

### **AGENDA ITEM NO: 3**

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Committee

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Subject: Environment & Regeneration

Capital Programme 2013/14 to

2015/16 - Progress

### 1.0 PURPOSE

1.1 The purpose of the report is to update the Committee in respect of the status of the projects within the Environment & Regeneration Capital Programme and to highlight the overall financial position.

### 2.0 SUMMARY

- 2.1 This report advises Committee in respect of the progress and financial status of the projects within the Environment & Regeneration Capital Programme.
- 2.2 It can be seen from the table in 7.2 that the projected spend is £90.453m, which means that the total projected spend is on budget.
- 2.3 Expenditure at 31<sup>st</sup> July is 12.38% of 2013/14 projected spend, net slippage of £0.294m (2.1%) is being reported, see paragraph 8.3 for further details.
- 2.4 The above figures take into account the achievement of Financial Close for the BPRA scheme on which more details are given in Section 7.
- 2.5 The Environmental and Regeneration elements of the Committee's Capital Programme are presented in separate Appendices.

### 3.0 RECOMMENDATION

3.1 That Committee note current position of the 2013/16 Capital Programme and the progress on the specific projects detailed in Appendices 1 & 2.

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### 4.0 BACKGROUND

- 4.1 In February 2013 the Council agreed the 2013/16 Capital Programme, significant additional funding was identified to increase the Roads Asset Management Plan and a number of further Projects were identified, funded from Revenue Reserves.
- 4.2 This report reflects the revised Committee structures. For ease of reference the Environment and Regeneration elements are presented in separate Appendices.

### 5.0 PROGRESS (Environmental & Commercial Services Major Projects)

5.1 For Roads, the total allocation for 2013/14 is £5.117m - this comprises £1.090m from Core Capital funding and £4.027m from the Roads Asset Management Plan.

Total spend on carriageway and footway resurfacing/reconstruction, and street lighting, stands at approximately £1.4m to end July 2013, with the bulk of the spend on carriageways (at just under 50% of carriageway budget). Overall, projects are generally proceeding to programme. Site works to footways and street lighting have commenced, with design work progressing - the bulk of the site works are programmed for later this financial year.

5.2 In March 2012 the Council approved a programme of projects for Flood Management funded from the Roads Capital budget for 2012/15. This included £1m for match funding for the Flood Action Plan 2012/13 – 2013/14.

The Flood Management Study has reported its findings. These have been combined with those of an earlier report on the Hole Burn and Carts Burn into a draft CMT report which lists the priority flooding project options up to a £2m total spend (including the £1m match funding from Government to be confirmed).

The tender for the automatic trash screen design, manufacture and installation reached its response deadline on 5 August 2013. No tender returns have been received. Consideration is being given to how to re-tender for this work.

- 5.3 Port Glasgow Bus Station underspend of £70,000 has been returned to SPT. Discussions are ongoing regarding augmenting the shelters to provide more protection from the wind. This will be the subject of a further request to SPT for funds.
- 5.4 The Highholm Park and Ride project's brick retaining wall supporting the electricity substation has been repaired at a cost of £48,000. Scottish Power has agreed to contribute half of this cost. The project is reporting an estimated underspend of £20,000. Work to complete the landscaping began on 7 August 2013.
- 5.5 SPT funded works to the N753 Cycle Route between Lunderston Bay and Kip Marina go out to tender on 9 August 2013. The route is subject to legal agreement with Ardgowan Estates which is being sought in parallel with the tender process. The design tender for the route between Inverkip and Wemyss Bay is out to tender, using the Scotland Excel Consultant Framework Contract, for replies by 19 August 2013.
- 5.6 The Greenock Parking Strategy/ Decriminalised Parking Enforcement project's traffic regulation orders reached the closing date for public objections on 5 August 2013. 65 objections have been received. All existing restriction road markings and signs unaffected by the traffic orders have been refurbished except outer Greenock and Kilmacolm.
- 5.7 Vehicles totalling £98,000 have now been delivered with £120,000 spend committed and scheduled for delivery within the next eight weeks. Tenders are being prepared and discussed with service users for additional items. The allocated budget will be fully spent in this financial year.

