

CITY ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE'S MINUTES.

By video conference, 10th February 2022.

City Administration Committee.

Present: Susan Aitken (Chair), Saqib Ahmid (substitute for Eva Murray), Richard Bell, Maureen Burke, Bill Butler, Allan Casey, Malcolm Cunning, Chris Cunningham, Archie Graham, Greg Hepburn, Mhairi Hunter, John Kane (substitute for Soryia Siddique), Ruairi Kelly, Thomas Kerr, Jennifer Layden, David McDonald, Kenny McLean, Jon Molyneux, Jane Morgan, Cecilia O'Lone, Anna Richardson, Kyle Thornton and Martha Wardrop and Mr James Hamilton.

Apologies: Eva Murray and Soryia Siddique.

Attending: M Hughes (Clerk); A O'Donnell, Chief Executive; D Hutchison, Executive Director of Education Services; M Booth, Executive Director of Finance; G Gillespie, Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability; E Galletly, Director of Legal and Administration; I Robertson, Director of City Development; C Edgar, Head of Communication and Strategic Partnerships; and M Hogg (for the Chief Officer, Glasgow City Health and Social Care Partnership).

Consultation on creation of new primary school to be situated on south-side of the city (Wards, 4, 6, 8, 11 and 22) – Proposal approved.

1 With reference to the minutes of the Education, Skills and Early Years City Policy Committee of 27th January 2022 (Print 6, page 39) when it was agreed to recommend to this committee that the proposal to create a new primary school to be situated on the south-side of the city (Wards 4, 6, 8, 11 and 22) be not taken forward and proposing the next steps to be actioned, Councillor Cunningham, City Convener for Education, Skills and Early Years, presented a report on the matter, advising

- (1) of the outcome of the consultation on the proposal to create a new primary school to be situated on the south-side of the city and that there had not been a clear consensus expressed by respondents on the 2 proposed options namely Option 1, the re-purposing of the building at 5 Florence Street and Option 2, the re-purposing of the Adelphi Centre at 12 Commercial Road;
- (2) of the main views expressed as part of the consultation survey and the corresponding responses from Education Services, as detailed in the report; and
- (3) that officers had accepted that there was insufficient support for the proposal set out in the consultation and it was proposed that the proposal to create a new primary school to be situated on the south-side of the city be not taken forward and that Education Services would prepare a new statutory

consultation and engage with the Scottish Government to explore options for capital funding as the funding from the Learning Estate programme for the major refurbishment and creation of a new school could no longer be guaranteed to be made available for whenever an alternative solution was developed.

After consideration, the committee

- (a) agreed that the proposal to create a new primary school to be situated on the south-side of the city be not taken forward; and
- (b) approved the proposed next steps, as detailed in the report.