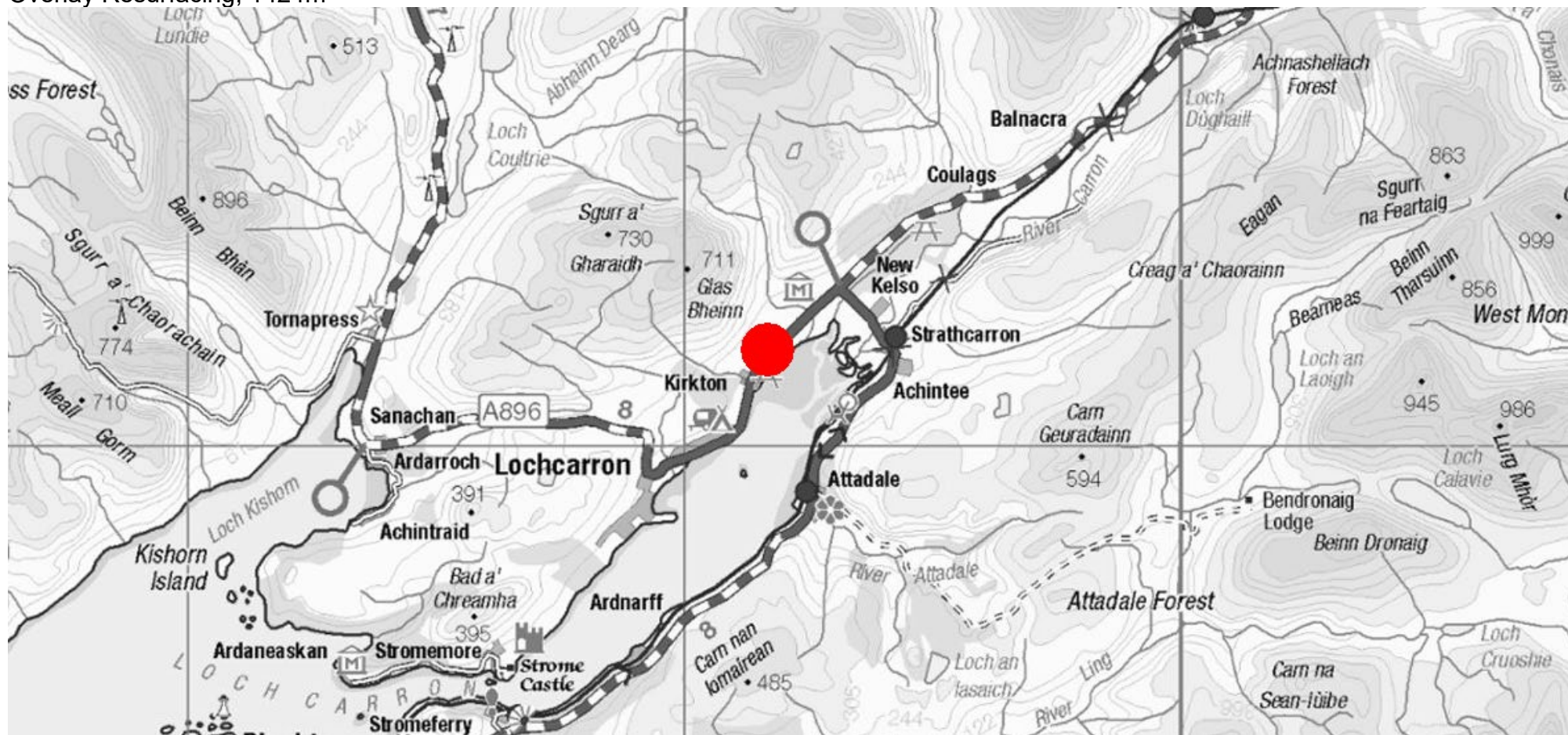
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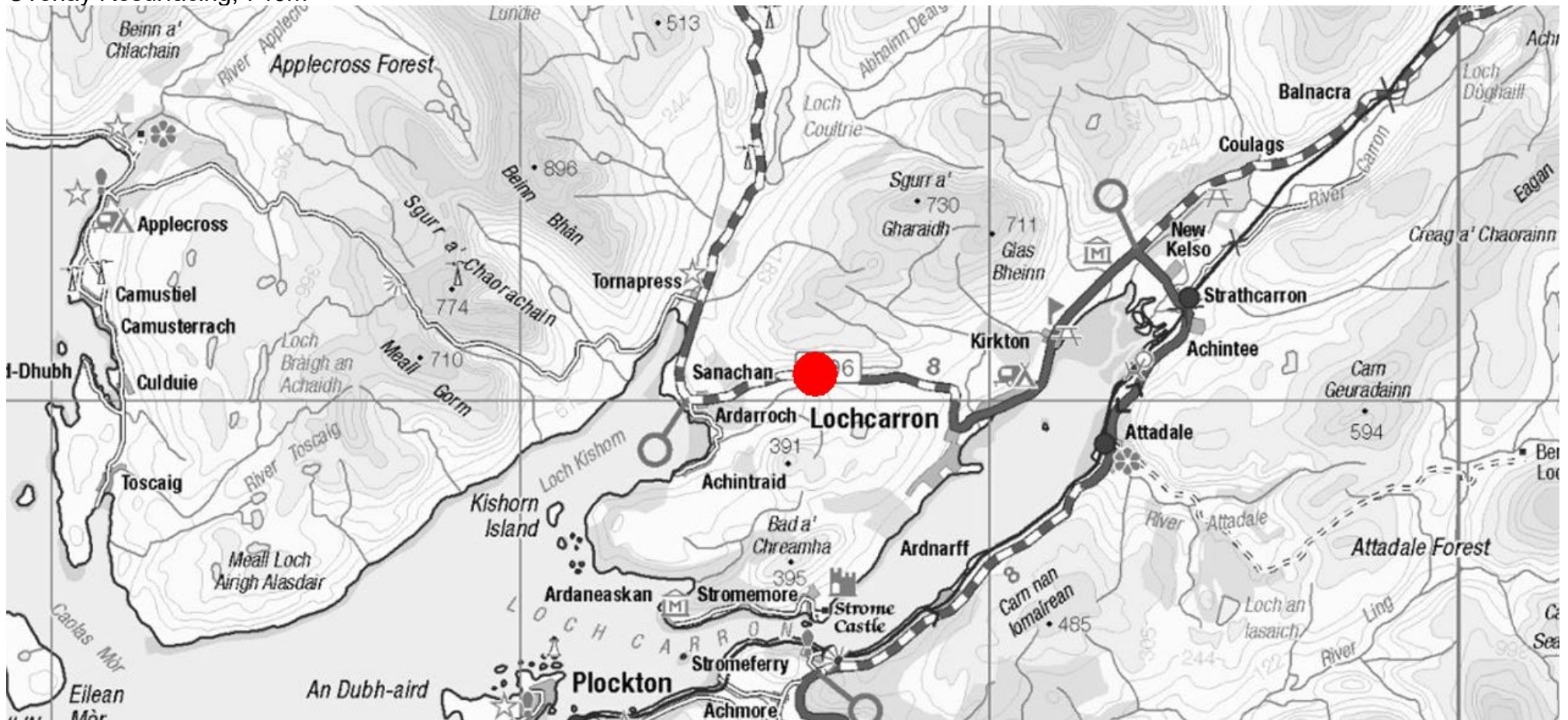
A896 East side of Lochcarron  
Overlay Resurfacing, 1424m



