A new model for Area Partnerships – Progress noted etc.

8 With reference to the minutes of 27th January 2022 when the Area Partnership noted the findings of the review of Area and Sector Partnerships, there was submitted a report by the Director of Community Empowerment and Equalities providing an outline of progress and the next steps in implementing the new model of Area Partnerships, advising

(1) of the recommendations and principles that were approved by the Glasgow Community Planning Partnership (GCPP) Strategic Partnership on 7th December 2021, as detailed in the Appendix to the report;

(2) of the progress made to date of Citizens' Panels and the decision to pilot in 3 wards namely Calton (North East Sector), Canal (North West Sector) and Greater Pollok (South Sector);

(3) of the revised timetable for the development of Citizens' Panels;

(4) that a timetable of Area Partnership meetings would be circulated as soon as possible; and

(5) the next steps.

After consideration, the Partnership

(a) noted

(i) the decisions taken by the GCPP Strategic Partnership in December 2021;

(ii) the new timeframe for the implementation of the 3 pilot Citizens' Panels and the rollout to other wards which had been extended to ensure enough time was available for the Panels to be genuinely co-designed with citizens; and

(iii) reservations concerning the role and remit of Citizens Panels and the lack of information provided to assist in taking any discussions forward; and

(b) agreed

(i) to notify the Director of Community Empowerment and Equalities by 30th June 2022 of any additional information and support required to assist with the transition to the new model of Area Partnerships; and

(ii) that a development day would be arranged to discuss Area Partnership priorities.