

Tuesday, 12 November 2019

Dear Councillor

East Kilbride Area Committee

The Members listed below are requested to attend a meeting of the above Committee to be held as follows:-

Date: Wednesday, 20 November 2019 Time: 14:00 Venue: Council Chamber, East Kilbride Civic Centre, Andrew Street, East Kilbride, G74 1AB

The business to be considered at the meeting is listed overleaf.

Yours sincerely

Paul Manning Depute Chief Executive

Members

Archie Buchanan (Chair), Isobel Dorman (Depute Chair), John Anderson, Graeme Campbell, Gerry Convery, Margaret Cooper, Fiona Dryburgh, Joe Fagan, Grant Ferguson, Geri Gray, Ian Harrow, Hugh Macdonald, Monique McAdams, Gladys Miller, Graham Scott, Collette Stevenson, Jim Wardhaugh, David Watson

PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE WILL BE A MEMBERS' AWARENESS SESSION ON EARLY LEARNING AND CHILDCARE - 1,140 HOURS EXPANSION PROGRAMME IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THIS MEETING

BUSINESS

1 **Declaration of Interests**

2 **Minutes of Previous Meeting** Minutes of the meeting of the East Kilbride Area Committee held on 11 September 2019 submitted for approval as a correct record. (Copy attached)

Item(s) for Noting

Resources). (Copy attached)

3 Education Scotland Report – Mount Cameron Primary School and Nursery 7 - 18 Class Report dated 24 October 2019 by the Executive Director (Education

Roads Investment Plan - Progress Report 4 19 - 26 Report dated 27 September 2019 by the Executive Director (Community and Enterprise Resources). (Copy attached)

Item(s) for Decision

5 **Community Grant Applications** Report dated 7 November 2019 by the Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources). (Copy attached)

Item(s) for Noting

6 **Police Scotland - Presentation** Presentation by Inspector Aidan Higgins, Police Scotland

Urgent Business

7 **Urgent Business** Any other items of business which the Chair decides are urgent.

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EAST KILBRIDE AREA COMMITTEE

Minutes of meeting held in the Council Chamber, Civic Centre, East Kilbride on 11 September 2019

Chair:

Councillor Archie Buchanan

Councillors Present:

Councillor John Anderson, Councillor Margaret Cooper, Councillor Isobel Dorman (Depute), Councillor Fiona Dryburgh, Councillor Joe Fagan, Councillor Grant Ferguson, Councillor Geri Gray, Councillor Hugh Macdonald, Councillor Monique McAdams, Councillor Gladys Miller, Councillor Graham Scott, Councillor Jim Wardhaugh, Councillor David Watson

Councillors' Apologies:

Councillor Graeme Campbell, Councillor Gerry Convery, Councillor Ian Harrow, Councillor Collette Stevenson

Attending:

Community and Enterprise Resources

A Pepler, Team Leader, Planning and Building Standards Services

Education Resources

K Duff, Headteacher, Heathery Knowe Primary School and Nursery Class; F Leggate, Quality Improvement Officer; M Reid, Headteacher, St Hilary's Primary School and Nursery Class; J Wallace, Quality Improvement Officer

Finance and Corporate Resources

S McLeod, Administration Officer

1 Declaration of Interests

No interests were declared.

2 Minutes of Previous Meeting

The minutes of the meeting of the East Kilbride Area Committee held on 12 June 2019 were submitted for approval as a correct record.

The Committee decided: that the minutes be approved as a correct record.

3 Education Scotland Report – Heathery Knowe Primary School and Nursery Class

A report dated 26 August 2019 by the Executive Director (Education Resources) was submitted on the outcome of the inspection of Heathery Knowe Primary School and Nursery Class, East Kilbride made by Education Scotland.

The inspection had taken place in January 2019 as part of a national sample of primary education and the inspection letter reporting on the findings had been published on 26 March 2019.

A number of particular strengths of the school had been identified in the inspection letter. The areas of improvement, agreed with the school and education authority, had been incorporated into the school's improvement plan and parents would be informed of progress. Education Scotland had intimated that they would make no further visits in connection with this inspection.

J Wallace, Quality Improvement Officer and the Headteacher, Heathery Knowe Primary School and Nursery Class, spoke on key aspects of the report and the Chair thanked the officers for providing the update.