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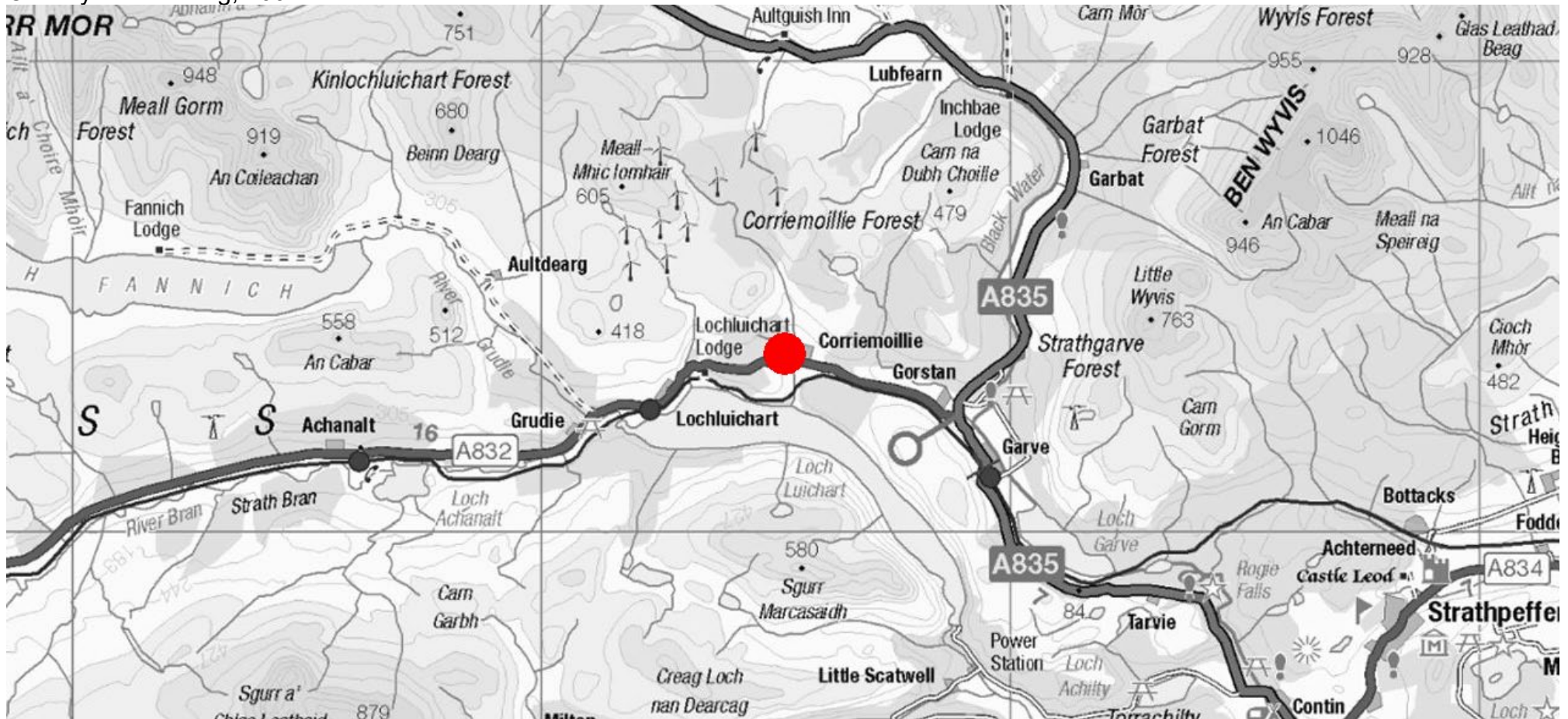
A890 East of Sannachan, Lochcarron  
Overlay Resurfacing, 740m