- 5.8 The Battery Park Outdoor Gym was completed in early August and is now available for use by the public free of charge. Battery Park Skatepark and the new Jacobs Drive Play Area are in the procurement phase. Consultation on three new play areas at Barr's Brae, Braeside and Taymouth Drive is underway.
- 5.9 Please refer to the status reports for each project contained in Appendix 1.

### 6.0 PROGRESS (Regeneration Major Projects)

6.1 Gourock Pier and Railhead Development Area: The current Gourock project proposals were approved by the Regeneration Committee on the 27th October 2011 and approved by the Policy and Resources Committee on the 15th November 2011. A Public consultation process on the updated proposals took place on the 13th December 2011.

A temporary car park has been formed on the grass area to the south of the current Network Rail Car Park. This has created 47 additional temporary car parking spaces.

A Planning Application has been approved for public realm works and traffic improvements which includes the construction of new areas of public open space, pedestrian links and small boat launch facility; alterations, extensions and improvements to existing car parks at Kempock Street and Pierhead / Railway Station together with associated engineering and reclamation works; the formation of a new single carriageway road to the north of Kempock Street with associated new and altered road junctions and layout.

Riverside Inverciyde will now take the project to tender stage. Because of the time elapsed since the prequalification the process will need to be rerun and the PQQ reissued. As this will be run in parallel with the preparation of tender documents it should not cause any delay.

Negotiations with Network Rail over the licencing and land transfer agreements necessary to undertake the works are progressing however they have not been concluded within the timescale originally envisaged which may result in a delay in works commencing on-site. A report detailing the outcome of the negotiations will be submitted to Committee when the details have been concluded, in the mean time it is provisionally projected to reduce expected spend in 2013/14 by £0.222m however this is subject to confirmation once negotiations have been concluded.

The various planning conditions attached to the development are currently being purified. Detailed design and contract documentation are being progressed towards issuing competitive tenders. Legal agreements are being pursued with key owners.

- 6.2 Sports & Pitches Strategy: Projects at Ravenscraig Stadium, Parklea, Nelson Street Sports Centre, Gourock Pool, South West Library, Broomhill & George Road pitches, Battery Park pitch and Birkmyre Park Kilmacolm are now complete. The works at Rankin Park Grass Pitch and Pavilion are progressing on site. Tenders have been returned for the replacement of the Waterfront's Refrigeration Plant and await further supporting financial information prior to acceptance.
- 6.3 Asset Management Plan Offices: The Customer Contact Centre at Greenock Municipal Buildings is complete together with the Banking Hall and the landscaping works to Clyde Square. The refurbishment of Wallace Place and the provision of the Port Glasgow Hub have commenced on site. The conversion of the Central Library is due to commence on site imminently.

- 6.4 Asset Management Plan Depots: Substantial ground investigation works have been completed at Pottery Street and design works are progressing. The Salt Barn is now complete and tender documents for the Civic Amenity Site have been returned and are being checked. Tender documents for the demolition of the nissen huts are being prepared and will be issued shortly. Design works for the Vehicle Maintenance Buildings is progressing and Planning Permission has been applied for. Surveys and investigation works for the upgrading of the Kirn Drive Civic Amenity Site have been completed and design work is progressing.
- 6.5 Port Glasgow Town Hall: The first phase of electrical upgrades, the installation of the new reception desk and the refurbishment of the ground and first floor toilets are now complete. The tender for the upgrade of the lift has been accepted however the work will not be carried out until January 2014 due to the need to carry out the work when the Town Hall is not booked for events. It is also proposed to carry out a first phase of window replacement and a further phase of electrical upgrades in financial year 2013/14.
- 6.6 Lunderston Bay Rangers Station and Public Toilet: Work has now commenced on site.
- 6.7 Please refer to the status reports for each project contained in Appendix 2.

### 7.0 BPRA SCHEME

- 7.1 The Business Property Renovation Scheme (BPRA) was approved by Policy & Resources Committee in February 2013. The scheme is an innovative funding package which results in Council costs being reduced by over 25% on the basis of entering an LLP with higher rate tax payers.
- 7.2 The refurbishment of Wallace Place and the creation of the Port Glasgow Hub are funded from this and will deliver a capital saving of around £1.0m which was factored into the 2013/16 Budget.
- 7.3 Progress on these projects will be reported via this report but the financial aspects have been removed from the Capital Programme and are monitored via the AMP model.

