

## **Notice of Meeting and Agenda**

### **Local Partnership - Paisley East, Ralston, Hawkhead and Lochfield, Hunterhill & Charleston**

| <b>Date</b>              | <b>Time</b> | <b>Venue</b>                                                                              |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Wednesday, 27 March 2019 | 18:00       | Marriage Suite, Council Headquarters, Renfrewshire House, Cotton Street, Paisley, PA1 1AN |

Councillor Jennifer Adam-McGregor  
Chair

### **Membership**

Councillor Jennifer Adam-McGregor; Peter Campbell (Hopeful Evangelical Church); Rajiv Dabeeba (Hawkhead & Lochfield Community Council); Councillor Carolann Davidson; Councillor Eddie Devine; Helen Dykes (Paisley East & Whitehaugh Community Council); Councillor Neil Graham; Nicola Hanssen (ROAR Connections for Life); Chris Johnstone (Rainbow Turtle); Councillor Karen Kennedy; Elaine Loch (Paisley Opera); Mary Logan (Charleston Tenants and Residents Association); Councillor Paul Mack; Susan McDonald (Active Communities); Councillor Marie McGurk; Councillor John McIntyre; Councillor Kenny MacLaren; Councillor Mags MacLaren; Councillor John McNaughtan; Councillor Will Mylet; John McQuade (Renfrewshire Visually Impaired Forum); Piero Pieraccini (Paisley Development Trust); Councillor Jim Sharkey; and Allan Thomson (Ralston Community Council);

### **Chair**

Councillor Adam-McGregor (Convener).

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## **Members of the Press and Public**

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## **Items of business**

### **Apologies**

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.

#### **1 Welcome and Introductions**

#### **2 Appointment of Vice-Chair**

In terms of the Standing Orders for Local Partnerships, each Local Partnership will appoint its own Vice-Chair, who shall be a community representative. Each nomination for this post requires to be proposed and seconded by members of the Local Partnership.

#### **3 Minute of Previous Meeting**

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Submit minute of meeting of Local Partnership - Paisley East, Ralston, Hawkhead and Lochfield, Hunterhill & Charleston held on 24 January, 2019.

#### **4 Code of Conduct/Register of Interests**

Head of Corporate Governance to report.

#### **5 Key Local Priorities**

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Local Profile attached

#### **6 Local Partnership - Future Arrangements**

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Report by Chief Executive.



## **Minute of Meeting Local Partnership - Paisley East, Ralston, Hawkhead and Lochfield, Hunterhill & Charleston**

| <b>Date</b>               | <b>Time</b> | <b>Venue</b>                                                                                        |
|---------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Thursday, 24 January 2019 | 14:00       | Corporate Meeting Room 1, Council Headquarters, Renfrewshire House, Cotton Street, Paisley, PA1 1AN |

### **Present**

Councillor Jennifer Adam-McGregor: Councillor Eddie Devine: Helen Dykes (Paisley East & Whitehaugh Community Council): Councillor Neil Graham: Councillor Karen Kennedy: Councillor Paul Mack: Councillor Marie McGurk: Councillor John McIntyre: Councillor John McNaughtan: Hugh Sherry (Ralston Community Council): and Joseph Theodore (substitute for R Dabeeba, Hawkhead & Lochfield Community Council).

### **Chair**

Councillor Adam-McGregor, Chair, presided.

### **In Attendnace**

L McIntyre, Head of Policy & Commissioning, A Armstrong Walter, Strategic Partnerships & Inequalities Manager and S Graham, Partnership Manager (all Chief Executive's Service); J Trainer, Head of Early Years and Inclusion (Children's Services) (Lead Officer); and R Devine, Senior Committee Services and D Low, Senior Committee Services Officer (LACs) (both Finance & Resources).

### **Also in Attendance**

S Miller (Engage Renfrewshire).

## **Apologies**

Councillor J Sharkey; R Dabeeba (Hawkhead & Lochfield Community Council); and A Thomson (Ralston Community Council).

