Police Scotland ward update noted.

3 There was heard a report by Inspector Colin MacLucas, Police Scotland, advising the Partnership that

(1) they had received information that local shops had been selling alcohol and vapes to young people under the legal age limit and that they had been working with trading standards on preventative measures;

(2) working in collaboration with First Bus to reduce anti-social behaviour on buses by youths who had taken advantage of the free bus travel had resulted in plain clothes officers being present on buses which had led to a reduction in some anti-social behavioural activity; and

(3) work in relation to spreading knowledge regarding Clare's Law was underway and if required, a form could be completed online via the Police Scotland website.

After consideration, the Partnership

(a) noted the report;

(b) highlighted areas of concern regarding the lack of local police support to the public and the local police also not receiving the support that they require and due to this, members of the Area Partnership would write to Police Scotland's Commissioner and the Justice minister; and

(c) further highlighted concerns in relation to the use and number of quad bikes and e-bikes causing issues within the ward.