



## Item 4b

1st September 2026

**Glasgow Community Planning Partnership.**

**Garscadden/Scotstounhill Area Partnership.**

**Report by Head of Policy and Corporate Governance**

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### **Neighbourhood Infrastructure Improvement Fund (NIIF) – New Proposals**

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

To summarise further NIIF funding proposals that have been received from community organisations.

#### **Recommendations:**

The Area Partnership is asked to consider the funding proposals outlined in Appendix 1 and decide whether it wishes them to be referred to NRS to be assessed and costed.

## **Introduction.**

1. The purpose of this paper is to present further proposals for NIIF funding to the Area Partnership to consider. Ideas that the Area Partnership wishes to go forward to the next stage will be assessed and costed by Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability (NRS) and brought to a future meeting when the Area Partnership will be asked to consider allocating funding.

## **Proposal for NIIF funding.**

2. The Partnership has been considering proposals for NIIF funding generated by local communities on an ongoing basis. A template has been used to gather ideas based on the detail that NRS need to properly assess and cost proposals.
3. Further proposals have been received and are attached as **Appendix 1**.

## **Funding Position.**

4. Members are reminded that the forthcoming meeting of the Area Partnership will represent a **critical decision point** for the NIIF to ensure full expenditure of the fund within the agreed timeframes. Area Partnerships are asked to review and decide on all available cost estimates at these meetings. **These are detailed in a separate report from NRS.**
5. Area Partnerships are also asked to agree on any further proposals that members wish to be costed at this meeting. Any proposals that are not referred to NRS to be costed at the forthcoming meeting are **unlikely to be costed, approved, or delivered by April 2027**, and uncommitted funding may ultimately be **unavailable to spend**.

## **Recommendations.**

6. The Area Partnership is asked to consider the funding proposals outlined in Appendix 1 and decide whether it wishes them to be referred to NRS to be assessed and costed.

