Area Budget 2025/26 – Applications for funding dealt with etc.

- 11 With reference to the minutes of the Council's City Administration Committee of 13th March 2025, when the committee approved the 2025/26 Area Budget allocations, there was submitted a report by the Head of Policy and Corporate Governance, advising
- (1) of the current position in relation to the Area Partnership's budget for 2025/26;
- (2) that the Partick East Kelvindale Area Partnership's Budget allocation for 2025/26 was £60,284 and leaving a balance of £60,284 yet to be allocated.; and
- (3) of the applications for funding from the Area Budget for 2025/26.

After consideration, the Partnership

- (a) noted the position regarding the Area Budget allocation for 2025/26; and
- (b) dealt with applications for funding as follows, the grant awards being subject to the conditions detailed in the report:

Applicant	Purpose of application	Decision
Hayburn Playpark Association	Towards the cost of community events which bring people of all ages together in Hayburn Playpark to promote health and wellbeing, reduce social isolation and build community cohesion	Awarded £1,200
Men Matter Scotland	Towards the cost of outward-bound development sessions with a specific focus on loneliness, isolation and suicide prevention	Awarded £4,000
Halo Arts	Towards the cost of "Partick Summer Sparks", a free youth summer holiday programme designed to empower and develop young people aged 7-16 through arts activities, exercise Rand holistic development	Awarded £5,030
Westfest Ltd	Towards the cost of WestFest's community led free cultural festival	Refused due to funding pressures and would not benefit the ward enough, therefore would not be a priority

Project Ability	Towards the cost of visual art workshops led by people with learning disabilities during learning disability awareness week from 8th- 14th September 2025	Awarded £600
*Annexe Communities	Towards the cost of health and wellbeing activities as part of a local peer research project in partnership with the University of Glasgow	Awarded £6,000
Scottish Mask and Puppet Centre	Towards the cost of Polish Folk art community exhibition advertising and print costs	Awarded £804
*Partick Community Growing Project	Towards the cost of a celebration of 850 years of Glasgow at the Purdon Street allotments	Awarded £3,090
Novar Nursery School	Towards the cost of 4 raised beds, soil and garden supplies	Awarded £1,247

^{*}Jane Cowie declared an interest in these applications and took no part in the discussions or decisions thereon.

Area Budget 2025/26 – Application for funding by Glasgow Clyde Colleges refused, after division.

There was submitted a report by the Head of Policy and Corporate Governance regarding an application for funding for Glasgow Clyde Colleges towards the cost of a 36-week programme for young people at Glasgow Clyde College Anniesland.

Councillor Anderson, seconded by Maggie Patterson, moved that the Partnership approve the funding award of £1,125.

Lional Most, seconded by Councillor Adams, moved as an amendment that the Partnership refuse the application for funding.

- *On a vote being taken by a show of hands, 3 members voted for the amendment and 2 for the motion. The amendment was accordingly declared to be carried.
- * It was noted following conclusion of the meeting and having sought advice from the Director of Legal and Administration, that voting on this matter was not carried out in accordance with paragraph 9.2 of the Glasgow Community Planning Partnership Governance Framework, where a two thirds majority of those present and voting must be met to approve, and therefore the decision taken would require to be resubmitted at the next meeting for a fresh decision to be taken.

Future meeting dates.

13 The members agreed that future meetings would be moved from 2pm to 10am from 27th August 2025.