**Item 1**

**27th August 2014**

# CALTON AREA PARTNERSHIP.

Minutes of meeting held on 11th June 2014 in the City Chambers, Glasgow.

Present: Councillors George Redmond (Chair) and Yvonne Kucuk, Glasgow City Council; Inspector Paul Cameron, Police Scotland; John Ferguson, Parkhead Community Council; William Lang, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service; Joan McMahon, Gallowgate TRA; Mary McPherson, Calton Community Council; Douglas O'Malley, Glasgow Community Health Partnership; James Smith, Bridgeton and Dalmarnock Community Council and Anne Young, West Of Scotland Housing Association.

Apologies: Councillor Alison Thewliss, Glasgow City Council; Kelly Glass and Derek Kelter, Voluntary Sector Networks (in conjunction with the Third Sector Forum).

Attending: K Meloy (Clerk); A McMillan and L O'Neill (for the Executive Director of Corporate Services).

**Minutes of previous meeting approved.**

**1** The minutes of 30th April 2014 were submitted and approved, the Partnership having noted concerns expressed by John Ferguson regarding the overprovision of Off Licences in the Calton Ward.

**Supporting community engagement – Arrangements for proposed facilitated workshop noted.**

**2** There was submitted a report by the Executive Director of Corporate Services regarding a proposal to provide a facilitated workshop for members of the 6 Area Partnerships in the North East Sector of the city which would examine approaches to community engagement, in particular, around deliberate dialogue, advising

(1) of the background of the training proposal; and

(2) of the aims and objectives of the training proposal.

After consideration, the Partnership

(a) noted the report;

(b) agreed to participate in the proposed community engagement training programme; and

(c) agreed that training should be opened up to include representatives from youth providers and not be limited to members of the Partnership.

**Health Inequalities – Presentation noted.**

**3** There was heard and noted a presentation by Douglas O'Malley, Glasgow Community Health Partnership, regarding the causes of Health Inequalities in North East Sector and of policies considered more likely to be effective. The Partnership expressed concerns regarding the lack of work with community projects on this issue.

**Neighbourhood Management - Street cleansing community feedback noted – Request to Chief Constable, Police Scotland**

**4** There was submitted a report by the Executive Director of Corporate Services providing results of community feedback regarding street cleansing within the ward, advising

(1) of the community consultation and engagement exercise;

(2) that analysis of the questionnaires highlighted other issues identified by the community;

(3) that the Local Operational Working Group (LOWG) will be responsible for the delivery of actions identified within the report; and

(4) of identified priorities and streets, as detailed in the appendix.

After consideration, the Partnership

(a) noted the report;

(b) agreed that they would like the LOWG to target each of the identified priorities in order as detailed in the appendix; and

(c) requested that Police Scotland would liaise with Community Safety Glasgow and submit a report to the next meeting on crime within the ward, with a focus on anti-social behaviour.

**Area Budget 2014/15 – Applications for funding dealt with.**

**5** There was submitted a report by the Executive Director of Corporate Services detailing applications for funding from the Calton Area Budget 2014/15.

After consideration, the Partnership

(1) noted that to date, £10,376.50 had been allocated to various projects in the Calton Ward, leaving a balance of £54,883.50; and

(2) dealt with the applications for funding as follows, the grant awards being subject to the conditions detailed in the report:-

| *Applicant* | *Purpose of application* | *Decision* |
|---|---|---|
| Cuthelton Social Club | Towards bus hire costs for a trip to Inverary on 9th July 2014 for 50 people and to refurbish the memorial garden. | Approved £1,544 |
| Food Train | To expand their services to the North East Sector. | No Award |
| Glasgow Council on Alcohol | To deliver summer events in Alexandra Park, Auchinlea Park and The Barras. | No Award |
| Helenslea Nursery School | To purchase outdoor play equipment. | Approved £1,754 |
| New Fossils Grandparents Support Group | Towards bus hire costs for a trip to Pontins in Southport on 13th July 2014 for 24 adults and 20 children. | Approved £300 |
| Yomo | To deliver workshops and development sessions for young grant makers to develop application form. | Approved £1,030 |
| #ESALA Projects | Towards cost to undertake a creative residency in Dalmarnock. | No award |
| #*People's Development Trust | To deliver programme of activites for the community from 30th June – 12 August 2014. | Continued consideration |
| #St Anne's Primary School | Towards cost for schools within the St Mungo's Learning commuity to participate in an event at St. James' Palace on 24th July 2014. | Approved £3,000 |
| #**BDC Credit Union | To purchase IT Equipment. | Continued consideration |

# These applications were accepted by the Chair as additional items of business as a matter of urgency, in view of the timescales.

*Councillor Yvonne Kucuk declared an interest in this item of business and took no part in the discussion or decision thereon.

**Councillor George Redmond declared an interest in this item of business and vacated the chair and took no part in the discussion or decision thereon.

(3) approved the award of playscheme funding as follows, subject to satisfactory assessment and receipt of any outstanding information:-

| Playscheme | Venue | Spring 2014 | Summer 2014 | October 2014 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Reidvale Youth 'n' Action | Reidvale Neighbourhood Centre | - | £1,353 | £205 |
| South Camlachie Youth Project | G31 Centre | - | £420 | £105 |

**Minutes of North East Sector Partnership noted.**

**6** There was submitted and noted the minutes of the North East Sector Community Planning Partnership of 29th May 2014.