

SAFE GLASGOW PARTNERSHIP'S MINUTES.

Glasgow, 28th August 2025.

Safe Glasgow Partnership.

Present: Bailie Paul McCabe (Chair), Councillor Holly Bruce, Councillor Graham Campbell, Councillor Marie Garrity, Councillor William Graham, Bailie Seonad Hoy, Councillor Elaine McSporran, Councillor Davina Rankin, Councillor Catherine Vallis, Glasgow City Council; Chief Superintendent Emma Croft, Police Scotland, Local Senior Officer Andrew Kenna, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service; Darren Lambie, GCC Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability; Lynsey Smith, Glasgow City Health and Social Care Partnership; Jennifer Anderson, Wheatley Housing Group; and Lesley Gordon, Glasgow Third Sector Interface Network.

Apologies: Councillor Jill Pidgeon and Diane Gillies.

Attending: L Sclater (Clerk); R MacLeod and M Smith, Communities Team, Chief Executives Department; Superintendent John Menzies, Police Scotland; Group Commander Craig Campbell, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service; and Sean Hanlon, GCC Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability.

Chairs remarks.

1 Bailie McCabe opened the meeting by thanking Councillor McSporran for agreeing to continue in the role of Bonfire Safety Champion for the Safe Glasgow Partnership.

Minutes of previous meeting approved.

2 The minutes of 19th June 2025 were submitted and approved subject to noting that

- (1) the Chair had circulated a detailed response to this Partnership explaining that it was outwith the Partnership's remit to carry out a consultation on the policing of protests in Glasgow, as previously requested by Bailie Hoy;
- (2) the Chair would continue working with the Communities Team and Chief Superintendent Croft to explore further ways to enhance the scrutiny duties of the Partnership to fulfil the challenge detailed in the Council's Strategic Plan; and
- (3) as a consultation was outwith this Partnership's remit on this subject, Bailie Hoy requested that a community engagement exercise be carried out on the policing of protests instead of a consultation, with Bailie McCabe indicating

that both requests by Bailie Hoy were of a similar nature and that he would therefore arrange an offline meeting with herself, Councillor Bruce and Chief Superintendent Croft to provide an opportunity for them to raise their concerns.