**Police Scotland – Ward update noted.**

**9** There was heard and noted a report by Inspector Scott Simpson, Police Scotland, advising of the current progress Police Scotland was making within the Ward, advising that

(1) there had been an increase in the theft of high value motor vehicles around the Newlands Area using the style of relay theft on keyless entry systems to vehicles and that they would be working to publicise ways on how to prevent this from happening;

(2) that bike thefts continued to be an issue across the City and that community officers would be carrying out work to encourage bike marking and the use of bike locks; and

(3) continue to support local primary schools with the Car Free Zones.

After consideration, the Partnership noted the report and thanked Inspector Scott Simpson for the update.