

INVERCLYDE ALLIANCE BOARD

MONDAY 17 JUNE 2024

THE BEACON ARTS CENTRE, CUSTOM HOUSE QUAY, GREENOCK

Present: Councillors E Robertson (Chair), G Brooks and L Quinn (Inverclyde Council), Mr R Turnock (River Clyde Homes), Chief Superintendent G McCreadie (Police Scotland), Dr B Von Wissman and Dr J Asplin (NHS GGC), Ms D MacDonald and Ms F Simpson (Scottish Government), Mr D McCarrey (Scottish Fire & Rescue Service), Ms K Wallace (NatureScot), Mr A Comrie (Strathclyde Passenger Transport), Mr S Frew (Scottish Enterprise), Ms L Bayston (Skills Development Scotland) and Ms V Cloney (CVS Inverclyde).

In attendance: Ms L Long, Ms R Binks, Ms M Rae, Mr N McIlvanney, Mr T McEwan, Mr H Scott, Mr R Scullion, Mr C McLellan, Ms R Braddick, Ms L Carrick and Mr C MacDonald (Inverclyde Council), Ms K Rocks, Mr S Bryan, Mr I Hanley and Ms G Hughes (Inverclyde HSCP).

Prior to the commencement of business Board Members and officers were given a tour of the facilities on offer at the Beacon Arts Centre by Directors Lesley Davidson and Karen Townsend.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were intimated on behalf of Councillor McCabe (Inverclyde Council), Ms C Elliott (CVS Inverclyde), Ms S Rae (West College Scotland), Mr R Cowan and Mr S McMillan.

Councillor Robertson welcomed Ms Dehra MacDonald, Ms Rhoda Braddick and Ms Laurence Bayston to their first meeting.

MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING

The minute of the meeting of 18 March 2024 was submitted and approved.

MATTERS ARISING

There were no separate matters arising.

INVERCLYDE ALLIANCE BOARD ACTION TRACKER

There was submitted an action tracker arising from previous decisions of the Alliance Board.

Decided:

- (1) that the actions on the tracker be noted; and
- (2) that the revised action tracker be submitted to the next meeting of the Board taking account of the comments made at the meeting.

NOMINATION FOR ALLIANCE BOARD VICE CHAIR

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development, Inverclyde Council advising on the nomination for Alliance Board Vice Chair.

Decided: that Chief Superintendent Gordon McCreadie, Police Scotland be appointed as Vice Chair of the Inverclyde Alliance Board.

INVERCLYDE PARTNERSHIP PLAN BIENNIAL PROGRESS REPORT OCTOBER 2023 TO MARCH 2024

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development, Inverclyde Council providing a progress report on the implementation of the Partnership Plan 2023-2033. The Board heard a presentation by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development providing oversight and delivery of the Partnership Plan. Thereafter Ms Binks answered a number of questions from members.

Decided:

- (1) that the amendments to the terms of reference and group delivery structure be noted; and
- (2) that progress made towards the implementation of the Partnership Plan be noted.

LOCALITY ACTION PLANS

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development, Inverclyde Council presenting revised Locality Action Plans for approval.

Decided: that the revised Locality Action Plans be approved.

COMMUNITY LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRESS VISIT REPORT

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development, Inverclyde Council informing the Board of the recent Education Scotland progress visit to assess Inverclyde's Community Learning and Development (CLD) Partnership.

Decided:

- (1) that the positive outcome of the progress visit be acknowledged;
- (2) that the progress visits recognition of practice worth sharing nationally around the youth New Scots engagement be acknowledged;
- (3) that the improvement actions recommended by Education Scotland be noted;
- (4) that it be noted that HM Inspectors decided there will be no requirement to revisit; and
- (5) that thanks and appreciation be conveyed to all staff involved in the visit.

DRAFT COMMUNITY LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT PARTNERSHIP 3 YEAR PLAN 2024-2027

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development, Inverclyde Council presenting the draft Community Learning and Development (CLD) Partnership 3 Year Plan 2024-2027 for the Board to note progress on the development of the plan.

Decided: that the progress made in relation to the development of the draft Community, Learning and Development (CLD) Partnership 3 Year Plan 2024-2027 be noted.

