Local Parks and Open Spaces Improvement Fund 2022/23 – Change to funding use approved etc.

3 With reference to the minutes fo 15th November 2022 when the Partnership **r**equested the Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability provide a written report to the next meeting of this Partnership and requested that Kingsway Community Connections be consulted regarding the funding allocated for tree planting at Kingsway and Danes Drive as local residents had advised that they would be against this proposal, there was submitted a report by the Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability regarding the funding allocated from the Local Parks and Open Spaces Improvement fund, advising

(a) of progress and estimated timeframes for the completion of projects agreed from the 2021/22 budget;

(b) that following engagement with Kingsway Community Connections it was proposed that the £18,000 allocated for tree planting within the greenspace at Danes Drive and Kingsway be utilised instead to delvier works to make the entrances more attractive, planting of bulbs, benches, picnic benches and enhancements to the existing footpath network;

(c) that further site visits had taken place with regards to the agreed funding allocation from the 2022/23 budget for Knightswood Park, and that more detailed discussions would take place prior to agreement of the final project proposals.

After consideration, the Partnership

(1) noted the report; and

(2) agreed to the change of use of funds allocated for the greenspace at Danes Drive and Kingsway as detailed in the report.