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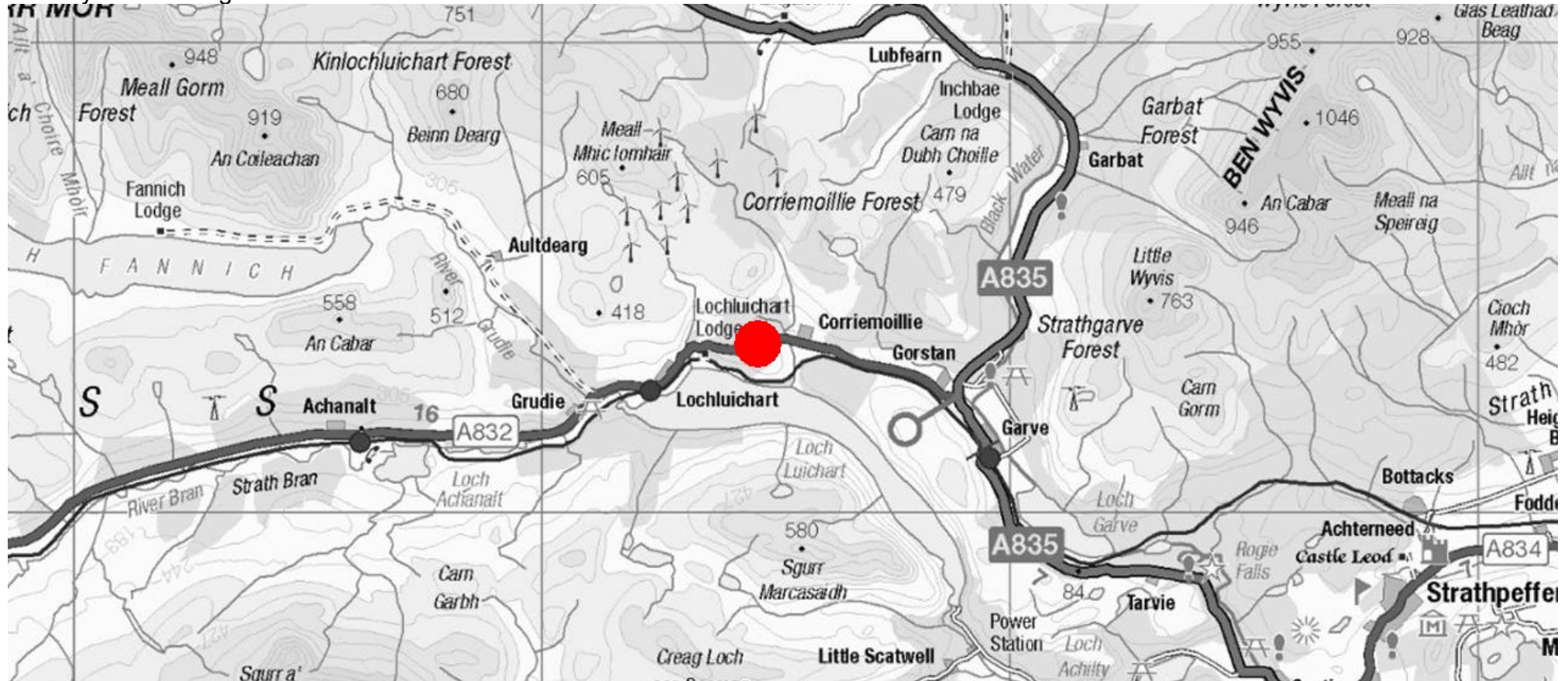
A832 West of Corriemoillie 1  
Overlay Resurfacing, 400m



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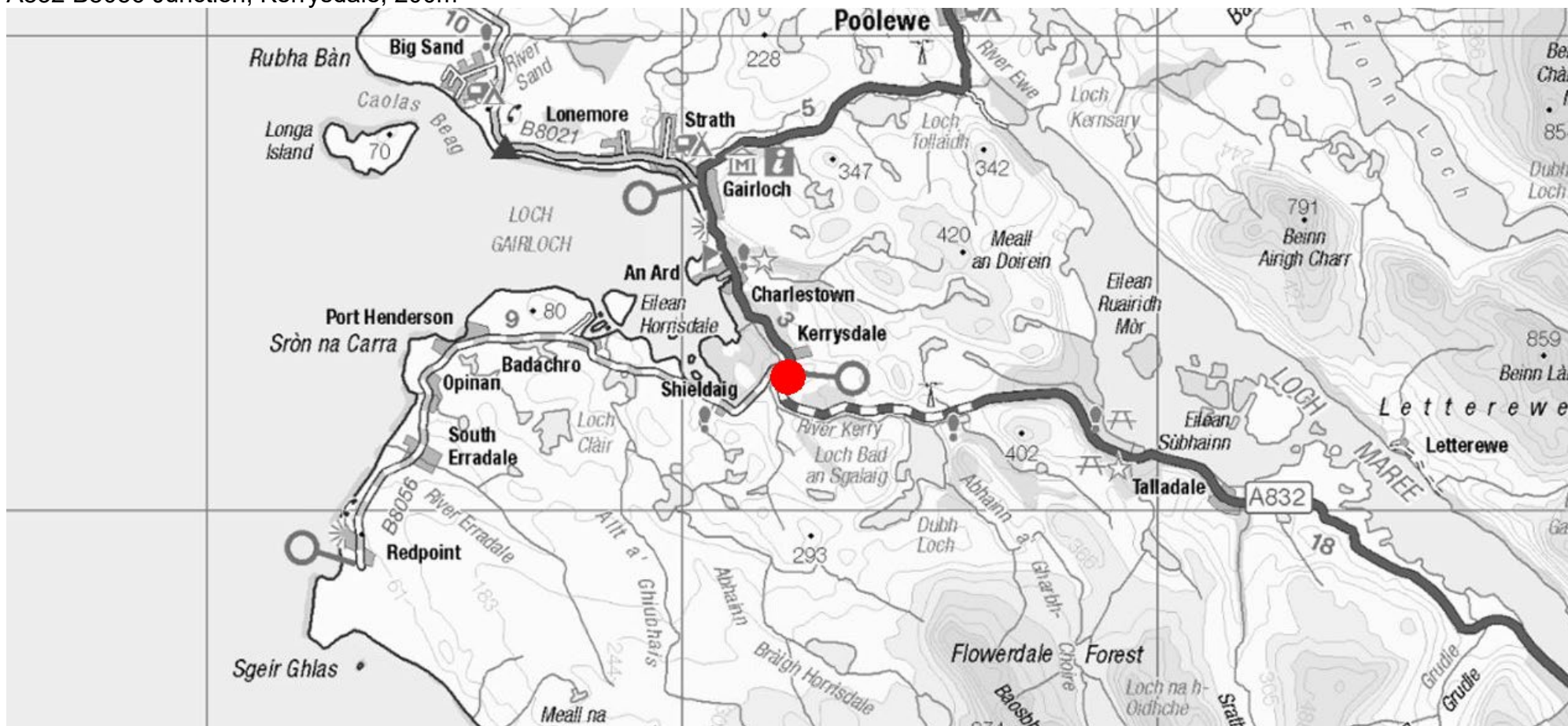
A832 West of Corriemoillie 2  
Overlay Resurfacing 310m



