**Item 1**

**16th June 2022**

# SHETTLESTON AREA PARTNERSHIP'S MINUTES.

Minutes of meeting held on 27th January 2022, by video conference.

Present: Councillor Laura Doherty (Chair) and Councillor Thomas Kerr, Glasgow City Council; Chris Halliday, Glasgow Third Sector Interface Network; Station Commander Anthony Meechan, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service; Rosalind Ramage, Glasgow City Health and Social Care Partnership; Cathie Thomas, Carmyle Community Council; and Sergeant Gareth Wylie, Police Scotland.

Attending: A Croall (Clerk); K Kenny and D Speirs (for the Director of Community Empowerment and Equalities); M Lundie and G Wilson (for the Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability).

## Minutes of previous meeting approved.

**1** The minutes of 18th November 2021 were submitted and approved.

## Review of Sector and Area Partnerships – Update noted.

**2** With reference to the minutes of 18th November 2021 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 information on the outcome of the recommendations approved by the Glasgow Community Planning Partnership Strategic Partnership, advising

(1) of the background to the proposals agreed by the GCPP Strategic Partnership on 7th December 2021, as detailed in the report;

(2) the next steps for the review, as detailed in the report; and

(3) that the Citizens' Panels would be piloted of 3 Wards in the City which would involve engaging an independent body to evaluate the effectiveness and results of the pilots.

After consideration, the Partnership noted and thanked Mr D Speirs for the report.

## Your Neighbourhood, Your Place – Update noted.

**3** There was heard a verbal report by Mr M Lundie and Mr G Wilson, Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability providing an update on activity across the Ward area, advising

(1) that the cleansing service had returned to normal in the Ward area and that the bulk uplift service that had been suspended at Christmas due to staff absence had resumed on 20th January 2022;

(2) that Gary Wilson, Neighbourhood co-ordinator had engaged with elected members, businesses, housing providers and Police Scotland in the Ward area;

(3) that work had been carried out with partner bodies in relation to parking issues at Killin Drive and that this street would be marked as a no waiting zone and concerns raised by local residents regarding traffic at Shettleston Road would be inspected and the Roads department would improve signage for no left turns and a plan to refresh road markings be undertaken; and

(4) of the recycling bins added to St Paul's Primary School and that 35 neighbourhood hubs that had been set up to involve volunteers to borrow litter picking kits, with 1 hub based at Mount Vernon Primary School and of the ongoing joint initiatives with campus police officers who planned to organise litter pick events around local schools in the area.

After consideration, the Partnership

(a) noted the report;

(b) raised questions and concerns regarding the ongoing problem of fly-tipping in the area, in particular private land that had attracted refuse that had been dumped and commercial waste that had been left on Shettleston Road to which Mr Lundie responded; and

(c) thanked Mr Lundie and Mr Wilson for the update.

**Police Scotland Ward Update noted.**

**4** There was heard a verbal update by Sergeant Gareth Wylie, Police Scotland, advising the Partnership of the current activity within the Ward, advising

(1) that COP 26 had a significant impact which involved a number of local officers being deployed at the event and that the Omicron variant had affected levels of staffing, however the focus would be to re-establish community partnerships and proactive police patrols;

(2) that a serious incident that involved a young person before Christmas had involved work with the campus police officers at Bannerman High School and Eastbank Academy to engage with the young people and that increased patrols including enforcement would be ongoing for the foreseeable future; and

(3) that a focus on the supply and misuse of drugs would continue to be robustly policed and work with partners would be ongoing to get the right support to vulnerable people in the community.

After consideration, the Partnership noted the report and thanked Sergeant Gareth Wylie, Police Scotland for the update.

**Multi Member Ward Plan Update - Scottish Fire and Rescue Service Ward Update noted etc.**

**5** There was submitted a report by Station Commander Anthony Meechan, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service (SFRS) regarding the current issues, incidents and work being carried out in the Ward for the period from 1st October to 31st December 2021.

After consideration the Partnership noted the report and thanked Station Commander Anthony Meechan for the update.

**Area Budget 2021/22 - Applications for funding dealt with etc.**

**6** With reference to the minutes of the Council of 11th March 2021, when it agreed its budget for 2021/22, with overall funding available for Area Partnerships being maintained at 2020/21 levels, there was submitted a report by the Council's Director of Community Empowerment and Equalities regarding the Area Budget for 2021/22, advising

(1) of the current position in relation to the Area Partnership's budget for 2021/22;

(2) of Shettleston Area Partnership's Budget for 2021/22 totalling £72,339 and that funds totalling £399.71 had been carried forward by this Partnership for the 2021/22 financial year bringing the funding available to the Partnership for 2021/22 to £72,738.71;

(3) that the Area Partnership had allocated £62,456.50 to date, leaving a balance of £10,282.21 to be allocated and spent by 31st March 2022; and

(4) of the applications for funding from the Area Budget for 2021/22.

After consideration, the Partnership

(a) noted

(i) the position regarding the Area Budget Allocations for 2021/22; and

(ii) the 2 applications dealt with under delegated functions and of 2 ineligible application, as detailed in the report; and

(b) dealt with the applications for funding as follows, the grant awards being subject to the conditions detailed in the report:-

| *Applicant* | *Purpose of application* | *Decision* |
|---|---|---|
| Education Services – Quarrybrae Primary School | Towards the cost to install a trim trail and wetpour in the playground for outdoor play | Consideration continued to next meeting |
| Greyfriars Pipes and Drums | Towards the cost to replace existing uniforms and purchase additional uniforms for new members | Consideration continued to next meeting |
| Impact Arts (projects) Ltd | Towards the cost to redesign St Mark's mural to bring together young people and community consultation | Awarded £6,434 |
| Shettleston Men's Shed | Towards the cost to carry out COVID-19 adaptations to the premises | Awarded £3,078 |
| St Paul's Senior Citizens | Towards the cost for a trip to the theatre for older people | Awarded £770 |

**Area Budget 2022/23 - Applications for funding dealt with etc.**

**7** With reference to the minutes of the City Administration Committee of 29th August 2019, when the committee approved the proposed budget for the Glasgow Communities Fund for the next 3 financial years, there was submitted a report by the Council's Director of Community Empowerment and Equalities regarding the Area Budget for 2022/23, advising of the current position in relation to the Area Partnership's proposed Area Budget allocation and applications for funding for 2022/23, including information regarding travel passes and playschemes within the Ward area, and that it was anticipated that the Council would set its budget, early in 2022, for the financial year 2022/23.

After consideration, the Partnership

(1) noted

(a) the current Glasgow City Council budget position on the proposed Area

Budget allocations;

(b) the 2021/22 end of year arrangements;

(c) the current position on awarding funds from the 2022/23 allocation; and

(d) that time critical awards for up to £500 could be allocated from the 2022/23 budget under existing Delegated Authority arrangements.

(2) agreed the playscheme awards for Spring, Summer and October 2022 as follows:-

| Playscheme | Venue | Spring 2022 | Summer 2022 | October 2022 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Glasgow Women's Aid – Gina Wade | Confidential address | £390 | £1,365 | £195 | £1,950 |

(3) in terms of the Travel Pass Scheme, approved the issue of a travel pass to TICTAC2 out of school care.

**Minutes of North East Sector Community Planning Partnership noted.**

**8** The minutes of the North East Sector Community Planning Partnership of 24th November 2021 were submitted and noted.