Although there is adequate operational expertise to maintain Pittencrieff Park without any change, a new action orientated Pittencrieff Management Group is recommended to oversee the successful implementation of the Action Plan.

The Pittencrieff Management Group should comprise Fife Council representatives who have responsibility and authority with one representative from Developing Dunfermline and CDT. To carry out the functions of the Management Group in the long term, it is recommended that a small dedicated permanent team is formed under the responsibility of a Pittencrieff Park Development Manager assisted by a park ranger to focus on heritage activities, particularly education, interpretation and community involvement including the creation of a 'Friends' organisation.

In addition, the management team would include a park marketing and events strategy and programme development co-ordinator to market the park and implement the events strategy. Office accommodation would need to be provided and Pittencrieff House is the recommended base.

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