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A832 B8056 Junction, Kerrysdale, 200m

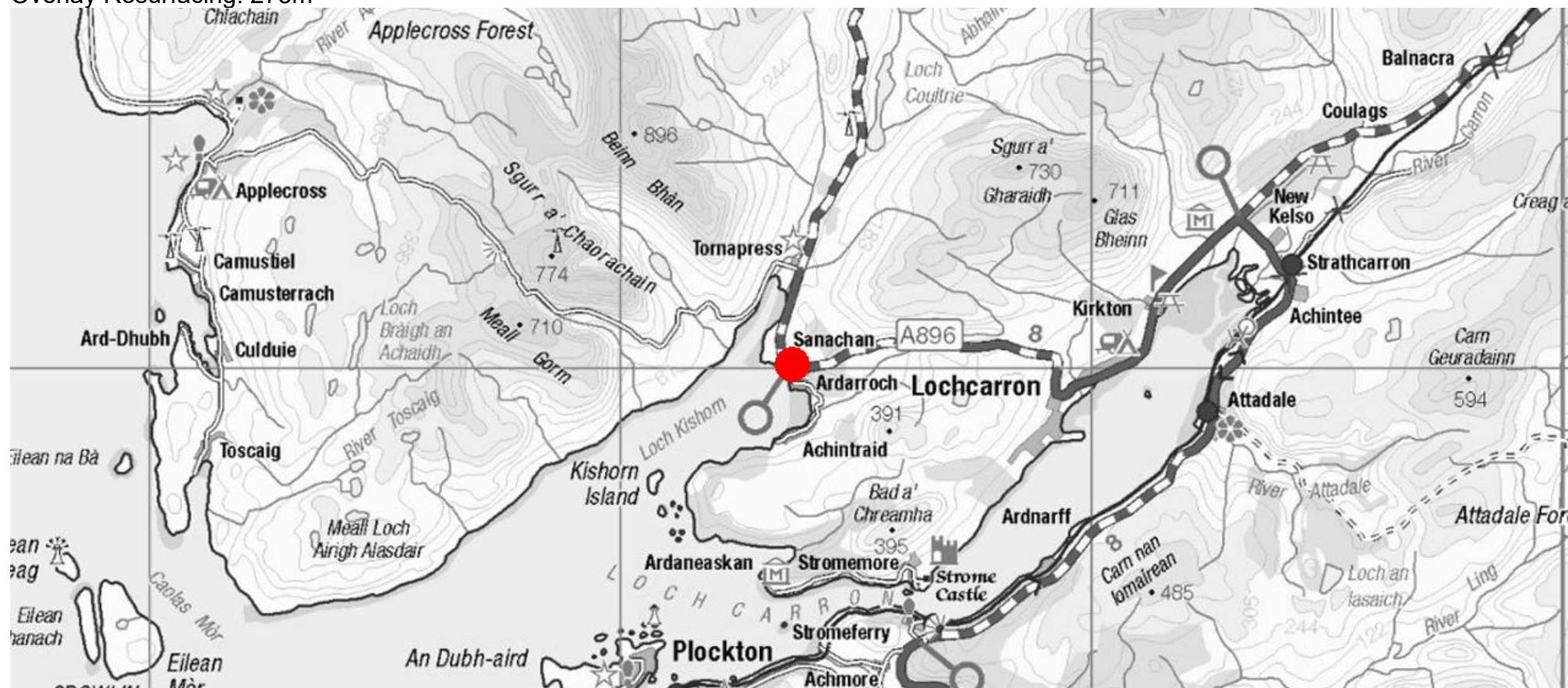




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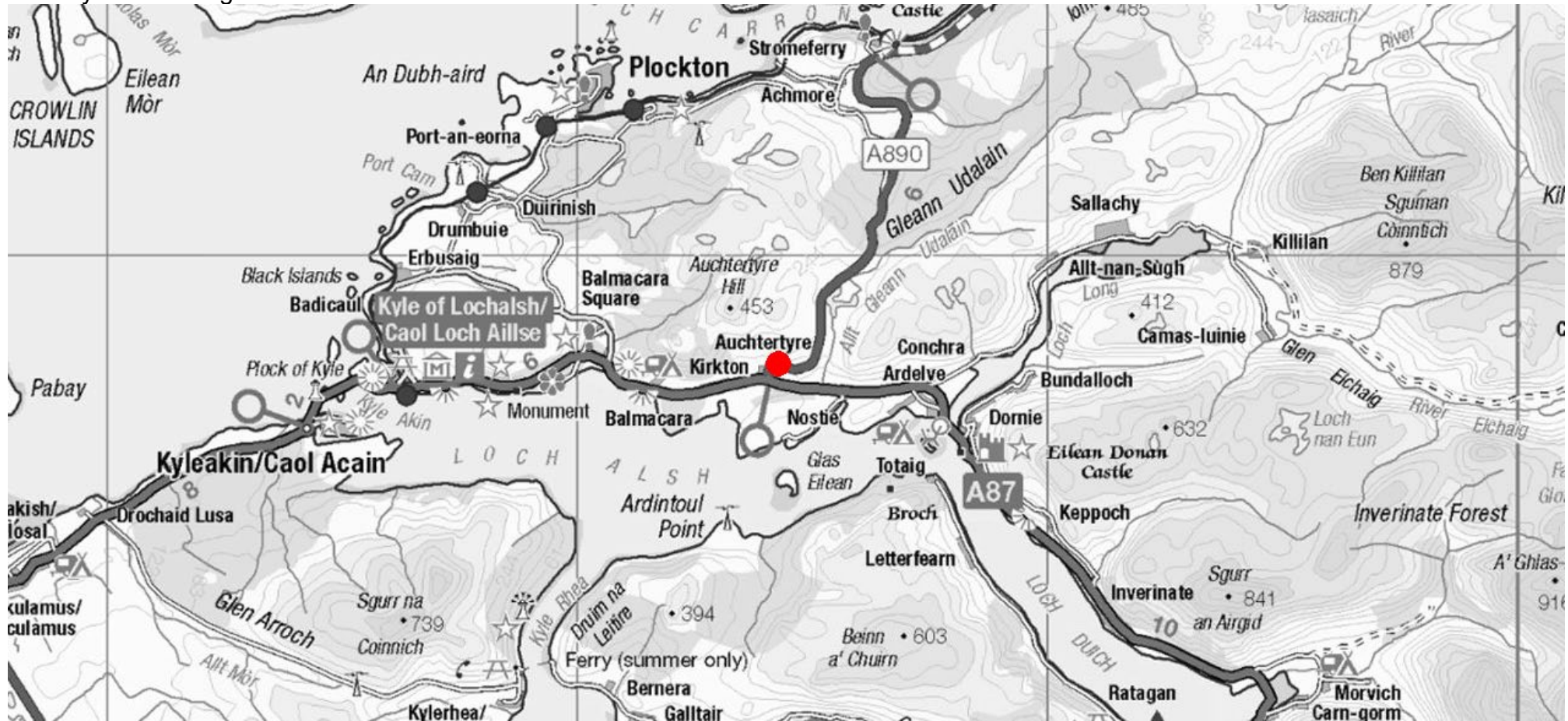
A896 Sannachan  
Overlay Resurfacing. 275m



