

Cycling strategy improvements noted.

6 There was submitted and noted a report by the Executive Director of Land and Environmental Services regarding cycling strategy improvements, advising that

- (1) 'Glasgow's Strategic Plan for Cycling 2010–2020' was launched at the Cycling Scotland annual national cycling conference in November 2011 and development of the Plan was facilitated by British Cycling, with the Council being one of the first UK authorities to develop close ties between the sport side of cycling and cycling for transport;
- (2) the headline aspiration of the Plan was that 'Cycling would be the biggest participation activity in the city by 2020' and the action plan was intended as a simple guide to major projects that were being undertaken; and
- (3) his service was responsible for the planning and implementation of the majority of cycling infrastructure and promoting cycling as an active travel option, with Glasgow Life concentrating on the promotion of leisure cycling and sporting events as detailed in the report.