## **Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest intimated prior to the commencement of the meeting.

### **1 Membership of Paisley East, Ralston, Hawkhead and Lochfield, Hunterill & Charleston Local Partnership**

There was submitted a report by the Chief Executive relative to the appointment of community representatives to vacant positions on the Paisley East, Ralston, Hawkhead and Lochfield, Hunterhill & Charleston Local Partnership.

The report advised that in terms of the decision taken at the meeting of the Council held on 27 September 2018 membership of the Local Partnerships would be comprised of an equal number of elected members from Renfrewshire Council and community representatives with the standing members being those elected members which represented wards within the Local Partnership area and representatives of active community councils in the area. The 13 elected members eligible for membership of the Paisley East, Ralston, Hawkhead and Lochfield, Hunterhill & Charleston Local Partnership were detailed together with the representatives of the three active Community Councils in the area. As a result, there were currently ten vacancies for community representatives. It was agreed that one of the vacancies not be filled at present to facilitate future youth representation on the Local Partnership.

Details of eight organisations who had, to date, expressed an interest in providing a community representative on the Local Partnership were provided within the report. Criteria to support standing members to come to a decision on the appointment of community representation was also provided.

The report intimated that neither Hunterhill nor Charleston Community Councils were currently active and it was agreed that the Council take appropriate action to encourage the re-establishment of Community Councils in those areas. It was also proposed and agreed that the representative of Hopeful Evangelical Church, Peter Campbell, be appointed, in the interim, to the standing member vacancy reserved for Charleston Community Council to represent the interests of the Charleston area. Furthermore, it was agreed that the remaining applicants be appointed to the Paisley East, Ralston, Hawkhead and Lochfield, Hunterhill & Charleston Local Partnership.

#### **DECIDED:**

(a) That the Council take appropriate action to encourage the re-establishment of Community Councils in the Hunterhill and Charleston areas;

(b) That the representative of Hopeful Evangelical Church, Peter Campbell, be appointed, in the interim, to the standing member vacancy reserved for Charleston Community Council to represent the interests of the Charleston area;

(c) That one of the existing vacancies on the Local Partnership not be filled at present to facilitate future youth representation; and

(d) That Mary Logan (Charleston Tenants and Residents Association), John McQuade (Renfrewshire Visually Impaired Forum), Nicola Hanssen (ROAR Connections for Life), Piero Pieraccini (Paisley Development Trust), Chris Johnstone (Rainbow Turtle), Elaine Loch (Paisley Opera) and Susan McDonald (Active Communities) be appointed to the Local Partnership.

## **2 Date of Next Meeting**

There then followed discussion regarding factors influencing arrangements for future meetings of the Local Partnership - Paisley East, Ralston, Hawkhead and Lochfield, Hunterhill & Charleston.

### **DECIDED:**

- (a) That it be noted that the next meeting of the Local Partnership - Paisley East, Ralston, Hawkhead and Lochfield, Hunterhill & Charleston would be held (i) during March 2019; (ii) at a similar time to the former Local Area Committee meetings; and (iii) at a venue to be advised to members as soon as possible; and
- (b) That it be noted that in terms of Local Partnership Standing Order 3.7 the Chair could agree that voting be by roll call vote to help ensure fairness in debate.





# Paisley East & Whitehaugh, Ralston, Hawkhead & Lochfield, Hunterhill and Charleston Local Profile: Background Information



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 Renfrewshire  
Community Planning  
Partnership