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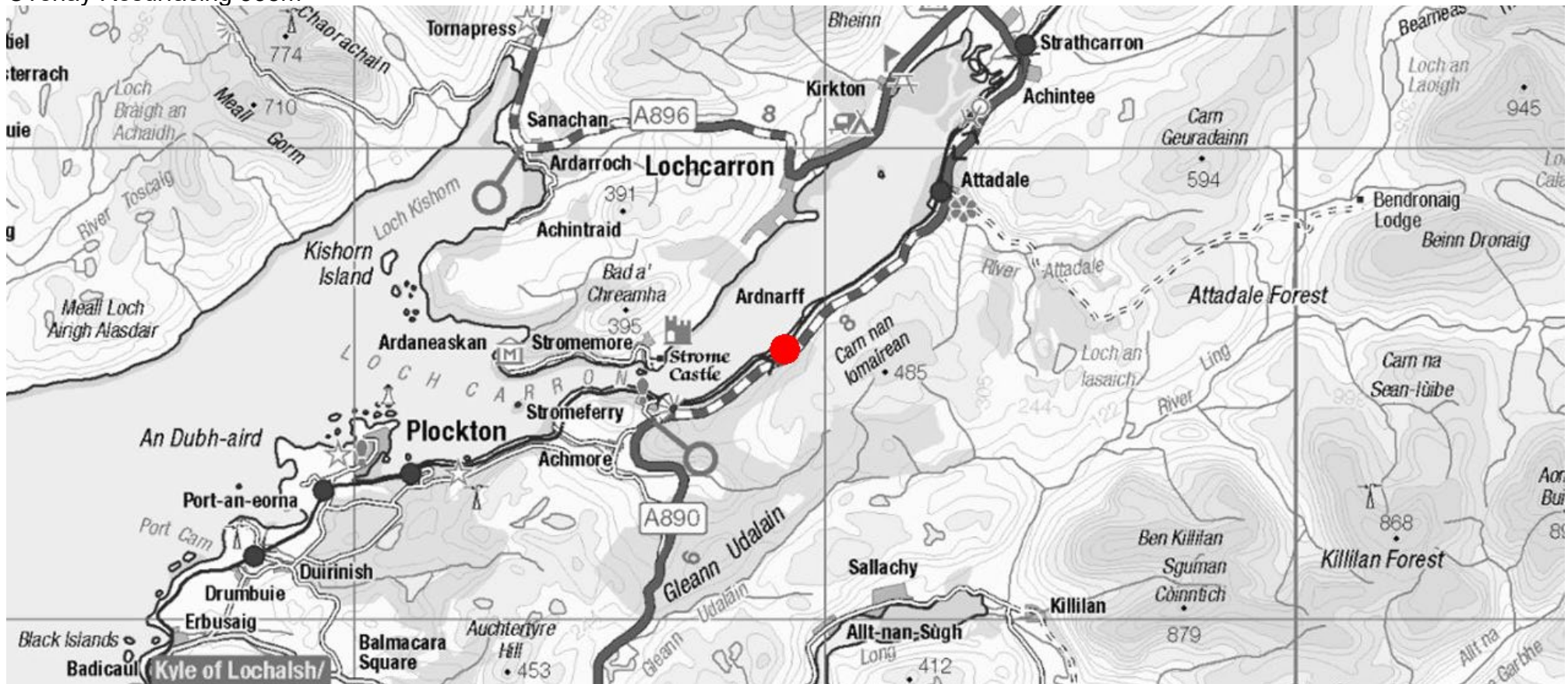
A890 Auchtertyre Bends.  
Overlay Resurfacing. 153m



