Glasgow Life Libraries Strategy and Team Structure - Presentation noted – Request to Chief Executive, Glasgow Life.

5 There was heard a presentation by the Mr Neil McClounan, Glasgow Life regarding the Glasgow Life Libraries Strategy, advising

(1) the vision for Glasgow Libraries;

(2) that feedback from a 2015 consultation confirmed that libraries were still a vital part of the community;

(3) of the 5 themes that underpinned the basic values and aspirations namely health and wellbeing, economy, social, culture and environment; and

(4) that everyone would be invited to take part in a survey with views from citizens, communities, partners and stakeholders and that contributions for the next step on Vision for Glasgow Libraries could be accessed at https://surveys.glasgowlife.org.uk/s/CXOIBA/, which was open until 16th December 2022 and should be circulated to as many residents and community groups as possible.

After consideration, the Partnership

(a) noted

(i) the presentation and thanked Mr McClounan for the update;

(ii) that the Community Development Officer for the Ward would be David McCready, who had done excellent work in the community; and

(iii) that the consultation was being distributed to the city's residents on as many forums as possible;

(b) raised concerns and questions that were answered by Mr McClounan; and

(c) requested the Chief Executive, Glasgow Life to provide

(i) an update on face-to-face and other services at The Bridge; and

(ii) information regarding when the consultation started and a timescale on when the results would be completed and published.