

Area Partnerships Development Plan - Update noted.

10 With reference to the minutes of 18th February 2025 when the Partnership noted the development of Area Partnership Plans, there was submitted and noted a report by the Head of Policy and Corporate Governance regarding an update on the matter, advising

- (1) of an update on work that was being undertaken city-wide to address child and family poverty and the need for strategic and local priorities to be aligned;
- (2) that 10 Wards had been identified across the city that had high rates of child poverty, and that work in 3 of these Wards, namely Southside Central, Govan and Calton would be evidenced and data driven in order to test different early intervention and prevention approaches to reduce poverty across the city;
- (3) that following approval by the Glasgow Community Planning Partnership Strategic Partnership meeting of 25th March 2025 to undertake intensive testing over a 6-month period that would provide scope for more engagement with key stakeholders, further updates would be provided to Area Partnerships in due course; and
- (4) that in order to allow officers to focus on
 - (a) developing richer means of engagement with communities; and
 - (b) detailed discussions on priority matters, eg child poverty, transport, community safety and the environment,

it was proposed to reduce the number of formal business meetings each year and that Bailie McTaggart had invited the Chairs of each of the Partnerships to a development session to consider and refresh Area Partnership plans to ensure they were informed by the strategic priorities of the Community Planning Partnership and the city-wide performance framework.

After consideration, the Partnership noted

- (i) the work underway to address child and family poverty and the need to align this with Area Partnership Plans; and
- (ii) that updates would be provided to Area Partnerships as the work progressed.