

Westray Community Council encourages you to complete this survey to ensure a strong Westray response.

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OBC SURVEY FOR THE OUTER NORTH ISLES

Orkney Islands Council has commissioned Peter Brett Associates (PBA) to develop an Outline Business Case for new ferries and supporting harbour upgrades for the Outer North Isles (ONI). This is the next stage of work that is required to secure future investment in the network, building on the Strategic Business Case (SBC) work, which was presented to communities back in June 2016.

Part of the present work is gathering evidence from isles residents on how the air and ferry services are currently used, and any problems/issues with them. A survey has been developed which should take no more than 15-20 minutes to complete and **should be completed once only by any Eday, North Ronaldsay, Sanday, Stronsay or Westray resident aged 16 or over**. The survey can be found at the following link <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/OuterNorthIslesResidentsSurvey> or hard copies will be available from:

- **Eday: Eday Co-op**
- **North Ronaldsay: Airfield**
- **Sanday: Island Link Office**
- **Stronsay: Island Link Office**
- **Westray: Development Trust Office**

It's really important that we gather as comprehensive a picture of people's current views on ferry and air connections as possible. The information gathered from this survey will only be used by Orkney Islands Council, or PBA on its behalf, for the purposes of this research and will not be shared with any other parties. Should you have any queries relating to the study, please contact Fiona Duncan at PBA fduncan@peterbrett.com or Transport at the Council on transport@orkney.gov.uk or 873535 ext 2535.

Deadline for submissions – 1 April 2019