

## **Thriving Cities Initiative update noted - Reference to City Administration Committee.**

**6** There was submitted a report by the Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability regarding the Thriving Cities Initiative (TCI) and the creation of a Thriving Glasgow City Portrait (TGCP), advising

- (1) that during COP26, the City of Glasgow made a political commitment to become a Thriving City and, to progress this work, Glasgow committed to working with C40, who were a global network of mayors from the world's leading cities that were united in action to address the climate crisis;
- (2) that the TCI was a key programme of work led by C40, to address those issues and TCI used an iterative approach to support cities in addressing unsustainable consumption to help achieve the targets of the Paris Agreement and improve equity, quality of life and economic livelihoods in cities and Glasgow, through its hosting of COP26 and its work in addressing the climate and ecological emergency, was invited to be part of this work;
- (3) of the primary aims and goals and work completed to date on the TCI which included the development of the TGCP, led by the Gallant team at the University of Glasgow, together with the thriving definitions that made up the TGCP, as outlined in the appendix to the report; and
- (4) of the outputs and next steps, as detailed in the report.

After consideration, the committee

- (a) noted the Thriving Glasgow City Portrait definitions together with the next steps outlined to move the Thriving Glasgow City Portrait to action through the Thriving Cities Initiative; and
- (b) referred the Thriving Glasgow City Portrait Definitions to the City Administration Committee for approval.