The Committee decided: that the report be noted.

Councillor Gray entered the meeting during this item of business

4 Education Scotland Report – St Hilary's Primary School and Nursery Class

A report dated 27 August 2019 by the Executive Director (Education Resources) was submitted on the outcome of the inspection of St Hilary's Primary School and Nursery Class, East Kilbride made by Education Scotland.

The inspection had taken place in June 2019 as part of a national sample of primary education and the inspection letter reporting on the findings had been published on 27 August 2019.

A number of particular strengths of the school had been identified in the inspection letter. The areas of improvement, agreed with the school and education authority, had been incorporated into the school's improvement plan and parents would be informed of progress. Education Scotland had intimated that they would make no further visits in connection with this inspection.

F Leggate, Quality Improvement Officer and the Headteacher, St Hilary's Primary School and Nursery Class, spoke on key aspects of the report.

Members of the Committee congratulated the Headteacher on the positive outcome of the inspection and the Chair thanked the officers for providing the update.

The Committee decided: that the report be noted.

5 Application P/18/1675 – Erection of Detached Two Storey House at the Plot between 24 and 30 Todshill Street, Strathaven

A report dated 27 August 2019 by the Executive Director (Community and Enterprise Resources) was submitted on planning application P/18/1675 by Messrs MacIntyre for the erection of a detached two storey house at the plot between 24 and 30 Todshill Street, Strathaven.

The Committee decided:

that planning application P/18/1675 by Messrs MacIntyre for the erection of a detached two storey house at the plot between 24 and 30 Todshill Street, Strathaven be granted subject to the conditions specified in the Executive Director's report.

6 Community Grant Applications

A report dated 28 August 2019 by the Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources) was submitted on applications for community grants.

The Committee decided:

that community grants be awarded as follows:-

(a) Applicant: Stonehouse Old Folks' Welfare Committee (*EK*/23/19)
 Purpose of Grant: Outing
 Amount Awarded: £200

(b)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	My Support Day, East Kilbride <i>(EK/46/19)</i> Start-up costs £250
(c)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Calder Tower Residents' Association, East Kilbride <i>(EK/47/19)</i> Outing £200
(d)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	South Parish Rambling Club, East Kilbride <i>(EK/50/19)</i> Outing £200
(e)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Kilbryde Ladies' Club, East Kilbride <i>(EK/52/19)</i> Outing £200
(f)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Canderside Accordion and Fiddle Club, Stonehouse <i>(EK/53/19)</i> Start-up costs £250
(g)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Stonehouse Heritage Group <i>(EK/54/19)</i> Equipment £300
(h)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Strathaven and District Probus Club <i>(EK/56/19)</i> Outing £200
(i)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	East Kilbride Seniors' Forum <i>(EK/57/19)</i> Outing £200
(j)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	The Pavilion Art Class, East Kilbride <i>(EK/58/19)</i> Outing and materials £115
(k)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Murray Bowling Club, East Kilbride <i>(EK/59/19)</i> Outing and entrance fees £250
(I)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Righead United Reformed Church, East Kilbride <i>(EK/61/19)</i> Outing and equipment £300
(m)	Applicant: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Strathaven Agricultural Exposition <i>(EK/62/19)</i> Administration and publicity costs £500

Urgent Business There were no items of urgent business.



Subject:



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Report to:East Kilbride Area CommitteeDate of Meeting:20 November 2019Report by:Executive Director (Education Resources)

Education Scotland Report – Mount Cameron Primary School and Nursery Class

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-
 - advise of the outcome of the inspection of Mount Cameron Primary School and Nursery Class by Education Scotland inspectors

2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-
 - (1) that the Education Scotland Report on Mount Cameron Primary School and Nursery Class be noted.

3. Background

- 3.1. Mount Cameron Primary School was inspected in April 2019 as part of a national sample of primary and early years' education.
- 3.2. As part of the revised approach to inspection, the Education Scotland inspectors evaluated the learning, teaching and assessment and raising attainment and achievement under the short inspection model.
- 3.3. The inspection team analysed questionnaires issued to a sample of parents, pupils and to all staff. Inspectors observed class lessons and interviewed groups of pupils, including the pupil council and staff. Members of the inspection team also met parents and members of the local community.
- 3.4. The report by Education Scotland was published on 1 October 2019.

