Variation in order of business noted.

3 The Partnership agreed to vary the order of business as hereinafter minuted.

Police Scotland ward update noted.

- **4** There was heard a report by Inspector Siobhan Paterson, Police Scotland, advising the Partnership
- (1) that Chief Inspector Colin MacLucas would be replaced by Chief Inspector Nigel Thacker as Area Commander for the North West;
- (2) of the police survey that had commenced on 17th April 2025 until 31st March 2026 https://consult.scotland.police.uk/strategy-insight-and-innovation/yourpolice-2025-2026/;
- (3) of the statistics for the reported incidents, crimes recorded, thefts and breakins;
- (4) that enforcement action against illegal bikes continued; and
- (5) of days of action carried out in the ward.

After consideration, the Partnership

- (a) noted the update and thanked Inspector Paterson for all the work carried out by Police Scotland within the ward;
- (b) highlighted ongoing issues with dirt bikes and frustration with the reporting process to Police Scotland; and
- (c) raised a number of questions and concerns that were addressed by Inspector Paterson