### 8.0 IMPLICATIONS

- 8.1 The figures below detail the position at 31<sup>st</sup> July 2013. Expenditure to date is £1.737m (12.38% of the 2013/14 projected spend).
- 8.2 The current budget is £90.453m, made up of £14.123m supported borrowing, £58.368m prudential borrowing, £15.333m CFCR, £2.403m grant funding and £0.226m funding from external sources. The current projection is £90.453m which is on budget.

<u>Service</u>	Approved Budget £000	Current Position £000	Overspend / (Underspend) £000
Environmental & Commercial Services - Roads (Appendix 1)	21,657	21,657	0
Environmental and Commercial Services (Appendix 1)	13,588	13,588	0
Regeneration & Planning (Appendix 1)	64	64	0
Environmental & Commercial Services Total	35,309	35,309	0
Regeneration & Planning (Appendix 2)	21,612	21,612	0
Property Assets & Facilities Management (appendix 2)	32,423	32,423	0
Community Investment Fund (Appendix 2)	1,109	1,109	0
Regeneration Total	55,144	55,144	0
Total	90,453	90,453	0

8.3 The approved budget for 2013/14 is £14.100m. The Committee is projecting to spend £13.806m with slippage into future years of £0.294m due to £0.222m within the Gourock Pier & Railhead Development, £0.047m within the AMP and £0.025m on the restoration of the SV Comet.

### 9.0 CONSULTATIONS

- 9.1 There are no direct staffing implications in respect of the report and as such the Head of Organisational Development, HR and Communications has not been consulted.
- 9.2 There are no legal issues arising from the content of this report and as such the Head of Legal and Democratic Services has not been consulted.

### 10.0 LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

10.1 Property Assets and Facilities Management Capital Programme Technical Progress Reports August 2013 (a technical progress report is a project specific report which details the financial and progress position for current projects which have a legal commitment).

### 11.0 EQUALITIES

11.1 There are no equalities implications in this report.

COMMITTEE: ENVIRONMENT & REGENERATION

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Project Name	Est Total Cost	Actual to 31/3/13	Approved Budget 2013/14	Revised Est 2013/14	Actual to 31/07/13	Est 2014/15	Est 2015/16	Future Years
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Environmental Services - Roads Supported Borrowing Carried Forward from previous years Baker St Land Acquisition	110	41	96	96		0	0	0
Previous Years Provisions: Footway Reconstruction/Resurfacing Traffic Measures Bridge Strengthening	46 90 31		46 90 31	46 90 31	5	0000	000	000
Complete on Site Residual Provision	5 285		80 2	80	S.	105	100	0
Roads - Supported Borrowing Total	577	14	358	358	11	105	100	0
Prudentially Funded Parking Strategy (£238k funded CFCR) Roads - Prudentially Funded Total	354	34	70	70	7	250	0 0	0
Grant Funding Cycling, Walking & Safer Streets SPT Sustrans Roads - Grant Funding Total	210 1,644 20 1,874	1163	85 481 20 586	85 481 20 586	59	125 0 125	0 0	0 0
CFCR Flooding Strategy Ph 1 & 2 Additional Flooding Works Investment Roads - CFCR Total	852 1,000 1,852	588 588 588	42	42	0	222 1,000 1,222	0 0 0	0 0 0
Mixed Funding - Roads Asset Management Plan								

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9	Est 2014/15 Est 2015/16	0003	1.300	2,400	5,800	7,502
2	Actual to 31/07/13	<u> 5000</u>	1,106		1,106	1,189
4	Revised Est	0003	1.300	1,100	4,027	5,083
3	Approved Budget 2013/14	0003	1.300	1,100	4,027	5,083
2	Actual to 31/3/13	0003	1,373		1,373	3,172
-	Est Total Cost	0003	3,900	5,900	17,000	21,657
	Project Name		Core Fundina Additional Funding for Road Improvements - Feb 2012	2013/16 Budget Decisions: Additional CFCR Additional Prudential Borrowing	Roads Asset Management Plan Total	ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES - ROADS TOTAL