4. Findings of Education Scotland Inspectors

- 4.1. Education Scotland made comment under the following headings:-
 - learning provision
 - children's successes and achievements

- 4.2. Education Scotland found that Mount Cameron Primary School and Nursery class provides children and young people with a good educational experience. All staff are committed and share high expectations. The school's approach to supporting the mental health of their pupils and their families was noted as particularly well considered. The school's strategy for raising attainment is linked to the National Improvement Framework and the wellbeing needs of the pupils. The inspectors also reported positively on pride learners have in their school and highlighted that the vision and values jigsaw clearly outlines shared, high expectations for children.
- 4.3. The particular strengths of the school were identified as follows:-
 - The headteacher and staff place a high level of importance on supporting children's wellbeing as central to learning. In so doing, they have developed effective partnerships to support children
 - Children are articulate and very motivated to be successful in their learning. They
 are very proud of their school. Those in Gaelic Medium Education (GME) value
 that they are developing fluency in Gaelic. The older children as *Ceannardan*(Leaders) work well with younger children, particularly in their use of Gaelic for
 immersion
 - Staff have had a successful focus on raising attainment in literacy and English
 - Children benefit from a range of achievements. Together with staff, they have had their efforts recognised nationally through certification such as Eco-Schools Scotland and Sportscotland School Sports Award
- 4.4. Education Scotland identified the following areas for continued improvement:-
 - All staff should continue to work together to ensure a strategic overview of how well the range of assessment and moderation approaches used allow children to show their skills, knowledge and understanding across curricular areas
 - Staff should continue to ensure consistency in high-quality learning experiences for all children. This should include increasing the level of challenge in tasks and activities. Staff in GME should build further on recent improvements to immersion
- 4.5. As well as welcoming the strengths of the school, it should be noted that the areas for continued improvement have already been incorporated into the school's improvement plan. Progress on the identified areas for improvement will be shared with parents.
- 4.6. Education Scotland have intimated that they are confident that the school will be able to take forward the areas for improvement and will make no more visits in connection with this report. The local authority will inform parents about the school's progress as part of the authority's arrangements for reporting to parents on the quality of its schools.
- 5. Employee Implications
- 5.1. None
- 6. Financial Implications
- 6.1. None

7. Other Implications (Including Environmental and Risk Issues)

- 7.1. There are no direct risks associated with this report which is provided for information only.
- 7.2. There are no significant sustainability issues in connection with the recommendations contained within this report.

8. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

- 8.1. There is no requirement to carry out an assessment in terms of the proposals contained within this report.
- 8.2. The content of Education Scotland reports are shared with parents and discussed at Parent Council meetings.

Tony McDaid Executive Director (Education Resources)

24 October 2019

Link(s) to Council Values/Ambitions/Objectives

- Get it right for children and young people
- Protect vulnerable children, young people and adults
- Improve achievement, raise educational attainment and support lifelong learning
- Ensure schools and other places of learning are inspirational

Previous References

None

List of Background Papers

• Education Scotland Report - 27 August 2019

Contact for Further Information

If you would like to inspect the background papers or want further information, please contact:-

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1 October 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

In April 2019, a team of inspectors from Education Scotland and the Care Inspectorate visited Mount Cameron Primary School and Nursery Class. During our visit, we talked to parents/carers and children and worked closely with the headteacher and staff.

The inspection team found the following strengths in the school's work. Unless specified, they apply to the English and Gaelic Departments of the school and nursery.

- The headteacher and staff place a high level of importance on supporting children's wellbeing as central to learning. In so doing, they have developed effective partnerships to support children.
- Children are articulate and very motivated to be successful in their learning. They are very proud of their school. Those in Gaelic Medium Education (GME) value that they are developing fluency in Gaelic. The older children as *Ceannardan* (Leaders) work well with younger children, particularly in their use of Gaelic for immersion.
- Staff have had a successful focus on raising attainment in literacy and English.
- Children benefit from a range of achievements. Together with staff, they have had their efforts recognised nationally through certification such as Eco-Schools Scotland and sportscotland School Sports Award.

The following areas for improvement were identified and discussed with the headteacher and two representatives from South Lanarkshire Council.

