Local Parks and Open Spaces update noted – Funding approved – Request to Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability – Declaration of interest.

8 With reference to the minutes of 7th November 2023, there was submitted a report by the Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability (NRS), regarding the Local Parks and Open Space Improvement Fund providing an update on projects allocated within the ward for years 2021/22 and 2022/23 and an update on work carried out within the greenspace at Napiershall Street and lighting within Kelvingrove Park, as detailed in the report and the appendices to the report.

After consideration, the Partnership

(1) noted the report;

(2) approved funding of £5,000 towards surface water management at Gibson Street/Eldon Street and £6,000 towards 2 entrance signs at the greenspace, Napiershall Street, totalling £11,000 from the Neighbourhood Infrastructure Fund; and

(3) requested the Executive Director NRS to provide information regarding

(a) park lighting and noted it was still open to engagement on where column lighting, costing £3,000 per unit, could be placed;

(b) the progress on the Stewart Memorial to be provided to a future meeting of this Partnership; and

(c) the use of glyphosate in the park and the scale of its use.

Councillor Wardrop declared an interest in this item of business and took no part in the discussion thereon and Councillor Andrew assumed the Chair for this item.