

## Minute of Meeting Local Partnership - Gleniffer

Date	Time	Venue
Thursday, 25 May 2023	18:30	Foxbar Community Centre, Amochrie Road, Paisley,

### **PRESENT**

Councillor Stephen Burns; Councillor Lorraine Cameron; Councillor Eddie Devine; Councillor Anne Hannigan; Councillor Bruce MacFarlane; Councillor Marie McGurk; Councillor Kevin Montgomery; Jim Duffy (West Region Scouts Association); Bill Martin (The Thursday Club); and Doreen Polson (Foxbar Rivers Community Building).

### **CHAIR**

Councillor MacFarlane, presided.

### **IN ATTENDANCE**

C Dalrymple, Lead Officer, Head of Facilities & Property Management; S Graham, Partnership Manager; L McLean, Senior Development Officer; J Long, Project Officer and E Gray, Senior Committee Services Officer (all Renfrewshire Council).

### **ALSO ATTENDING**

J Hamilton, Engage Renfrewshire.

## **APOLOGIES**

Yvonne Povah (Stronger Communities Glenburn) and Tony Lawler (Foxbar & Brediland Community Council).

## **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Councillor Hannigan declared an interest in item 3 – Applications for Local Partnership Grant Funding – in respect of application FR1093 submitted by Paisley Opera as she was a volunteer for that organisation and intimated her intention to take no part in any discussion or voting thereon.

B Martin declared an interest in item 3 – Applications for Local Partnership Grant Funding – in respect of application FR1035 and FR1036 submitted by The Thursday Club as he was a member of that organisation and intimated his intention to take no part in any discussion or voting thereon.

### **1 MINUTE OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

The minute of the previous meeting of Gleniffer Local Partnership held on 28 February 2023 was submitted and approved.

**DECIDED:** That the minute be approved.

### **2 GLENIFFER LOCAL PARTNERSHIP BUDGET MONITORING REPORT**

There was submitted a report by the Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council, relative to Gleniffer Local Partnership budget monitoring.

The report provided detail on the funding awarded by the Gleniffer Local Partnership in 2022/23 from the General Grant Fund, the Paisley Common Good Fund and through a Participating Budgeting exercise known as Celebrating Renfrewshire. The feedback which had been submitted by groups who had recieved grants was appended to the report.

**DECIDED:** That the report be noted.

### **3 APPLICATIONS FOR LOCAL PARTNERSHIP FUNDING TO GLENIFFER LOCAL PARTNERSHIP 2023/24**

There was submitted a report by the Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council, relative to applications for grant funding which had been submitted for consideration by the Gleniffer Local Partnership.

The report set out that there was a total of £52,914 available for dispersal and that the applications recieved totalled £98,539.88.

The Chair proposed that to manage the oversubscription fairly, that a cap of £2,500 be placed on applications, that application FR1140 be refused as it was not based in the Partnership area and that application FR1056 be refused as it did not meet the local priorities.

During discussion concerns were raised around application FR1073. It was proposed

that the application be deferred pending further information on the project being sought by officers. This was agreed unanimously.

The total value of the grants awarded was £48,385.27 resulting in a balance of £4,528.73 remaining available for dispersal.

**DECIDED:**

That the following grants awards be approved:

FR1032 - Foxbar Keep Fit Club - £2,000  
FR1033 - Foxbar Friday Bowling Club - £2,000  
FR1034 - Foxbar Elderly Forum - £2,000  
FR1035 - The Thursday Club - £2,500  
FR1036 - The Thursday Cub Sub Group - £199  
FR1041 - REEM (Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities) - £2,000  
FR1045 - REEM (Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities) - £1,000  
FR1049 - Dates-n-Mates - £1,000  
FR1051 - Renfrewshire Toy Bank - £1,100  
FR1055 - Renfrewshire Walking Network - £560  
FR1056 - Paisley Peoples Archive - refuse  
FR1061 - Paisley Pirates IHC - £1,836.27  
FR1063 - Paisley Sea Cadets/Brediland Hall - £2,500  
FR1064 - Fèis Phàislig - £2,500  
FR1071 - Early Years Scotland - £2,500  
FR1073 - Foxbar Resource Community Café - defer  
FR1080 - Meikleriggs Cricket Foundation - £2,500  
FR1083 - Kelburn Cricket Club Cricket Section - £240  
FR1093 - Paisley Opera - £2,500  
FR1100 - Rainbow Turtle - £2,500  
FR1106 - PACE Theatre Company - £1,600  
FR1110 - School of African Cultures - £2,500  
FR1120 - Ferguslie Cricket Club - £2,500  
FR1137 - Stronger Communities Glenburn - £2,500  
FR1138 - Stronger Communities Glenburn - £2,500  
FR1140 - Lamont Farm Project - refuse  
FR1148 - Shop Mobility Paisley and District - £350  
FR1150 - Renfrewshire Access Panel - £2,500  
FR1157 - Glenburn Resource Centre - £2,500

**DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

**DECIDED:** It was noted that the next meeting of the Gleniffer Local Partnership was scheduled for Tuesday 19 September 2023 at 6.00pm at a venue in the Partnership area.