## Population

### How many people live here?

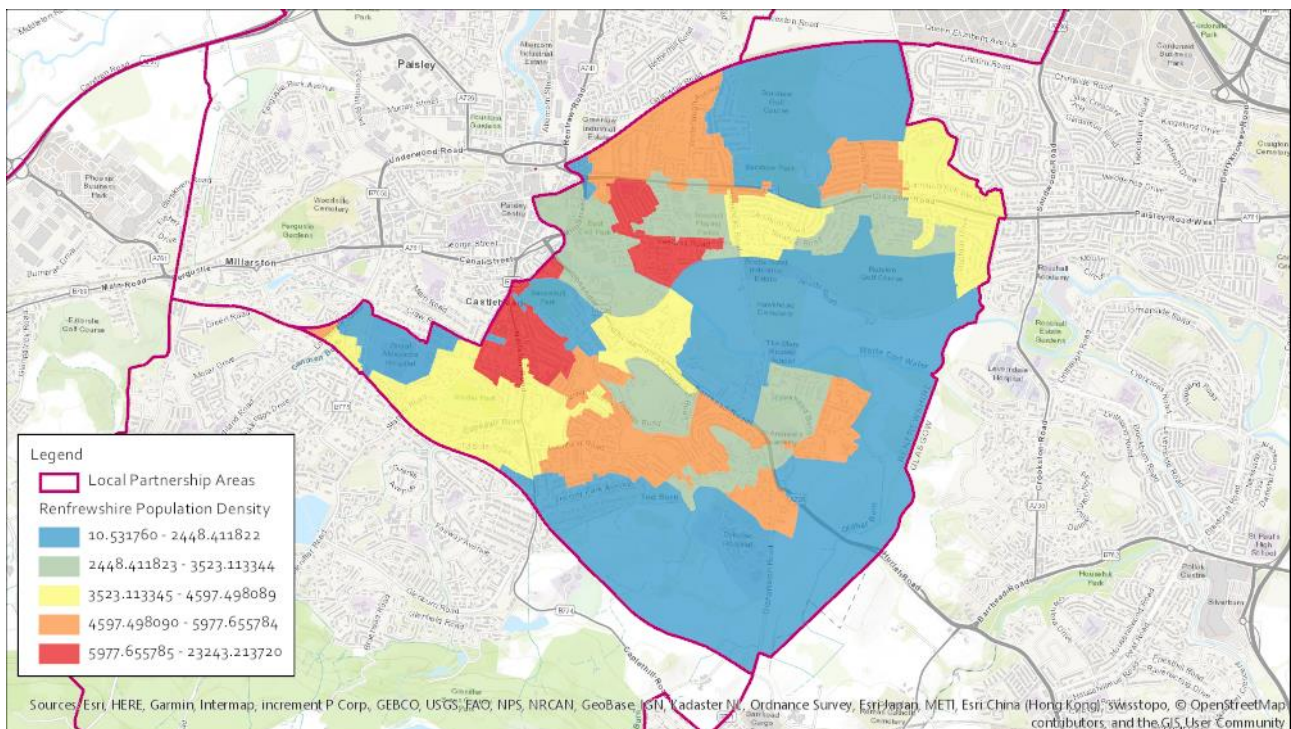
28,747 people in total live in the area and below are the main concentrations of population:

|                             |      |
|-----------------------------|------|
| CHARLESTON                  | 6113 |
| PAISLEY EAST AND WHITEHAUGH | 8163 |
| RALSTON                     | 4770 |
| HUNTERHILL                  | 2698 |
| HAWKHEAD AND LOCHFIELD      | 7003 |

