Neighbourhood Infrastructure Fund 2022/23 update noted.

4 There was submitted a report by the Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability (NRS), regarding the Baillieston Infrastucture Fund, advising

(1) of an update on the progress of the Neighbourhood Infrastructure Fund that had been carried out within the ward;

(2) of the community engagement process to inform the decision making process for the fund and a pilot programme of work, led by the Council's Centre of Civic Innovation, to research existing systems etc and would be working with the City Policy and Corporate Governance Team to run the system in a live testing environment, as detailed in the report;

(3) of redirected funding totalling £6m to be topped up in future budget years for road repairs, with details relating to the ward confirmed within the appendices to this report; and

(4) that Area Partnerships would still be expected to allocate the full £1m initially awarded and that a further report would be provided to the next meeting of the Partnership regarding feedback from the two pilots.

After consideration, the Partnership

(a) noted the report and raised questions in relation to the level of consultation and methods used to obtain a fair sounding of the whole community, which was responded to by Martin Lundie (NRS) and Karen Kenny (City Policy and Corporate Governance Team); and

(b) of the importance for consultation to be wide, representative and to involve young people in the community.

Variation in order of business.

5 The Partnership agreed to vary the order of business as hereinafter minuted.