# Neighbourhood Infrastructure Improvement Fund Template for Ideas Gathering

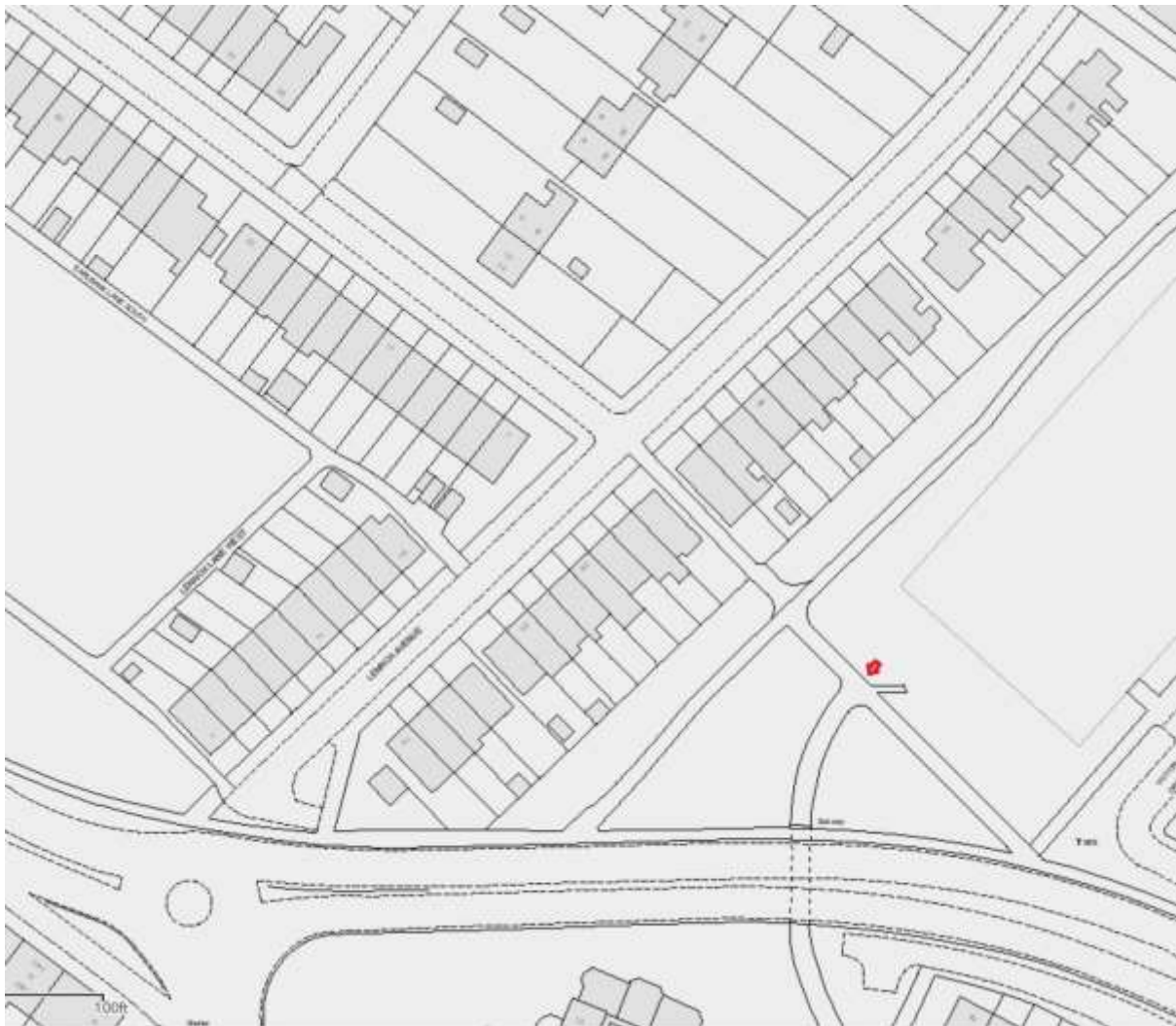
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| Description of Work Required for Estimate                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Location of Work Required for Estimate                                                                                                                                   |
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| Install new Keep Clear road markings, and where appropriate bollards or similar measures, at junction corners to discourage parking close to corners, improve sightlines and increase pedestrian safety.                                                                                                                                                     | Junction corners throughout the Scotstoun Conservation Area                                                                                                              |
| Renew pavement surfaces due to poor condition and trip hazards, including footways serving local shops, GP surgery and signalised crossing.                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 1479-1507 Dumbarton Road, Scotstoun                                                                                                                                      |
| Additional contribution of £25,000 towards play park renewal and improvement.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Play park at Earl Street/Harland Street                                                                                                                                  |
| Install new street lighting column to improve safety, visibility and usage of the path and underpass.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Opposite the northern entrance to the underpass on the Victoria Park Nature Trail towards Whiteinch<br><br>In the area of 55°52'38.1"N 4°20'32.4"W<br><br>See Appendix 2 |
| Install low tubular metal fencing, accessible entrance and pathway to protect public green space from unauthorised vehicle access and improve access to the riverside area. Removal of unauthorised vehicles may also be required.<br><br>Tubular fencing is preferred similar to the original installation but other alternative options can be considered. | GCC-owned riverside green space at the bottom of Balmoral Street<br><br>See Appendix 3                                                                                   |
| Bulb and wildflower planting scheme across approximately six to seven larger green spaces to improve biodiversity, appearance and community engagement.                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Various larger green spaces throughout Scotstoun<br><br>See appendix 4                                                                                                   |

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| <p><b>Installation of 2 picnic benches at Danes Drive Park</b></p> <p><b>Specific locations for the benches provided within the appendix. This idea has been developed in collaboration with Scotstoun Community Council.</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <p><b>Danes Drive Play Park.</b></p> <p><b>See appendix 5</b></p>                                                                                                                                                            |
| <p><b>Roof (internal and external)and guttering works to make the building wind and water tight.</b></p> <p><b>Surveyors have attended the site, an updated cost may be needed in line with the NIIF governance process</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <p><b>Building at corner of Archerhill Road and Clarion Road used by Knightswood Old Men's Recreation Club</b></p>                                                                                                           |
| <p><b>We would like to propose that a signalised pedestrian crossing be installed at an appropriate location directly connecting Lincoln Estate to the MUGA.</b></p> <p><b>Ideally the crossing should include:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Pedestrian traffic signals with push-button activation.</b></li> <li>• <b>Tactile paving and dropped kerbs for accessibility compliance.</b></li> <li>• <b>High-visibility road markings and signage.</b></li> <li>• <b>Associated traffic management measures to ensure safe vehicle approach speeds.</b></li> </ul> | <p><b>There is a unsignalized crossing near the bus stops and the entrance to estate closest to 160 Lincoln Avenue. (What3words: pull.horn.cube (golf club side) &amp; pass.porch.focal (Lincoln Avenue estate side)</b></p> |
| <p><b>Knightswood Football Club is seeking £98,500 towards the design, specification, supply, installation and commissioning of a modern, energy-efficient LED floodlighting system at Ashfield Park. The proposed floodlighting is one of the final pieces of essential infrastructure required to complete the redevelopment and unlock the full potential of the facility as a year-round community sports hub.</b></p> <p><b>The project will include:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Professional lighting design and technical specification.</b></li> </ul>   | <p><b>Ashfield Park/Yoker Mains Football Pitch,</b></p> <p><b>Post Code- G14 0LQ</b></p>                                                                                                                                     |