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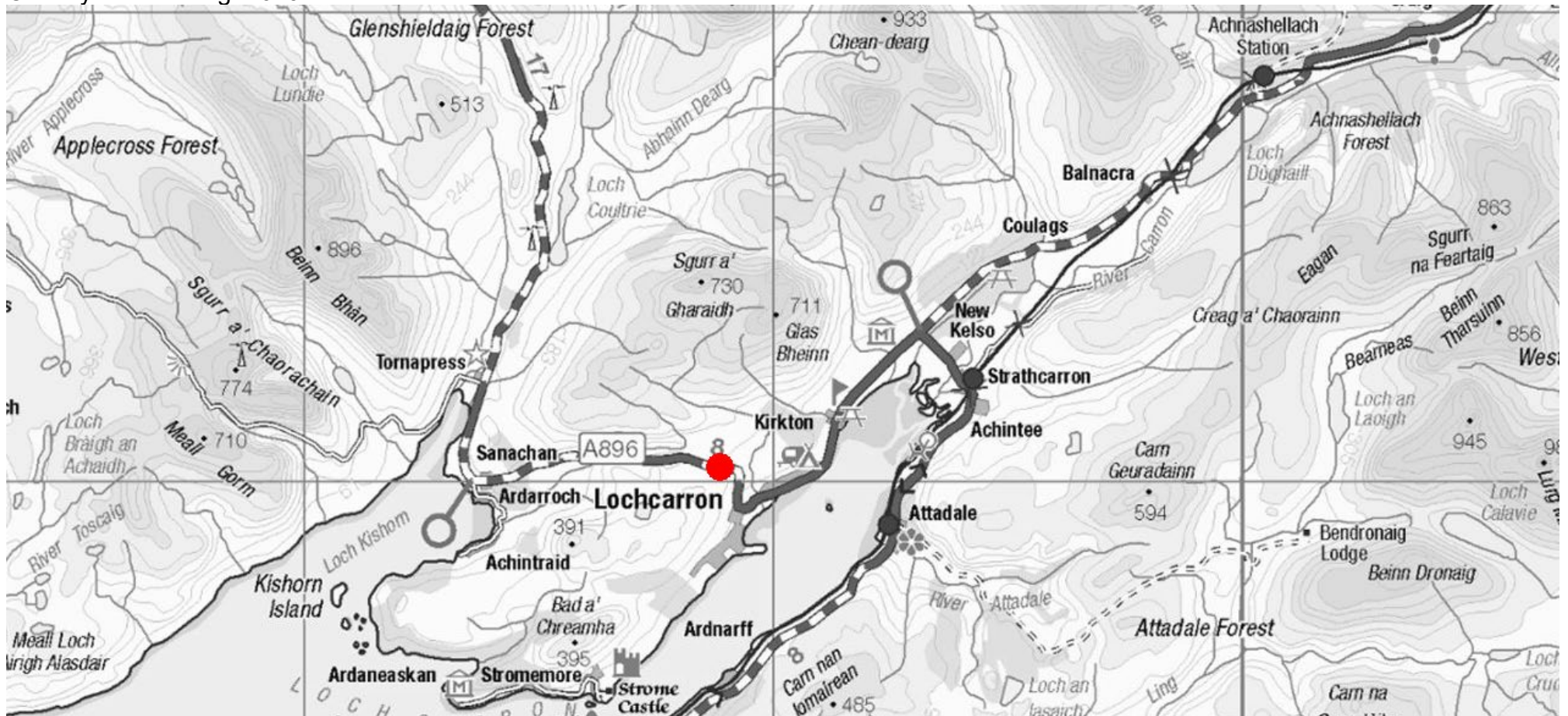
A890 Ardnarff  
Overlay Resurfacing 538m



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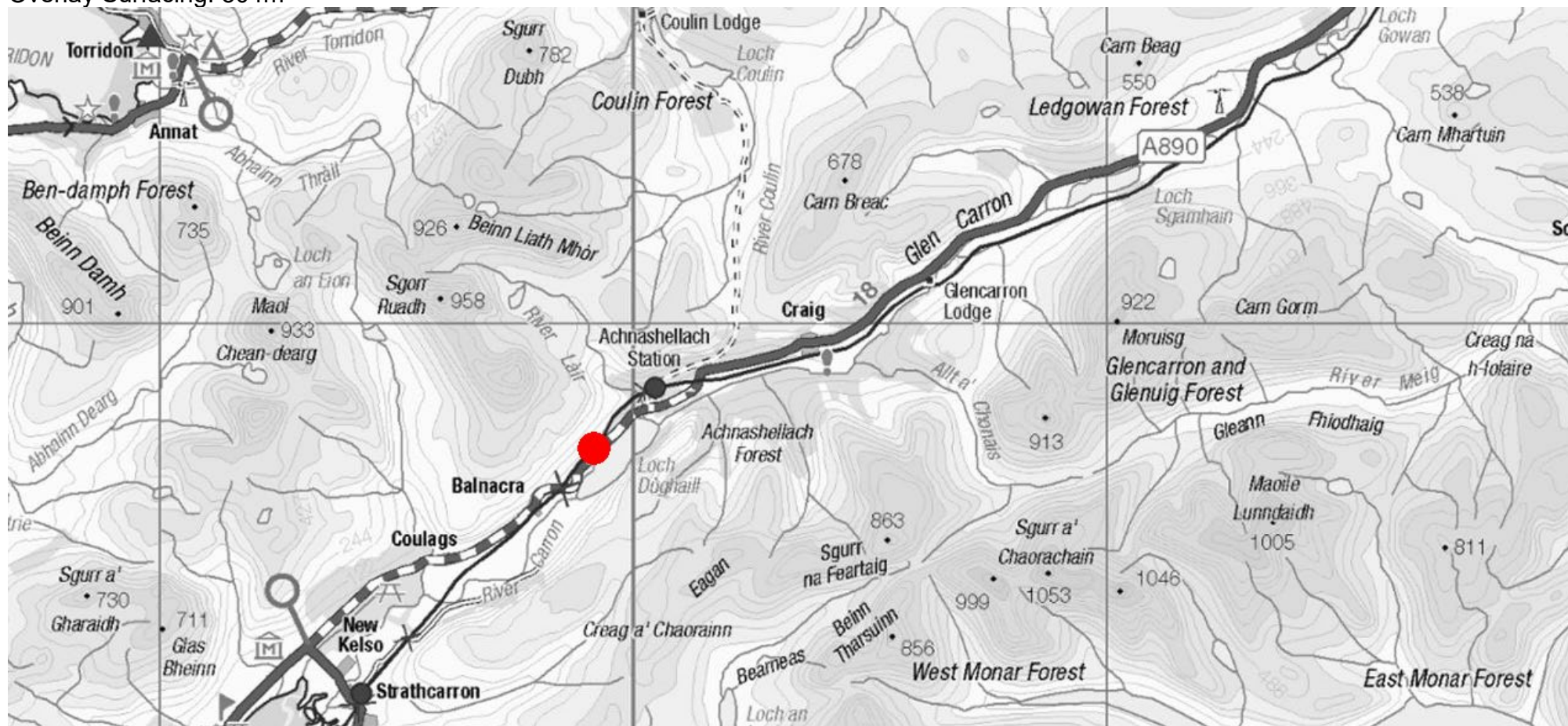
A896 Hill West of Lochcarron  
Overlay Resurfacing. 1670m