### What age are people living here?

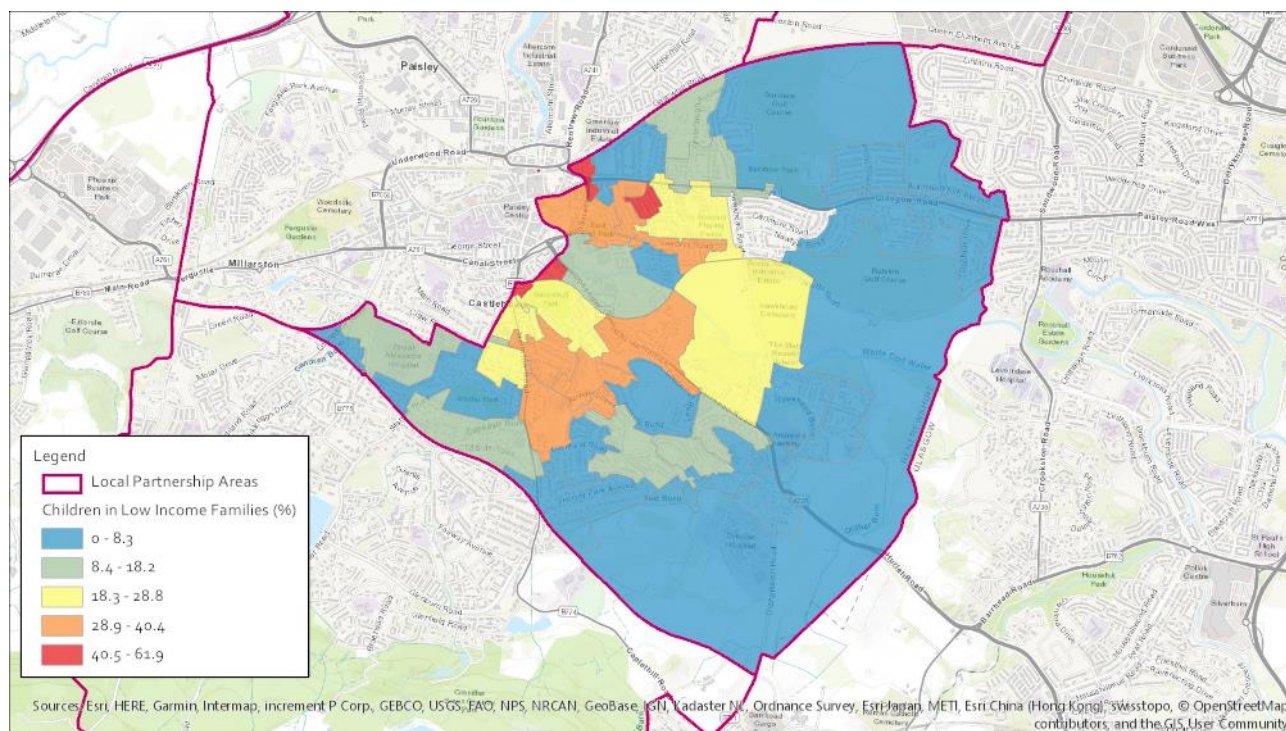
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|--------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Paisley North East | 14%        | 68%        | 19%        |
| Paisley East       | 17%        | 65%        | 18%        |
| Paisley Ralston    | 16%        | 60%        | 25%        |
| Paisley South East | 14%        | 63%        | 23%        |
| Paisley Dykebar    | 20%        | 64%        | 16%        |
| <b>Overall</b>     | <b>16%</b> | <b>64%</b> | <b>20%</b> |

### Population Density



## Children in Low Income Families

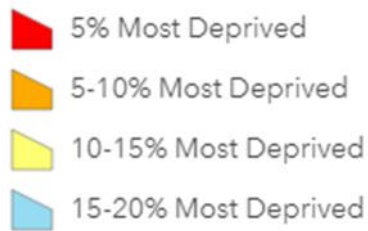
As recorded by the Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation