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Supply of high-performance LED floodlights.</li><li>• Installation of galvanised steel lighting columns and foundations.</li><li>• Electrical infrastructure, cabling and distribution equipment.</li><li>• Lighting control systems.</li><li>• Testing, commissioning and certification.</li><li>• Compliance with all relevant planning, electrical and safety requirement.</li></ul> |  |
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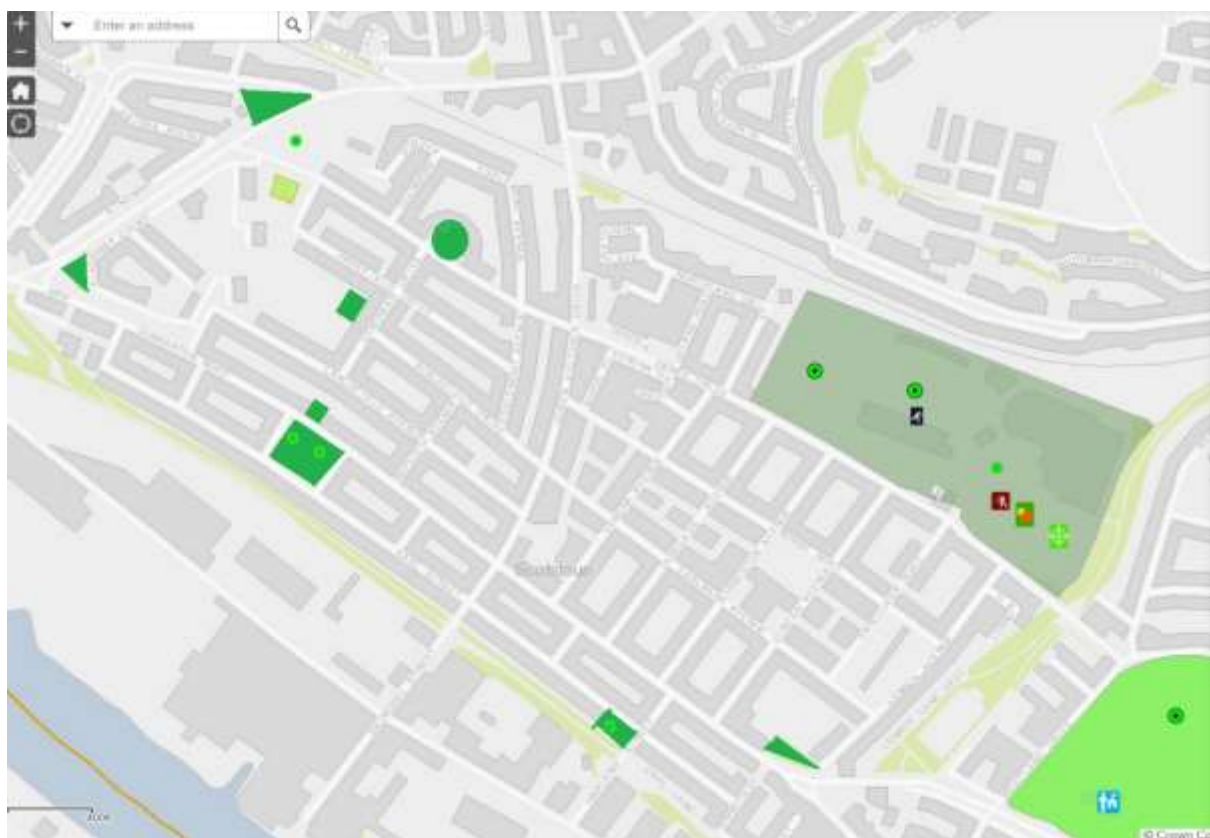
## Appendix 2



### Appendix 3



## Appendix 4



## Appendix 5



