



Orbex Holding Public Community Liaison Group Meeting

Forres, UK, 27th February - Sutherland Spaceport would like to give notice of the next Community Liaison Group meeting. In line with the Terms of Reference of the group the meeting will be an open public meeting and members of the public are welcome to attend.

The primary purpose of the Sutherland Spaceport Ltd (SSL) Community Liaison Group is to be the main interface between the community, the Sutherland Spaceport project, construction contractor and the Launch Site Operator (LSO) for commercial operation. The agenda will include construction, planning and marketing activity updates.

The meeting will be held on the 7th of March 2024 in the Kyle Centre in Tongue at 7pm.

Further information about the spaceport can be found at www.orbex.space/spaceport and comments can be made directly at the event or by emailing sutherlandspaceport@orbex.space.

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About Orbex

Orbex is a UK-based spaceflight company with headquarters, production and testing facilities in Scotland, and design and testing facilities in Denmark. Orbex staff members have professional backgrounds with NASA, ESA, and several commercial spaceflight organisations. The company is funded by the Scottish National Investment bank, two of the UK's largest venture capital funds, BGF and Octopus Ventures, two of Europe's largest venture capital funds, Heartcore Capital and the High-Tech Gründerfonds, as well as strategic investors Elecnor, parent company of Deimos Space, and Jacobs, the largest services supplier to NASA. The company has won more than a dozen R&D contracts from a wide variety of bodies, including the UK Space Agency (UKSA), the European Space Agency (ESA) and the European Commission Horizon 2020 programme.

In 2022, Orbex signed a lease with development agency Highlands and Islands Enterprise (HIE) for the spaceport location on land on the A' Mhoine peninsula in north-west Sutherland. Orbex will oversee the construction and assume full operational management of the new facility. The 10-acre launch site will become the long-term 'home' spaceport of Orbex and will see the launch of up to 12 orbital rockets per year, carrying satellites into low Earth orbit.

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