

POLLOKSHIELDS AREA PARTNERSHIP'S MINUTES.

Minutes of meeting held on 11th February 2025, City Chambers, Glasgow.

Present: Councillor Zen Ghani (Chair), Bailie Norman MacLeod, Councillor Jon Molyneux and Bailie Hanif Raja, Glasgow City Council; Inspector Graeme Hogg, Police Scotland; John Casey, Glasgow City Health and Social Care Partnership; Bill Lawns, Glasgow Third Sector Interface Network; Mary Williamson, Craigton Community Council; Ruth Maltman, Dumbreck Community Council; Tabassum Niamat, Pollokshields Community Council; Michael Igoe, Shawlands and Strathbungo Community Council; Shahnaz Ahmed Shakoor, Southside Housing Association; and Kevin Kane, Strathbungo Society.

Apology: Ann Laing, Pollokshields Heritage.

Attending: E Miller (Clerk); K McKenzie and D Speirs (for the Head of Policy and Corporate Governance); and K McCormick (for the Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability).

Minutes of previous meeting approved etc – Requests to Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability, Councillor Ghani and Head of Policy and Corporate Governance.

1 The minutes of 19th November 2024 were submitted and approved, subject to noting the following

- (1) at Item 1(1), regarding written reports from Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability (NRS), Bailie MacLeod intimated the Partnership's repeated request for a written report on ward updates for each meeting;
- (2) at Item 1(3), regarding co-opted members, Councillor Ghani would continue to deal with prospective organisations;
- (3) at Item 1(5), regarding Pollokshields Community Centre, Bailie MacLeod requested that a report be provided by NRS on People Make Glasgow Communities and that a representative be invited to a future meeting of the Partnership to discuss this;
- (4) at Item 1(9), regarding noisy car exhausts, Councillor Ghani and Kirsteen McKenzie would contact Environmental Health regarding this issue;
- (5) at Item 1(10), regarding signs noting shared usage of pathways for cyclists and pedestrians, Bill Lawns advised that signage had been removed;
- (6) at Item 7(ii)(A), regarding timing lights at Darnley Street crossing, as no representative had attended from NRS, this would be continued to the next meeting to confirm the amended timings at the crossing;

- (7) at item 5(d), regarding Public Liability Insurance cover, NRS had confirmed that block insurance cover could be provided, however an individual would not be insured for each activity. Mary Williamson advised that risk assessments had always been in place and that the neighbourhood improvement volunteers advised where they would be working and continued to work in the ward, although not insured, and that Mary would provide an update on this matter to the next meeting of the Partnership; and
- (8) at item 7(d), regarding Devon Street Urban Park, Councillor Molyneux and Councillor Gallagher, on behalf of Pollokshields and Southside Central Area Partnerships had written to George Gillespie, Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability to advise that the Partnerships were supportive of the project and it had been confirmed that the project would potentially be eligible for ENV2/IPG12 funding.