



## **Item 3**

**19th February 2025**

### **Glasgow Community Planning Partnership**

### **Drumchapel/Anniesland Area Partnership**

### **Report by Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration & Sustainability**

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### **Local Parks & Open Space Improvement Fund**

#### **Purpose of Report:**

To provide the Area Partnership with an update on the Local Parks and Open Space Fund for the Drumchapel / Anniesland ward.

#### **Recommendations:**

The Area Partnership is asked to note the contents of this report.

## 1. Introduction

- 1.1 Glasgow City Council allocated £3 million to Area Partnerships across the city for investment in Parks and Open Spaces over 2021/22 & 2022/23. This report is to provide members an update on each allocated project within the ward and to advise on any further steps to be taken.
- 1.2 It should be noted that 328 projects have been approved on an ongoing basis since year 1 of this fund. Whilst the Service is placing focus on delivering these within desired timescales, these will be subject to resource pressures within the Service, alongside daily operational requirements. Where possible, the Service has been engaging with partners to grant award monies for project delivery where appropriate, to support community empowerment and local capacity building.

## 2. Summary

- 2.1 The following table provides options for us of the Local Parks and Open Spaces Fund for 2021/22 & 2022/23:

### **Ward 14 Drumchapel Anniesland 2021/22**

<b>Location</b>	<b>Proposal</b>	<b>Budget Allocated</b>	<b>Anticipated timescales for any remaining works by NRS</b>
Hecla Park Festive Natural Christmas Trees (6 No)	Natural Xmas Trees	£9100	Complete
Hecla Park Festive Lighting	Central tree for Festive Lighting location	£9750	Complete
Hecla Park COVID 19 Memorial	Landscaping works to complement Memorial stone	£7070	Complete
Gorget Avenue	Various play area improvements	£9088	Play Area improvements have been undertaken to a value of £3700. Remaining funds (£5388) have been allocated to projects detailed in 22/23 spends, as detailed below.
Knightwood High School	Expand or enhance food growing provision in discussion with local stakeholders	£2500	Grant funded to school

Drumchapel Park	Paint/refurbish a section of railings where previous lead paint has been used	£35,994	Complete
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### **2022/23**

<b>Location</b>	<b>Budget Allocated</b>	<b>Status &amp; Next Steps</b>
Blairdardie & Old Drumchapel CC	£24,500	Projects currently being considered for development in conjunction with the relevant Community Council
Drumchapel CC	£24,500	Projects currently being considered for development in conjunction with the relevant Community Council
High Knightswood & Anniesland CC	£24,500	<p>Temple Shafton Youth Project greenspace enhancements - £2500 grant funded to date</p> <p><b>Confirmed Grant Funds:</b>  Knightswood Secondary School greenspace enhancements - £5,000  Knightswood Primary School greenspace enhancements - £5,000  St Ninian's Primary School greenspace enhancements - £5,000  Temple Shafton Youth Project greenspace enhancements - £5,000 (including transfer of £2500 from Gorget Avenue Play Area)</p> <p><b>Confirmed projects:</b>  Trinley Brae Bench - £2,500 - Installation date tbc.</p> <p><b>Balance remaining for future allocation- £4,888</b>  (includes transfer of £2888 from Gorget Avenue Play Area)</p>

### **3. Recommendations**

- 3.1 The Area Partnership is to approve recommendations for use of the Local Parks and Open Space Fund within the ward.