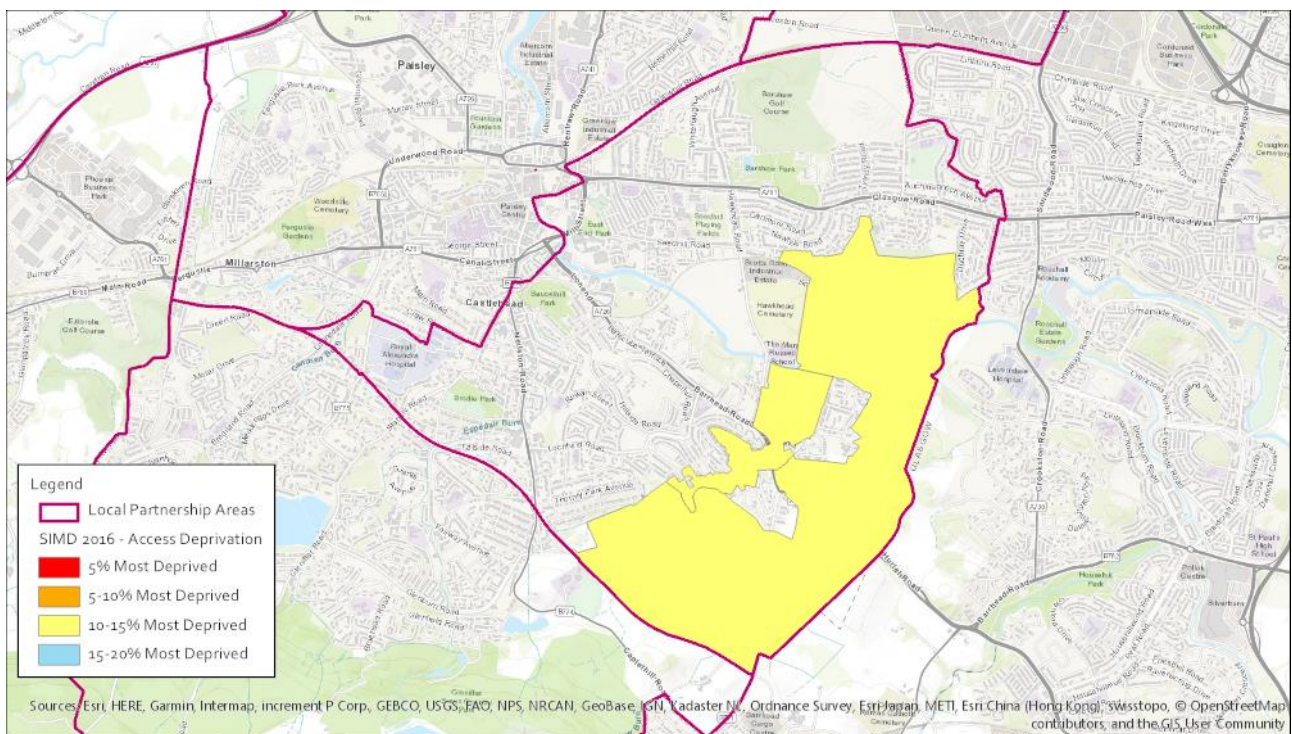
The tables below are also taken from the Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation and show other dimensions of deprivation: access, health and crime. The key below applies to the following three tables.

### SIMD 2016 - Access Deprivation



### Access Deprivation

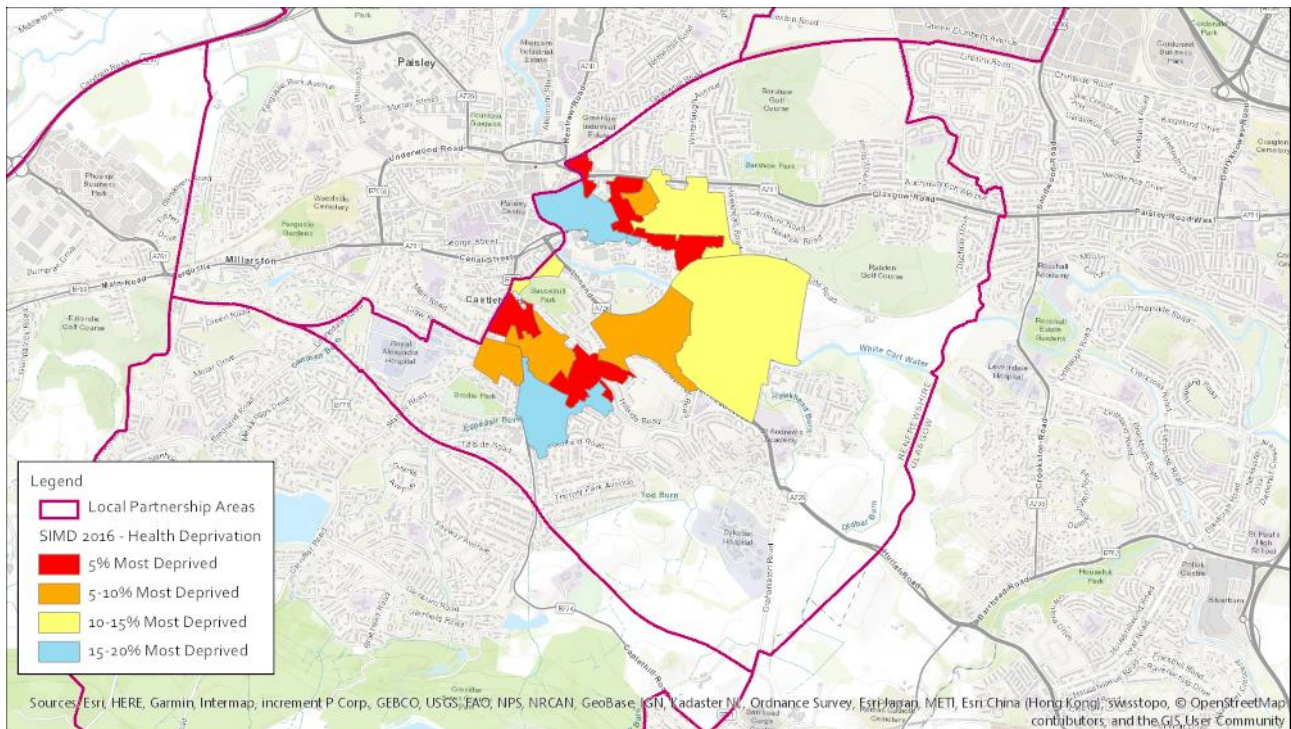
This measure includes drive time to GP, to retail centre, to petrol station, to primary and secondary schools, to post office and public transport time to GP, to retail centre, to post office.





