

### **Vision for Glasgow Libraries noted – Request to Chief Executive, Glasgow Life.**

**3** There was heard a presentation by Alex Byers, Glasgow Life outlining for the Partnership the vision for Glasgow libraries, advising

- (1) that libraries were under threat with 122 closures to date in Scotland;
- (2) that in order to survive libraries would require to adapt and provide more relevant services;
- (3) that there were currently 33 libraries in Glasgow and surveys suggested that 93% of citizens were satisfied with the services provided;
- (4) that the vision for Glasgow libraries was to adapt in order to support learning and literacy in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century; and
- (5) of the various objectives and actions proposed to support this vision.

After consideration, the Partnership noted

- (a) the presentation and action plan;
- (b) requested the Chief Executive, Glasgow Life to confirm what plans there were to adapt Parkhead Library to make access easier for people with physical limitations; and
- (c) expressed thanks to Glasgow Life for the work being carried out and for the continued quality of the services of the libraries.