- All staff should continue to work together to ensure a strategic overview of how well the range of assessment and moderation approaches used allow children to show their skills, knowledge and understanding across curricular areas.
- Staff should continue to ensure consistency in high-quality learning experiences for all children. This should include increasing the level of challenge in tasks and activities. Staff in GME should build further on recent improvements to immersion.





We gathered evidence to enable us to evaluate the school's work using quality indicators from <u>How good is our school? (4th edition)</u> and <u>How good is our early learning and childcare?</u>. Quality indicators help schools, local authorities and inspectors to judge what is working well and what needs to be improved. Following the inspection of each school, the Scottish Government gathers details of our evaluations to keep track of how well Scottish schools are doing.

Here are Education Scotland's evaluations for Mount Cameron Primary School and Nursery Class

Quality indicators for the primary school	Evaluation	
Learning, teaching and assessment	good	
Raising attainment and achievement good		
Descriptions of the evaluations are available from: How good is our school? (4 th edition), Appendix 3: The six-point scale		

Quality indicators for the nursery class	Evaluation	
Learning, teaching and assessment	good	
Securing children's progress good		
Descriptions of the evaluations are available from: How good is our early learning and childcare? Appendix 1: The six-point scale		

Here are the Care Inspectorate's gradings for the nursery class

Care Inspectorate standards	Grade
Quality of care and support	good
Quality of management and leadership	good

Requirements/recommendations made by Care Inspectorate for the nursery class

During the previous Care Inspectorate inspection, the setting had no requirements and no recommendations. As a result of this inspection, there are no requirements and no recommendations.





This letter and a more detailed document called Summarised Inspection Findings (SIF) will be available on the Education Scotland website at: <u>https://education.gov.scot/inspection-reports/south-lanarkshire/8531625</u>

What happens next?

We are confident that the school has the capacity to continue to improve and so we will make no more visits in connection with this inspection. South Lanarkshire Council will inform parents/carers about the school's progress as part of its arrangements for reporting on the quality of its schools.

Joan C. Esson HM Inspector Aileen Quinn Care Inspector





- 1 Dàmhair 2019
- A Phàrant/Neach-cùraim chòir

Sa Ghiblean 2019, thadhail sgioba luchd-sgrùdaidh bho Foghlam Alba agus Luchd-sgrùdaidh a' Chùraim air Bun-sgoil agus Clas-àraich Bheinn Chamshroin. Rè ar turais, bhruidhinn sinn ri pàrantan/luchd-cùraim agus ri clann agus dh'obraich sinn gu dlùth leis a' cheannard agus an luchd-obrach.

Fhuair an sgioba sgrùdaidh na neartan a leanas ann an obair na sgoile. Mur a bheil e air ainmeachadh, tha iad a' buntainn ri Roinnean na Beurla agus na Gàidhlig san sgoil agus san sgoil àraich.

- Tha an ceannard agus an luchd-obrach a' cur ìre àrd de chudromas air a bhith a' toirt taic do shunnd na cloinne mar a bhith aig teis-mheadhan an ionnsachaidh. Ann a bhith a' dèanamh seo, tha iad air com-pàirteachasan èifeachdach a leasachadh gus taic a thoirt do chlann.
- Tha a' chlann pungail agus air am brosnachadh gu mòr gu bhith soirbheachail nan ionnsachadh. Tha iad air leth moiteil às an sgoil aca. Tha an fheadhainn a tha ann am Foghlam Meadhan Gàidhlig (FMG) a' cur luach mòr air gu bheil iad a' leasachadh fileantas sa Ghàidhlig. Tha a' chlann as sine ag obair gu math leis a' chloinn a tha nas òige mar Cheannardan, gu sònraichte a thaobh a bhith a' cleachdadh na Gàidhlig ann an suidheachadh bogaidh.
- Tha an luchd-obrach air a bhith gu soirbheachail a' cuimseachadh air àrdachadh coileanaidh ann an litearrachd agus Beurla.
- Tha a' chlann a' faighinn buannachd bho raon de choileanaidhean. An co-bhoinn ris an luchd-obrach, tha an oidhirpean air a bhith air an aithneachadh gu nàiseanta tro theisteanachadh leithid Eag-sgoiltean Alba agus Duais Sgoile Alba sportscotland.