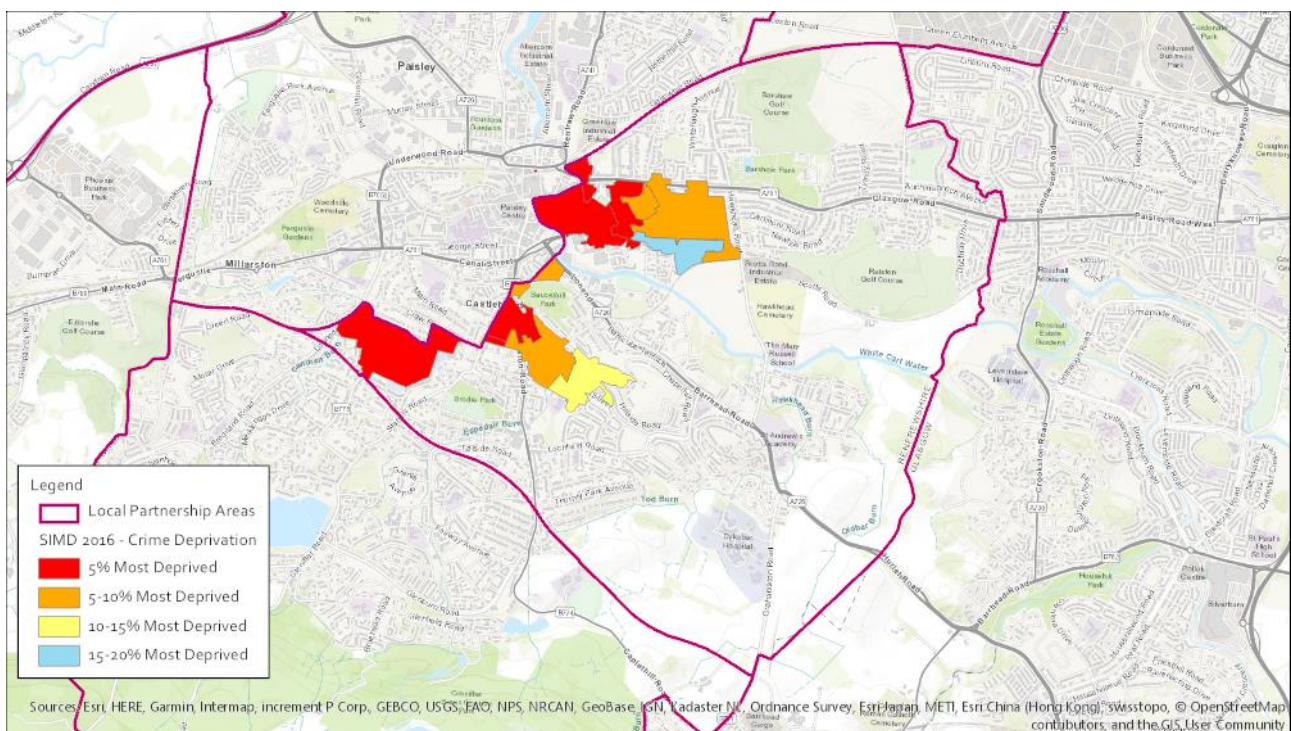
## Health Deprivation

This measure includes the Standardised Mortality Ratio; Hospital stays related to alcohol misuse; Hospital stays related to drug misuse; Comparative Illness Factor; Emergency stays in hospital; Proportion of population being prescribed drugs for anxiety, depression or psychosis; and Proportion of live singleton births of low birth weight.



## Crime Deprivation

This measure includes Domestic house breaking, Drug offences, Common assault, Crimes of violence, Vandalism and Sexual offences.



## Place Standard, 2017

45 respondents in Paisley East were involved with the Our Renfrewshire, Place Standard consultation in 2017. 87% of the respondents were female, 11 % were male, with most respondents of working age.

Maintenance & safety came out top, as terms mentioned when thinking about priorities for the area. The wordle below shows the terms that were most frequently mentioned in the largest text, when discussing priorities for the area.



### Most positive responses

Respondents felt most strongly positive about the following themes:



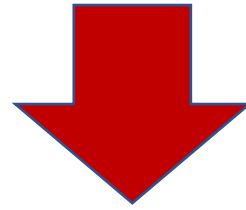
- Public Transport
- Natural space
- Streets and spaces
- Facilities and amenities
- Play and recreation
- Identity and belonging
- Social contact
- Housing and community

### **Least positive responses**

Respondents felt negative about the following themes:

Work and local economy

Care and maintenance



### **Mixed responses**

Most mixed responses were received about the traffics and parking; moving around; feeling safe; and influence and sense of control themes.

## **Children & Education**

### **Education resources**

#### **Secondary School**

Paisley Grammar School (non denominational)

St Andrew's Academy (denominational)

#### **Primary Schools**

Ralston Primary School (non denominational)

