Questions.

7 The Council agreed, to suspend Standing Order Nos 11 (4) and 11 (6), to allow the following questions, of which notice had been given under Standing Order No 11, to receive written answers only to the questions:-

Questioner	***Question***
Councillor Jill Brown	To ask the relevant City Convener to give a response to the Institute for Fiscal Studies report on the Scottish Governments misleading budget and the impact this will have on public services in Glasgow?
Bailie Patricia Ferguson	To ask the relevant City Convener if they have discussed with government the possibility of introducing a licensing system and insurance requirement for those who ride delivery bikes?
Bailie James Scanlon	To ask the relevant City Convener how many vacant properties are in the GCC estate? In addition, are there any plans to sell these given the current economic climate?
Councillor Robert Mooney	To ask the relevant City Convener if they can confirm what consultation has taken place with disabled people, disabled people's organisations and providers to assess the impact of the decision to increase the amount of personal income taken into account when assessing social care charges from 50% to 75%, and whether the views and experiences of disabled people will be considered when reviewing the appropriate client contribution for social care in advance of setting the Council's budget for 2024/25?
Councillor Jon Molyneux	To ask the City Treasurer is he agrees that Glasgow should introduce a visitor levy by 2026, subject to legislation passing in the Scottish Parliament and if he will call ministers to shorten the minimum 18 month lead in time currently proposed in the Visitor Levy Bill?
Bailie Elaine Gallagher	To ask the relevant City Convener to please explain why the Council is disregarding the specifics of the National Planning Framework which states that all developments larger than four dwellings should include at least 25%

	affordable housing?
Councillor Lilith Johnstone	To ask the relevant City Convener what action will be taken in response to the EIS Survey on Pupil Behaviour?
Councillor Stephen Docherty	To ask the relevant City Convener how many trees have been planted by GCC over the past five years? In addition, what is the percentage of trees planted that have failed over the same five-year period?
Councillor Martha Wardrop	To ask if the relevant City Convener could consider a review in the Council's use of leaf blowers?
Councillor Jon Molyneux	To ask the relevant City Convener whether the Council is developing a local process to give communities the ability to make the case for the designation of Fireworks Control Zones, as encouraged by the relevant local authority guidance on that, and if so when will that be available to communities?
Bailie Patricia Ferguson	To ask the relevant City Convener what impact the scrapping of the Advanced Higher Hubs will have on pupils in Glasgow?
Bailie Anthony Carroll	To ask the relevant City Convener what conversations have been had with the Scottish Government on the implementation of Free Concessionary Bus Travel for those Seeking Asylum?
Bailie Paul McCabe	To ask the Leader of the Council to provide an insight into the impact of UCI 2023?
Councillor Paul Leinster	To ask the Leader of the Council/City Convener for the Economy and Just Transition to provide an update on investment and innovation in the city and wider economic region?
Bailie Soryia Siddique	To ask the relevant City Convener to advise what plans there are to regenerate Bridge Street and the surrounding areas?