Chaidh na raointean a leanas a chomharrachadh airson an leasachadh agus chaidh bruidhinn mun deidhinn ris a' cheannard agus ri dithis riochdairean bho Chomhairle Siorrachd Lannraig a Deas.

- Bu chòir dhan luchd-obrach air fad leantainn orra a' co-obrachadh gus dèanamh cinnteach à sealladh farsaing ro-innleachdail mu dè cho math 's a tha raon de mheasadh agus cuimseachd a' leigeil le clann a bhith a' sealltainn an sgilean, an eòlais agus an tuigse thar raointean a' churraicealaim.
- Bu chòir dhan luchd-obrach leantainn orra a' dèanamh cinnteach à cunbhalachd ann an eòlasan ionnsachaidh de dh'àrd-chàileachd don chloinn air fad. Bu chòir dhan seo a bhith a' gabhail a-steach meudachadh na h-ìre dùbhlain ann an gnìomhan agus curseachadan. Bu chòir do luchd-obrach FMG tuilleadh a dhèanamh a thaobh a bhith a' togail air leasachaidhean a chaidh a dhèanamh o chionn ghoirid ann an FMG a thaobh bogadh.

^{1 |} Bun-sgoil agus Clas-àraich Bheinn Chamshroin, Comhairle Lannraig a Deas, 8531625





Chruinnich sinn fianais gus cothrom a thoirt dhuinn luachadh a dhèanamh air obair na sgoile a' cleachdadh ceithir chomharran càileachd ann an <u>Dè cho math 's a tha an sgoil againn? (4mh eagran)</u> agus <u>Dè cho math 's a tha ar tràth-ionnsachadh agus cùram-chloinne?</u> Bidh comharran càileachd a' cuideachadh sgoiltean, ùghdarrasan ionadail agus luchd-sgrùdaidh gus breith a thoirt air dè a tha math agus dè a dh'fheumas a bhith air a leasachadh. An dèidh sgrùdadh a dhèanamh air gach sgoil, bidh Riaghaltas na h-Alba a' cruinneachadh mion-fhiosrachadh de ar luachaidhean gus lorg a chumail air dè cho math 's a tha sgoiltean ann an Alba a' dèanamh.

Seo luachaidhean Foghlam Alba airson Bun-sgoil agus Clas-àraich Bheinn Chamshroin

Comharran càileachd ìrean bun-sgoile	Measadh	
lonnsachadh, teagasg agus measadh	math	
Ag àrdachadh buileachadh agus coileanadh	math	
Tha tuairisgeulan de na luachaidhean rim faotainn bho <u>Dè cho math 's a tha an sgoil againn?</u> (4mh eagran). Pàipear-taic 3: An sgèile sia puing		

Comharran càileachd a' chlas-àraich	Measadh	
lonnsachadh, teagasg agus measadh	math	
Daingneachadh adhartas na cloinne math		
Tha tuairisgeulan de na luachaidhean rim faotainn bho <u>Dè cho math 's a tha ar tràth-</u> ionnsachadh agus cùram-chloinne? Pàipear-taic 1: An sgèile sia puing		

Seo luachaidhean Luchd-sgrùdaidh a' Chùraim airson a' chlas-àraich

Luachadh Luchd-sgrùdaidh a' Chùraim	Luachadh
Càileachd a' chùraim agus an taic	math
Càileachd rianachd agus ceannardas	math





Riatanasan/molaidhean a rinneadh le Luchd-sgrùdaidh a' Chùraim airson a' chlas-àraich

An uair a chaidh an sgrùdadh mu dheireadh a dhèanamh le Luchd-sgrùdaidh a' Chùraim, cha robh riatanasan sam bith aig an t-suidheachadh seo agus cha robh molaidhean sam bith ann. Mar thoradh air an sgrùdadh seo, chan eil riatanasan no molaidhean sam bith ann.

Bidh an litir seo agus sgrìobhainn le fiosrachadh nas mionaidich, ainmichte mar Geàrr-iomradh air Toraidhean an Sgrùdaidh (SIF) ri fhaighinn air làrach-lìn Foghlam Alba aig: <u>https://education.gov.scot/inspection-reports/south-lanarkshire/8531625</u>

Dè thachras a-nis?