'COMMUNITY MATTERS' – INVERCLYDE COMMUNITY JUSTICE OUTCOMES IMPROVEMENT PLAN (CJOIP) 2024

There was submitted a report by the Chair of Inverclyde Community Justice Partnership seeking approval for the publication of the new community justice plan for Inverclyde, 'Community Matters' – Inverclyde Community Justice Outcomes Improvement Plan (CJOIP) 2024.

Decided: that the 'Community Matters' – Inverclyde Community Justice Outcomes Improvement Plan (CJOIP) 2024 be approved.

GREENOCK TOWN BOARD UPDATE

There was submitted a report by the Head of Service Regeneration, Planning and Public Protection, Inverclyde Council providing an update on progress in assembling the Town Board for Greenock for the Long-Term Plan for Towns fund.

Decided:

- (1) that the content of the report be noted; and
- (2) that it be remitted to officers to provide an update report to a future meeting.

INVERCLYDE REPORT OF THE NHS GREATER GLASGOW AND CLYDE 2022/23 ADULT HEALTH AND WELLBEING SURVEY AND DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH REPORT

There was submitted a report by the Interim Head of Health & Equalities, NHS GGC and the Chief Officer, Inverclyde Health & Social Care Partnership outlining the post pandemic population health status and the findings of the 2023 Adult Health and Well-being Survey for Inverclyde, to inform considerations of the public health priorities for the Inverclyde Alliance Board. The Board heard a presentation by Dr Jacob Asplin, Speciality Registrar in Public Health Medicine NHS GGC on the health and wellbeing position of the population of Inverclyde. Thereafter Dr Asplin answered a number of questions from partners.

Decided:

- (1) that the health and wellbeing position of Inverclyde's population be noted;
- (2) that the publication of the Inverclyde findings of the NHS GGC Adult Health and Wellbeing Survey (2022/2023) and the NHS GGC Director of Health Report, and the wide use of both report findings amongst staff, partner agencies and academia be noted;
- (3) that the analysis and calls to action within the Director of Public Health report, and their application to planning to capitalise on available opportunities to improve health be noted; and
- (4) that the presentation be noted.

ACTIVE INVERCLYDE STRATEGY – ANNUAL UPDATE ON ACTION PLAN

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development, Inverclyde Council providing an update on the activity carried out as part of the Active Inverclyde Strategy between April 2023 to March 2024.

Decided: that the progress made during the period April 2023 to March 2024 as detailed within the Action Plan at appendix 1 to the report be noted.

CLYDE CONVERSATIONS 6 REPORT

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development, Inverclyde Council presenting a conference report on Clyde Conversations 6.

Decided:

- (1) that (a) the success of the Clyde Conversations be noted, and (b) the participation of young people at all levels of planning be acknowledged;
- (2) that the key actions detailed in the event plan at appendix 1 to the report be noted;
- (3) that the Board continues to endorse Clyde Conversations as a means of engaging young people on issues affecting them; and
- (4) that thanks and appreciation be extended to the young people for their participation and contribution.

INVERCLYDE HSCP STRATEGIC COMMISSIONING PLAN 2024-2027

There was submitted a report by the Chief Officer, Inverclyde Health & Social Care Partnership presenting the new three-year Inverclyde Integration Joint Board Strategic Partnership Plan, 'People and Partnerships, Making a Difference' for the period 2024-2027. The Chief Officer conveyed her thanks to partners for their contributions to the plan.

Decided: that the content of the Inverclyde Integration Joint Board Strategic Partnership Plan 2024-2027 be noted.

INVERCLYDE CARES: ACTIVITY REPORT 2020-2023

There was submitted a report by the Chair of the Inverclyde Community Justice Partnership presenting the Inverclyde Cares Activity Report 2020-2023.

Decided: that the content of the Inverclyde Cares Activity Report 2020-2023 be noted.

It was agreed unanimously to allow for the consideration of an additional: Marmot Places Scotland – Report by the Chief Executive, Inverclyde Council

MARMOT PLACES SCOTLAND

There was submitted a report by the Chief Executive, Inverclyde Council informing the Board of the opportunity for Inverclyde to work with Public Health Scotland to undertake a collaboration with University College London Institute of Health Equity (IHE) to become a Marmot Place.

Decided:

- (1) that it be agreed that Inverclyde take forward the opportunity to apply to be a Marmot place; and
- (2) that it be agreed the Alliance Board lead the self-assessment for submission on behalf of Inverclyde.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

It was noted that the next meeting of the Alliance Board will take place on Monday 7 October 2024.

