

# Notice of Meeting and Agenda Forum for Empowering Communities Group

Date	Time	Venue
Tuesday, 12 March 2024	14:00	Remotely via Teams,

MARK CONAGHAN Head of Corporate Governance

#### Membership

F Garabedian, Active Communities; M Mathieson, Barnados; A Thomson, Bridgewater Housing Association; J Gonani, DEAR; A McNiven, Engage Renfrewshire; J Wilby, Paisley West & Central Community Council; G Sergeant, Police Scotland; P Jung, RAMH; S Cruickshank, Renfrewshire Access Panel; M Fotheringham, Renfrewshire Citizens Advice Bureau; C Forbes, ROAR; and C Masson, Save the Children.

#### Chair

A McNiven, Chief Executive, Engage Renfrewshire.

### Further Information - online meeting only

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#### Items of business

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Apologies from members.

#### **Declarations of Interest**

Members are asked to declare an interest in any item(s) on the agenda and to provide a brief explanation of the nature of the interest.

### Minute of Previous Meeting

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Minute of previous meeting held on 7 December 2023.

#### 2 Rolling Action Log

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Report by Clerk.

### 3 Matters Arising

### 4 Community Mental Health & Wellbeing Update

Verbal update by A McBride.

### 5 In-Ren Update/Dear Group

Verbal Update by S Graham, Renfrewshire Council and A McNiven, Engage Renfrewshire.

### 6 Community Transport Update

Verbal Update by C Forbes, ROAR.

# 7 Local Partnerships Update

Verbal Update by S Graham, Renfrewshire Council.

# 8 Howwood Road Development

Verbal report by S Graham, Renfrewshire Council.

### 9 Community Planning Annual Report

Verbal Report by S Graham, Renfrewshire Council.

## 10 Fairer Food Policy

Presentation by B Jardine, Senior Planning & Policy Officer (Poverty & Equalities), Renfrewshire Council.