Tha sinn misneachail gu bheil an comas aig an sgoil leantainn air adhart a' leasachadh agus mar sin cha thadhail sinn air an sgoil tuilleadh co-cheangailte ris an sgrùdadh seo. Innsidh Comhairle Siorrachd Lannraig a Deas do phàrantan/luchd-cùraim mu adhartas na sgoile mar phàirt de ullachaidhean a thaobh a bhith a' toirt fiosrachadh seachad mu chàileachd a sgoiltean.

Joan Esson Neach-sgrùdaidh na Banrigh Aileen Quinn Neach-sgrùdaidh a' Chùraim



Subject:

Report to:	East Kilbride Area Committee
Date of Meeting:	20 November 2019
Report by:	Executive Director (Community and Enterprise Resources)

Roads Investment Plan - Progress Report

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-
 - set out progress with roads investment activity in the East Kilbride Area Committee area

2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-
 - (1) that the progress in roads investment activity in 2019/2020 be noted.

3. Background

- 3.1. It is recognised there is a need to report progress on key priorities to the relevant Area Committee. Given that the original Roads Investment Plan 2008/2019 represented a total investment of £126 million, it was clearly a key Council initiative. Consequently, this report provides the Committee with an update on progress in the East Kilbride Area Committee area in the first year after the end of the initial roads' investment period.
- 3.2. The condition of roads and pavements continues to be a significant concern for members of the public. The South Lanarkshire Household Survey of 2010 recorded a public satisfaction rating of only 18.6% with regard to the condition of roads and footways highlighting the need to continue the investment programme. A further independent survey in 2013 recorded a satisfaction rating of 24.7% for road conditions. The most recent Household Survey in 2014 identified some further progress with satisfaction levels increasing to 29%. However, this remained the lowest rating of any Council Service and it is clear that while good progress has been achieved, much work remains to be done.
- 3.3. The initial Roads Investment Plan ended in March 2019, with a further £11 million of capital "steady state" funding subsequently being committed for the current year. The Council's approved Capital Strategy commits to continuation of funding at "steady state" levels.

4. Improving the Road Network

4.1. The road network is the highest value asset owned by the Council, worth over £3 billion. With this in mind, the Council Plan identifies improvements to the road network as one of the Council's key objectives/priorities.

4.2. The total value of the works over the 12 years since 2008 is £137 million and was phased as follows:-

Year	£m per annum	Total
2008 - 2009	£6 million	£6 million
2009 - 2010	£12 million	£18 million
2010 – 2011	£12 million	£30 million
2011 - 2012	£12 million	£42 million
2012 – 2013	£12 million	£54 million
2013 – 2014	£12 million	£66 million
2014 - 2015	£12 million	£78 million
2015 - 2016	£12 million	£90 million
2016 – 2017	£12 million	£102 million
2017 – 2018	£12 million	£114 million
2018 - 2019	£12 million	£126 million
2019 - 2020	£11 million	£137 million

5. Priorities

- 5.1. Each carriageway and footway scheme identified for improvement is scored using the criteria listed below. The schemes are then ranked in order of priority to ensure those requiring attention and providing the greatest benefit are included in a programme at the earliest possible date. From 2019/2020 onwards this has been done on a Council-wide basis rather than defined budget splits for each Area Committee area.
- 5.2. This ensures priorities of greatest need across the Council area are addressed.

Carriageway Scoring System						
	Criteria Max Score Score					
1	Condition	70	70			
2	Maintenance Category	30	30			
		Maximum Total	100			

Footway/Footpath Scoring System					
	Criteria	Max Score	Weighting	Score	
1	Condition	10	5	50	
2	Importance/Accessibility	5	2	10	
3	Claims/Defect Reports	10	2	20	
4	Assistance to Other Priorities	10	2	20	
			Maximum Total	100	

- 5.3. This approach of treating the worst roads first is also being increasingly complemented by an "asset management" approach whereby relatively low cost interventions, such as surface dressing, are being used to seal existing road surfaces, improve skid resistance and generally prolong the life of the road.
- 5.4. Such an approach represents good value for money and a long-term outlook. However, it can generate comments that "better" roads are being treated before those which are "worse".