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Environmental Services Supported Borrowing Knocknairshill Cemetry Ph5c Zero Waste Fund Environmental Services Supported Borrowing Total	460 247 707	445	15 87 102	15 87 102	12	0 80	008	0 00
Prudentially Funded Knocknairshill Cemetery Ph5c Vehicles - Prudentially Funded per Transport Review (includes £850k of CFCR in 10/11) Environmental Services Prudentially Funded Total	50 11,105 11,155	0 6,557 6,557	50 380 430	50 380 430	98	0 1,198 1,198	2,970 2,970 2,970	0 0 0
CFCR Play Areas (includes £76k of Supported Borrowing & £226k of funding from Bonds) Environmental Services CFCR Total	1,726	1,063	363	363	12	300	0 0	00
ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES - TOTAL	13,588	8,065	895	895	122	1,578	3,050	0
Planning Services								
Supported Borrowing Former SNH Grant Planning Services Supported Borrowing Total	64	51	13	13	0	0	0 0	00
PLANNING SERVICES TOTAL	64	51	13	13	0	0	0	0
ENVIRONMENT AND PLANNING TOTAL	35,309	11,288	5,991	5,991	1,311	9,080	8,950	0
Summary Per Funding Source Supported Borrowing Prudentially Funded CFCR	5,324 15,204 12,380	586 6,290 2,734	1,773 430 3,190	1,773 430 3,190	29 105 1,118	1,485 3,414 4,056	1,480 5,070 2,400	

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Grant Funding External	2,175 226	1,464	586	586	59	125		
Environmental Total	35,309	11,288	5,991	5,991	1,311	080'6	8,950	

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Regeneration and Planning											
Supported Borrowing Gourock Pier & Railhead Development Area (includes £300k from CFCR) Gourock Transport - Old Costs	4,700	478	722	200	ю	3,722	0				
Regeneration and Planning Supported Borrowing Total	5,100	878	722	200	3	3,722	0	0			
Prudentially Funded											
<u>Leisure Strategy</u> Ravenscraig Stadium Refurbishment Parklea Pavilion and Juniors Facility Rankin Park Grass Pitch and Pavilion	1,836 4,553 1,400	1,790 4,528 271	22 17 929	46 25 929	25 195	200	0000		Apr-11 Apr-11 Mar-13	Jan-12 Aug-12 Oct-13	Sep-12 Jun-12 Oct-13 Mar-13
Nelson Street Sports Centre Refurbishment New Community Facility Broomhill (includes £200k CFCR) Gourock Pool Refurbishment Gourock Rool Remedial Works Majorion Inc.	625 700 2,039 50	2,001 2,001 22 0	16 50 53 28 300	36 50 38 28 28 275	12 23 26	650 650 0 0 25	0000		Oct-10 Jan-13 Tba	_	
Vaternont for think Pitches Strategy Lesiure & Pitches Contingency Leisure & Pitches Complete on site	187 3,094	0 2,995	0	0 87		187	0				
Regeneration and Planning Prudentially Funded Total	14,784	12,174	1,514	1,514	281	1,096	. 0				
Grant Funding/CFCR											
SV Comet Regeneration of Port Glasgow Town Centre Further Regeneration of Port Glassow Town Centre	228 1,000 250	94 616	134	109		25 200 250	000		Tba		
Broomhil Regeneration	250					250	0				
Regeneration and Planning Additional Funding Total	1,728	710	318	293	0	725	0	0	90		
Regeneration Services Total	21,612	13,762	2,554	2,307	284	5,543	0	0			

