Parkhead Hub update – Presentation noted.

3 There was heard and noted a presentation by Andrew Baillie and Dominque Harvey, Glasgow City Health and Social Care Partnership (GCHSCP) advising

(1) that Parkhead Hub would be one of the UK's largest primary care developments and bring together a range of services including mental health, addictions, justice supports, as well as a library and a community café;

(2) of the progress of the work that commenced in March 2022 that was due to be completed by 2024 with the current Parkhead Health Centre being demolished to accommodate the car park, which would be operational by 2025;

(3) with around 2,000 visitors per day, it was anticipated that the Hub would significantly contribute to the local economy, would have a positive impact on the local area, would develop public transport links that would offer easily accessible services in an open, welcoming and inviting building to support facilities to provide help to tackle poverty and address inequalities; and

(4) of the programme of engagement activities that commenced in March 2017, in addition to a range of social media methods to capture views, comments and questions and a live online session that took place during the pandemic to keep local residents informed of the developments.

After consideration the Partnership,

(a) noted the presentation and thanked Andrew Bailie and Dominque Harvey; and

(b) raised questions in relation to volunteering opportunities on offer, of the importance of the involvement of the third sector and other organisations to work together with GCHSCP to improve life challenges, of the different methods of engagement used which Dominque Harvey responded to.