6. Progress to Date – 2019/2020

6.1. To 13 September 2019, in total 100 schemes have been completed throughout South Lanarkshire, including 29 in East Kilbride. The remaining 14 in East Kilbride are schemes either in progress or programmed to be completed by March 2020 as shown below:-

Carriageway Schemes						
	No. of Completed In Programmed To be %					%
	Schemes		Progress		programmed	Complete
SLC	156	94	21	32	9	60.3
East	40	28	7	4	1	70.0
Kilbride						

	Footway Schemes					
	No. of	Completed	In	Programmed	To be	%
	Schemes		Progress		programmed	Complete
SLC	14	6	2	4	2	42.9
East	3	1	1	1	0	33.3
Kilbride						

- 6.2. The schemes in the East Kilbride Area for 2019/2020 are listed in Appendix 1.
- 6.3. The condition of roads is monitored nationally via the Scottish Road Maintenance Condition Survey (SRMCS). South Lanarkshire Council's results for 2018/2019 (the most recent results available) show the Council is now 9th of the 32 Councils in terms of the condition of its road network.
- 6.4. The road condition index shows a long-term trend of improvement as shown in Appendix 2. However, it should be recognised that significant works still have to be undertaken on minor and residential roads, including footways, to bring them up to a reasonable standard.

7. Employee Implications

7.1. None.

8. Financial Implications

8.1. Works are being funded via approved budgets. Carriageway condition is improving as a result of the significant investment. However, additional investment in both carriageway and footways will be required beyond 2020 if progress is to be maintained and recent improvements protected.

9. Other Implications (Including Environmental and Risk Issues)

- 9.1. Continuing to progress this investment programme will reduce the risk of third party claims and improve public satisfaction with regard to road and footway conditions.
- 9.2. There are no implications for sustainability in terms of the information contained in this report.

10. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

- 10.1. The Roads Investment Plan will improve road and footway conditions for all sections of the community.
- 10.2. There was no requirement to undertake an equality impact assessment or consultation in terms of the content of this report.

Michael McGlynn Executive Director (Community and Enterprise Resources)

27 September 2019

Link(s) to Council Values/Ambitions/Objectives

• Improve the road network, influence improvements in public transport and encourage active travel

Previous References

- Executive Committee 20 April 2008
- East Kilbride Area Committee 7 November 2018

List of Background Papers

None

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Appendix 1

Roads Investment Schemes – East Kilbride 2019/2020

Capital Investment		
Carriageway Resurfacing Schemes	Costs	Status
Meadowhead Highway, Auldhouse	TBC	To be programmed
Eaglesham Rd, Jackton (phase 1)	£103,000	Complete
Eaglesham Rd, Jackton (phase 2)	£55,000	Complete
A71 Kirk St, Strathaven	£100,000	Programmed
B7086 Lesmahagow Rd, Strathaven	£147,000	Complete
A71 Darvel Rd, Strathaven	£80,000	Complete
Greenhills Rd, EK	£236,000	Complete
Craigthornhill Rd, Glassford	£83,000	Complete
A723 Strathaven to Hamilton	£442,000	Programmed
Holm St, Strathaven	£26,000	Complete
West Mains Rd, EK (phase 1)	£141,000	Complete
The Murray Rd, EK	£136,000	Complete
Lindsayfield Rd, EK	£111,000	Complete
Dovecastle Dr, Strathaven	£50,000	Complete
Low Kype Highway, Strathaven	£60,000	Complete
Glenburn Rd, EK	£102,000	Complete
Stroud Rd, EK	£130,000	Complete
Waterhead and Peelhill Highway, Strathaven	£56,000	Complete
Bridge St, Strathaven	£14,000	Complete
West Mains Rd, EK (phase 2)	£227,000	Complete
Law Place, EK	£121,000	Complete
Methven & Burnbrae Place, EK	£29,000	Complete
Hamilton Rd Industrial Est, Strathaven	£105,000	Complete
Millwell Rd, Auldhouse	£26,000	Complete
Ardochrig Rd, Auldhouse	£112,000	Complete
Arrotshole Rd, EK	£46,000	Complete
Scott Hill/Burns Park, EK	£77,000	Complete
Tewkesbury Rd, EK	£93,000	Complete
Machine Patching various locations	£255,000	Programmed
Stewartfield Way, EK (Repave phase 1)	£270,000	Complete
Stewartfield Way, EK (Repave phase 2)	£200,000	Programmed
Ardochrig Road, Auldhouse (surface dressing)	£20,000	Complete
Coldstream Highway, Strathaven (surface dressing)	£17,000	Complete
Gilderdale, (microasphalt), EK	£15,000	In Progress
Brodick Drive/Dunvegan Place etc, EK (microasphalt)	£34,000	In Progress
Poplar Gardens, EK (microasphalt)	£11,000	In Progress
Hogan Drive/Palmer Crescent, Strathaven (microasphalt)	£17,000	In Progress
Fortieth Avenue, (microasphalt), EK	£15,000	In Progress
Millburn Way, (microasphalt), EK	£10,000	In Progress
Infrastructure/Safety – Various Locations	£220,000	In Progress
Capital Carriageway Total	£3,992,000	