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A890 East of Balnacra  
Overlay Surfacing. 504m



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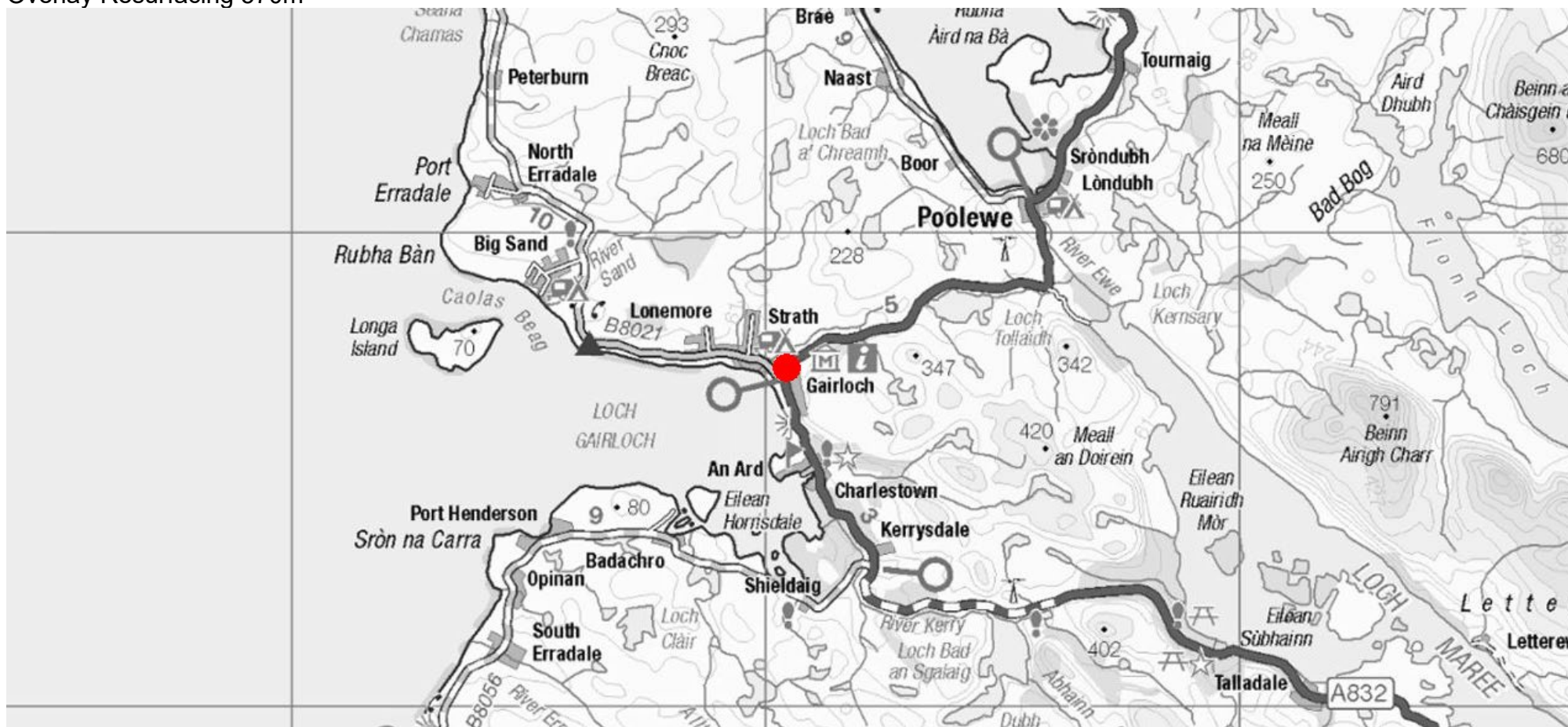
A890 500m E of Ardnarff  
Overlay Resurfacing 168m



