

Glasgow and the Clyde Valley Strategic Development Planning Authority

**To: Glasgow and the Clyde Valley Strategic Development Planning Authority
Joint Committee**

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Glasgow and the Clyde Valley Strategic Development Planning Authority Joint Committee

1. Introduction

- 1.1 This report is for the Joint Committee to consider the commencement of the process for the formal dissolution of the Glasgow and the Clyde Valley Strategic Development Planning Authority Joint Committee.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 It is recommended that the Joint Committee consider the content of this report and
- agree to support the work to explore the future governance arrangements for the performance of the functions undertaken by the Joint Committee including the formal dissolution of the Joint Committee;
 - agree that the Clerk write to the member authorities to inform them of the Joint Committee's decision;
 - note that further reports be brought to future meetings of the Joint Committee which relate to the future of strategic planning across the Glasgow and Clyde Valley Area;
 - note that Glasgow City Council, working with the current host Authority, Renfrewshire Council, shall implement a governance structure to manage the dissolution process and consider the continued contribution of the member authorities towards the strategic planning function.

3. **Context**

- 3.1 The Joint Committee will be aware of the changes arising from the Planning (Scotland) Act 2019 in respect of the duties on local authorities in relation to strategic planning and have considered previous reports in this regard in particular on 10th June and 9th September 2019.
- 3.2 Given these changes it is acknowledged that the role and remit for which the Glasgow and Clyde Valley Strategic Development Planning Authority Joint Committee was previously established has been significantly amended and that therefore the role of the Committee requires to be reviewed.
- 3.3 It is, however, recognised that all eight Glasgow City Region Local Authorities who are currently involved with the Glasgow and Clyde Valley Strategic Development Planning Authority Joint Committee wish to continue to contribute towards the strategic planning of the City Region.
- 3.4 With this in mind it is recommended that in the first instance the Joint Committee agree to the work being undertaken to identify future governance arrangements for the Joint Committee's functions including dissolution of the Joint Committee and with this in mind the Clerk is asked to write to the member councils to inform them of the Joint Committee's position on this matter.