New twin stream recycling approach - Presentation noted etc.

5 There was noted a presentation by Scott Armstrong, Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability, regarding the new twin stream recycling approach advising

(1) of the three key changes to planned kerbside recycling, the implementation plan that would be phased to 5-6 routes across Knightswood and that the new services would be introduced to the remainder of the north-west area throughout 2024;

(2) that residents would be informed by letter in advance of receipt of the new grey bin, that prior to the first collection residents would receive further information including a leaflet and collection calendar, of the use of press releases and a digital campaign including social media to publicise the changes to the recycling service and a drop-in event would be held locally for residents to learn more; and

(3) of the monitoring and evaluation process that would identify areas that may need further engagement and of the next steps including the communal recycling points pilot for flats and tenements in the Pollokshields area.

After consideration, the Partnership

(a) noted the presentation; and

(b) raised questions in relation to charges for brown bins, the implementation of the bin contamination policy and of the ongoing discussions with trade unions that were responded to by Mr Armstrong.