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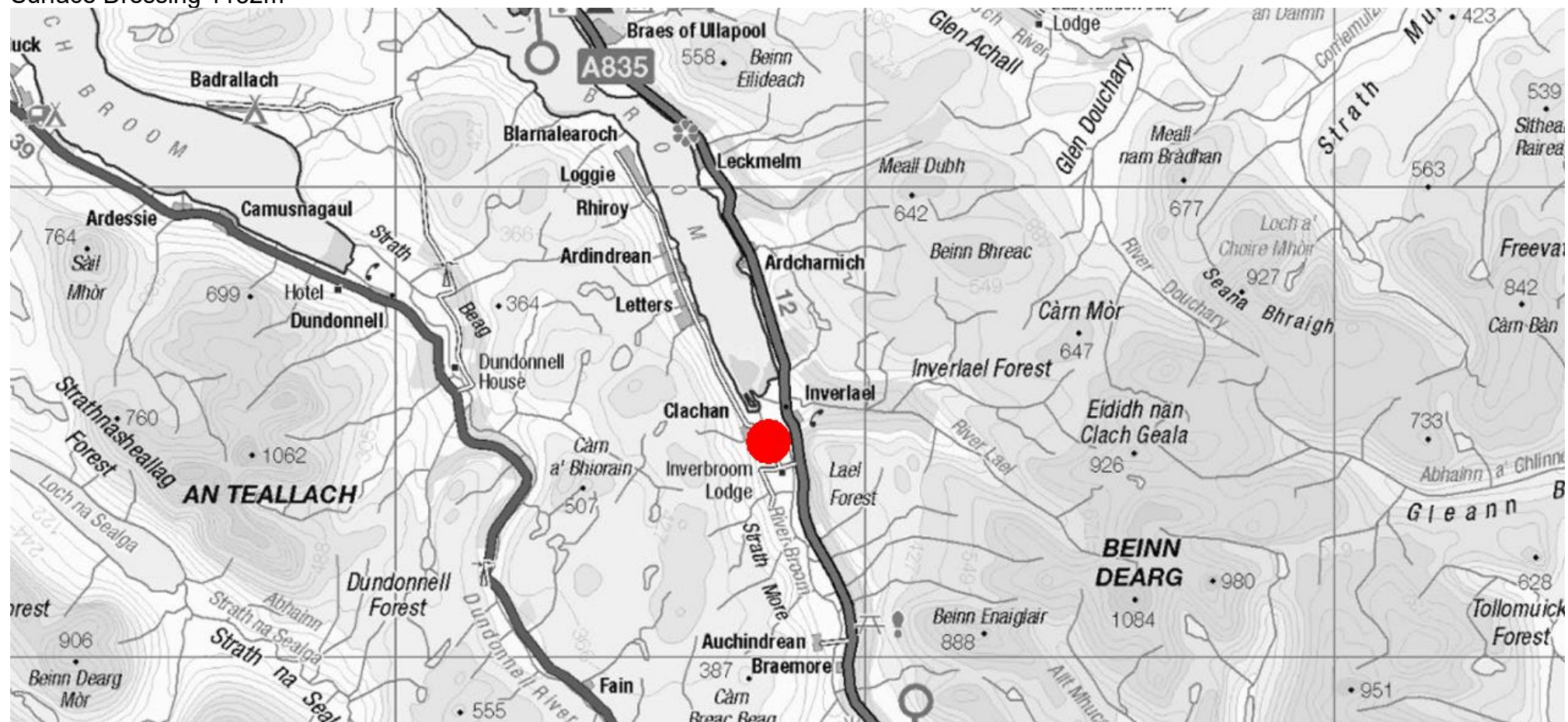
A832 North end of Gairloch  
Overlay Resurfacing 570m



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C1055 Letters – Loggie Road  
Surface Dressing 1132m

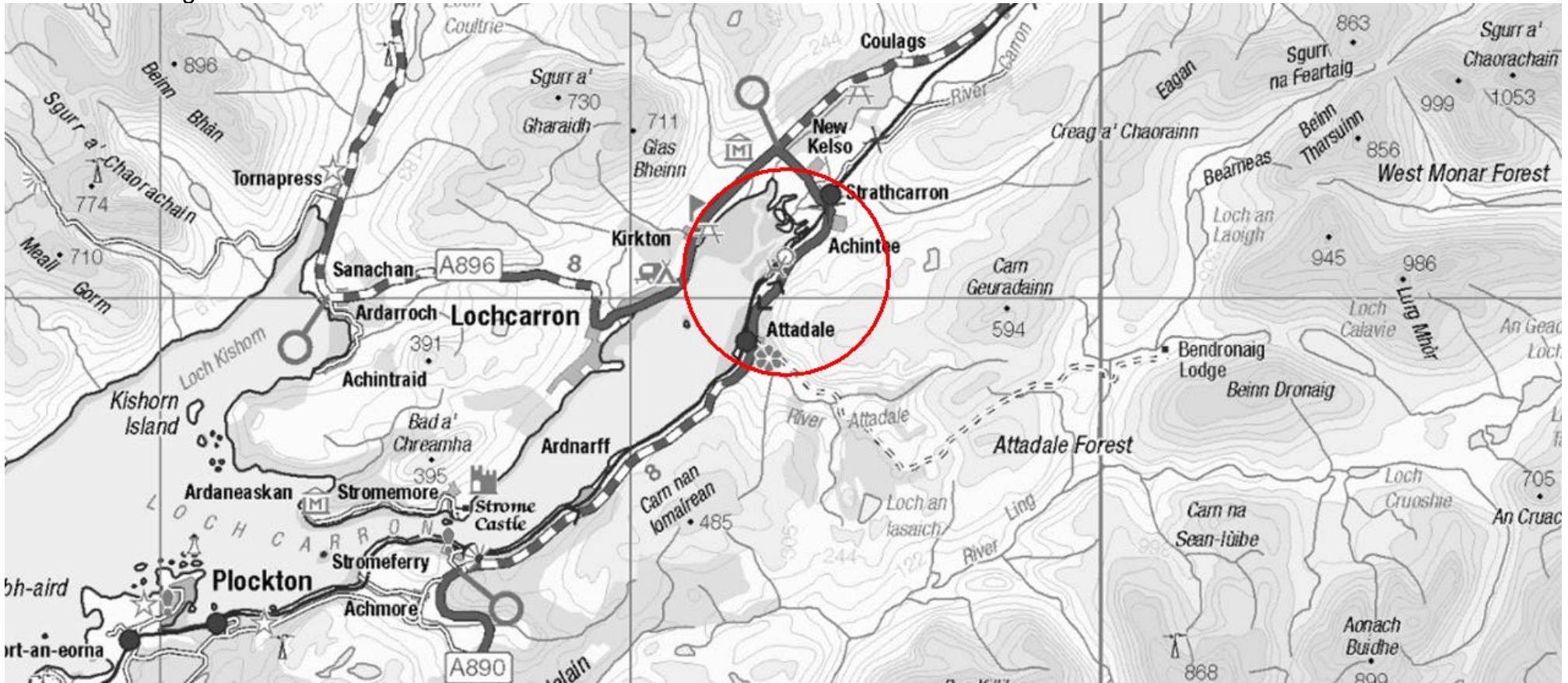




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A890 Strathcarron Hotel – 1.1km South of Attadale House  
Surface Dressing 3260m



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A832 Kerrysdale  
Surface Dressing 1800m