Williamsburgh Primary School (non denominational)

St John Ogilvie Primary School (denominational)

St Charles' Primary School (denominational)

Lochfield Primary School (non denominational)

Todholm Primary School (non denominational)

Mary Russell School (Additional Support Needs)

Kersland School (Additional Support Needs)

#### **Nurseries**

Ralston Nursery (Local Authority)

Williamsburgh Nursery (Local Authority)

Leaps And Bounds (private or voluntary sector)

Abbey Mill Childcare (private or voluntary sector)

Nursery Times Ltd (private or voluntary sector)

Carriagehill Nursery (private or voluntary sector)

St Charles' Nursery (Local Authority)

Jennyswell Nursery (private or voluntary sector)

Todholm Nursery (Local Authority)



## **Parks and Play Areas**

Barshaw Park

Playpark, Ralston Community Centre

Allanton Playing Fields

Seedhill Playing Fields

Playpark to North of No 35, Mckerrell Street

East End Park

Playpark to North of Nos 23 to 29, Ben Lawers Drive

Jenny's Well Playing Field

Saucelhill Park

Hunterhill Park

Playpark to South of St Charles RC Primary School

Brodie Park

## Health Resources

Royal Alexandra Hospital  
ACCORD Hospice  
Dykebar Hospital

### GP Practices

The Mirin Practice  
Mile End Mill  
Anchor Mill Medical Practice  
Abbey Medical Centre  
The Consulting Rooms  
Charleston Centre

### Pharmacies & Dentists

Ralston Dental Practice  
Boots Pharmacy  
Barshaw Pharmacy  
Kelburne Dental Practice  
The Co-operative Pharmacy  
Greenlaw Dental Care  
Complete Dentistry  
Abbey Chemist  
Lloydspharmacy  
Boots Pharmacy  
Neilston Road Dental Group  
Orthodontic Practice  
The Co-operative Pharmacy

## Care Homes, Extra Care & Sheltered Housing

### Care Homes

Nightingale House (35 units)  
Abbeycourt Care Centre (57 units)  
Hunterhill Care Home (60 units)

