WELLBEING, EQUALITIES, COMMUNITIES, CULTURE AND ENGAGEMENT CITY POLICY COMMITTEE.

Hybrid meeting, 29th February 2024.

Wellbeing, Equalities, Communities, Culture and Engagement City Policy Committee.

Present: Laura Doherty (Chair), Holly Bruce, Anthony Carroll, Allan Casey (substitute for Stephen Dornan), Annette Christie, Audrey Dempsey, Fiona Higgins, Angus Millar, Margaret Morgan, Cecilia O'Lone, Keiran O'Neill (substitute for Thomas Rannachan), Jill Pidgeon, Roza Salih and Ms Irene Loudon.

Also present: Anne McTaggart.

Apologies: Stephen Dornan, Thomas Rannachan and Martina Johnston-Gray.

Attending: C Jack (Clerk); C Edgar, Director of Communication and Corporate Governance; M McGinty, Head of Corporate Policy and Governance; M Millar, Director of Legal and Administration; K Strachan and K Jordan (for the Head of Human Resources) and J Foster and J Laiolo (for the Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability).

Appointment of co-opted members approved.

1 With reference to the minutes of 11th August 2022 (Print 2, page 288) when the committee had agreed that co-opted members serve for a period of 12 months and be requested to adhere to the Councillors' Code of Conduct there was submitted a report by the Director of Communication and Governance seeking appointment of non-voting co-optees to the Committee, advising that

(1) nominations had been sought and received from Community Councils within the City and Glasgow Third Sector Interface Network;

(2) following discussions regarding a young person's representative co-optee, proposals for a young person's engagement strategy would be submitted to this Committee on 18th April 2024 alongside a report on the Young Person's Development Day feedback; and

(3) work had progressed on the development of a tailored package of support for co-optees and it was anticipated that the support would be in the form of an initial session followed by ad-hoc briefings on reports and a clear channel for informal discussions and queries would be established between co-optees and the Committee's lead officer.

After consideration, the committee agreed that Martina Johnston-Gray, Glasgow Third Sector Interface Network within the city and Irene Loudon, Blythswood &

Broomielaw Community Council would be appointed for a further 12 months and that they would be required to adhere to the Councillors' Code of Conduct during the term of their appointment.