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Property Assets and Facilities Management											
Supported Borrowing											
Property Assets Allocation Previous Years  DDA Works 2012/13  Demolitions  Balance	181 36 21	145 28	47 11	36 8 21	2 8	000			Apr-12 Apr-12	Mar-13 Mar-13	Sep-13 Oct-13
Property Assets Allocation 2013/14 Port Glasgow Town Hall Windows Phase 1 Healing Works	50 95	000	50 95	50 95	c	000	000	000	Jan-14 Apr-13 Oct-14	Feb-14 Mar-14 Dec-14	Feb-14 Mar-14 Dec-14
Batterly Frank Sea Deficitions Waterfront Refrigeration Plant Contribution Waterfront Tusk Repairs	100	000	00 4	100	) 4	000	000	000	Tba Jul-13	Aug-14	Aug-14
Reservoirs Demolitions	50	00	50 25	22 22 22	2	0 0	0 0	0 0	Apr-13 Apr-13	Mar-14 Mar-14	Mar-14 Mar-14
Inverciyde Leisure Essential Upgrades	25	00	25	25	•	00	00	0 0	Apr-13 Apr-13	Mar-14 Mar-14	Mar-14
Comet Canopy Contribution	3 R S	000	3 8 8	8 8 8	- (	000	000	00	Tba	1405	Mar.14
Fire Salety Works Various Rewiring Projects	175	00	175	175	)	00	00	000	Apr-13	Mar-14	Mar-14
DDA Works Minor Works	09	00	90	9 B	F	00	00	0	Apr-13 Apr-13	Mar-14 Mar-14	Mar-14
General Provision	2,000	0	0	0		1,000	1,000				
Arts Guild Port Glasgow Town Centre Refresh of Town Hall (CFCR) (includes £500k CFCR, 208K in 10/11 and 292 in 11/12)	2,750 250	2,739	11	11		63	00	4	Nov-10 Jun-12	Jun-12 Mar-14	Nov-12 Mar-14
Property Assets Supported Borrowing Total	6,245	2,935	1,247	1,247	44	1,063	1,000	0			
Complete On Site											
Supported Borrowing											
Complete on Site Allocation	86	0	96	98	12	0	0				
Complete on Site Supported Borrowing Total	86	0	98	98	12	0	0	0			
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Prudentially Funded									***************************************		
Asset Management Plan: Offices Greenock Municipal Buildings Customer Centre Greenock Municipal Buildings Banking Hall Refurbishment	2,470	2,399	71	71	ດ	0 25	00		Dec-10 Jan-13	Jan-12 Apr-13	Jun-12 Apr-13
Greenock Municipal Buildings Balance Gourock Municipal Buildings Wellington Academy/Highholm Primary Demolition	2,273 300 342	42 0 288 288	133	133 0 45 0 45		300	6000		Jan-12	Mar-12	Apr-12
Wallace Place - Library Fit Out Business Store Central Library Conversion William St West Stewart Street Lease Expiry	400 4,030 1,800 500 500	122 399 1	1,731 10 49 100	1,731 10 10 2	25	1,800 1,430 1,430 47	49 100 270 0 0	00000	Jan-12 Sep-13	Tba Jul-13	Tba Jul-13
AMP Offices Complete on site <u>Depots</u> Replacement Depot	11,200	1,247	1,709	1,709	54	7,100	1,144	0	Aug-12	Apr-15	Apr-15
Kim Drive Civic Amenity Site Materials Recycling Facility	700	66 855	145 16	145 16		450 729	99	00			
Prudentially Funded Total	26,080	5,637	4,090	4,043	86	14,635	1,675	06			
Property Assets and Facilities Management Total	32,423	8,572	5,435	5,388	142	15,698	2,675	06			
Community Investment Fund								5005			
Supported Borrowing Lunderston Bay Visitor Facility (includes £203k funded from CFCR)	1,109	891	120	120		96	0		Sep-13	Oct-13	Oct-13
Community Investment Fund Supported Borrowing Total	1,109	891	120	120	0	98	0	0			
Regeneration Total	55,144	23,225	8,109	7,815	426	21,339	2,675	90			
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Summary Per Funding Source Supported Borrowing Prudentially Funded CFCR Grant Funding	8,799 43,164 2,953 228	3,678 17,763 1,690 94	2,023 5,602 350 134	1,801 5,555 350 109	59 367 0	2,320 18,081 913 25	1,000 1,675 0	0 0 0			. 14. 200 (200
Regeneration Total	55,144	23,225	8,109	7,815	426	21,339	2,675	90			