### Extra Care, Amenity & Sheltered Housing

Kelburne Gardens (49 units)  
Garthland Lane (8 units)

Garthland Cottages (5 units)  
Glentamar Court (38 units)  
Barrhead Road (15 units)  
Rowan Gardens (21 units)  
Rowan Court (25 units)  
Calside Court (16 units)  
Union Court (21 units)  
Hamilton Court (17 units)

## **Adult Health and Wellbeing across Renfrewshire**

- 80% of people say their health is good or very good.
- 15% of people say they smoke, 10% drank alcohol at least twice per week.
- 7% of people feel isolated from family and friends.
- 46% say they have at least 5 portions of fruit and veg per day.
- 47% of people do 150 minutes of exercise per week.



**To: Paisley East & Whitehaugh, Ralston, Hawkhead & Lochfield, Hunterhill and Charleston Local Partnership**

**On: 27 March 2019**

**Report by:**  
Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council

**TITLE:**  
**Local Partnership – Future Arrangements**

## **1. Summary**

- 1.1 Paisley East & Whitehaugh, Ralston, Hawkhead & Lochfield, Hunterhill and Charleston Local Partnership requires to take a number of decisions about its operation over the next year.
- 1.2 These decisions relate to the arrangements for meetings and the name the Local Partnership wishes to be known by. Members of the Local Partnership are invited to contribute to these decisions as set out in section 3 below.

## **2. Recommendations**

- 2.1 It is recommended that Paisley East & Whitehaugh, Ralston, Hawkhead & Lochfield, Hunterhill and Charleston Local Partnership:
  - (a) Agree that three further meetings of the Local Partnership be held in June 2019, November 2019 and March/April 2020 with a wider community engagement event to take place during September/October 2019, as set out in paragraphs 3.1 – 3.3.
  - (b) Agree that members of the Local Partnership contribute their views on accessible venues for future meetings, as set out in paragraph 3.4.
  - (c) Agree that members of the Local Partnership contribute suggestions for its name going forward as set out in paragraphs 3.5-3.6, for decision at next meeting on Tuesday 25 June 2019.
  - (d) Note the arrangements for Community Representative expenses, as set out in paragraph 3.7.

### 3. **Background**

- 3.1 Local Partnerships will meet a minimum of three times per year. The next meeting of Paisley East & Whitehaugh, Ralston, Hawkhead & Lochfield, Hunterhill and Charleston Local Partnership will take place at 6pm on Tuesday 25 June 2019 in the Marriage Suite, Renfrewshire House.
- 3.2 It is proposed that each Local Partnership sets two further dates to meet in November 2019 and March/April 2020 and that the start time for meetings be agreed as 6pm.
- 3.3 In addition to the three Local Partnership meetings per annum it is proposed that a community event be organised to enable engagement with community groups, voluntary organisations and members of the public who are not members of the Partnership.
- 3.4 Paisley East & Whitehaugh, Ralston, Hawkhead & Lochfield, Hunterhill and Charleston Local Partnership is asked to consider whether it would prefer a single venue for all meetings or to alternate between different venues within the Local Partnership area. Members are asked to send any suggestions for accessible local venues to [communityplanning@renfrewshire.gov.uk](mailto:communityplanning@renfrewshire.gov.uk) by Tuesday 7 May 2019.
- 3.5 Each of the seven Local Partnerships consist of groupings of Community Councils. The name currently being used for the Local Partnership is simply a list of the names of each Community Council in the area.
- 3.6 Each Local Partnership may choose its own name, by agreeing either to continue with its current name or changing to an alternative name. Proposals for an alternative name should be submitted to [communityplanning@renfrewshire.gov.uk](mailto:communityplanning@renfrewshire.gov.uk) by Tuesday 7 May 2019 for consideration and decision at the meeting of the Local Partnership.
- 3.7 Under the previous Local Area Committee arrangements, community representatives were entitled to £50 per annum expenses to attend meetings. Members of the Local Partnership may continue to claim £50 per annum expenses for attendance at meetings. This resource would be drawn from the Local Partnership grant funding allocation as was the case previously under Local Area Committee arrangements.