Footway Resurfacing Schemes		
Barbush Place, Strathaven	£22,000	Programmed
Wellesley Crescent, EK	£162,000	In Progress
Simpson Drive, EK	£35,000	Complete
Capital Footway Total	£219,000	
Capital Total	£4,211,000	

Appendix 2

Roads Investment Schemes – East Kilbride 2018/2019

Road Condition Index 2009-2019













Report to:East Kilbride Area CommitteeDate of Meeting:20 November 2019Report by:Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources)

Subject:

Community Grant Applications

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-
 - request approval for the allocation of community grants to 12 community groups in the East Kilbride Area Committee area from the 2019/2020 community grant budget

2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-
 - (1) that community grants be awarded as follows:-

(a)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Stonehouse Agricultural Society <i>(EK/38/19)</i> £500 Equipment, administration and publicity costs £300
(b)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Strathaven Rainbow Social Club <i>(EK/48/19)</i> £500 Specialist transport £350
(c)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Strathaven Badminton Club <i>(EK/63/19)</i> £377 Equipment £300
(d)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Stonehouse Bowling Club Ladies' Section <i>(EK/64/19)</i> £220 Outing and entrance fees £220
(e)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Chapelton Indoor Bowling Club, Strathaven <i>(EK/65/19)</i> £250 Outing and entrance fees £250

(f)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Greenhills Parish Church Women's Guild, East Kilbride <i>(EK/66/19)</i> £250 Outing and entrance fees £250
(g)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Strathaven Festivals <i>(EK/67/19)</i> £250 Start-up costs £250
(h)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Midweek Walking Group, East Kilbride <i>(EK/68/19)</i> £250 Outing, administration and publicity costs £250
(i)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Strathaven Bowling Club Ladies' Section (<i>EK</i> /69/19) £250 Outing and entrance fees £250
(j)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Waist Not Want Not, East Kilbride <i>(EK/72/19)</i> £1,000 Start-up costs £250
(k)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	St Ninian's Church LEP, Stonehouse <i>(EK/73/19)</i> £500 Equipment, administration and publicity costs £300
(I)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	East Kilbride Trefoil Guild <i>(EK/74/19)</i> £85 Outing £85

3. Background

- 3.1. The Council operates a community grants scheme to support local constituted community groups and voluntary organisations. Applications are invited continually throughout the year.
- 3.2. All applications require to be supported by a constitution, audited accounts or annual income and expenditure accounts, a bank statement and confirmation that the group/organisation will adhere to the conditions of the grant award.

4. Employee Implications

4.1. None.

5. Financial Implications

5.1. The current position of the community grant allocation for the East Kilbride Area Committee area in 2019/2020 is as follows:-

Total allocation for Community Grants	£25,750
Grants previously allocated	£16,515
Community Grants recommended in this report	£3,055
Remaining balance	£6,180

6. Other Implications (Including Environmental and Risk Issues)

- 6.1. The risk to the Council is that grant funding is not utilised for the purpose of which it was intended. This risk is mitigated by internal controls including audit procedures and conditions of grant agreement.
- 6.2. There are no apparent implications in terms of sustainable development.

7. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

- 7.1. This report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy or recommend a change to an existing policy, function or strategy and therefore no impact assessment is required.
- 7.2. All the necessary consultation with the community groups has taken place.

Paul Manning Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources)

7 November 2019

Link(s) to Council Values/Ambitions/Objectives

 Accountable, effective, efficient and transparent. Work with communities and partners to promote high quality, thriving and sustainable communities

Previous References

• East Kilbride Area Committee – 11 September 2019

List of Background Papers

• Individual application forms

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