



Subject:	Minutes of the Meeting of the Shared City Partnership
Date:	21st April 2023
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Restricted Reports	
Is this report restricted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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After Committee Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
After Council Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sometime in the future	<input type="checkbox"/>
Never	<input type="checkbox"/>

Call-in	
Is the decision eligible for Call-in?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

1.0	Purpose of Report/Summary of Main Issues
1.1	To report to the Committee the key issues discussed at the meeting of the Shared City Partnership held on 27th March.
2.0	Recommendations
2.1	The Committee is requested to approve the minutes and recommendations from the Shared City Partnership Meeting held on 27 ^h March 2023 including:
2.2	<u>PEACEPLUS</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">To note, the high-level feedback on the Peace Plus Programme, including an update on the Thematic Group Meeting 1 – 22nd March – St Comgall's; and further updated on Stage 2 development of the Local Action Plan, including forthcoming Thematic Working Group meetings.

PEACE IV

2.3 **Secretariat**

To note the contents of the report and agree:-

- to delegate authority to the PEACE IV Programme Board to consider and agree the closure the position of projects, with final agreement by the Director of Neighbourhood Services, until the SCP is reconvened following the Council elections.

2.4 **CYP Theme**

- To note the contents of the report and note and agree: -
 - **CYP 1 – TECH CONNECTS, Belfast Metropolitan College (Digital Insights Programme)** - Agree in principle, completion of the project at the level as outlined and to progress discussions with SEUPB on any implications.
 - **CYP5 NIHE** - To note that the written return from SEUPB indicates that any additional request for mitigations to be applied to target hours, has been declined.

2.5 **SSS Theme**

To agree:

- the revised narratives for the information panels in Sections 2 and 5 subject to a plain English review and creative input (as detailed in appendix II).
- to note the suggested locations for panels and directional signage in Section2 (Springvale) and Springfield Dam / Park (as detailed in appendix III).

2.6 **BPR Theme**

To agree the following proposals:

- **BPR 1 - NIHE- Cross Community Area Networks** - note that SEUPB had responded in writing, to request for application of additional mitigations, stating no further mitigations are permitted.
- **BPR2 – Creative Communities Project** - agree in principle the level of achievement as 55% of participant targets.

2.7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BPR6 St Comgall's - note the project is moving into closure phase. The project is submitting further evidence on completion of contact hours for 6 final adult participants. <p>Delegate authority to the Thematic Chairs of the Programme Board to approve the final completer numbers for closure of the project.</p> <p><u>GOOD RELATIONS</u></p> <p>Quarter 4 report on the delivery of the Council's Good Relations Action Plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recommend to note the contents of the report.
3.0	Main report
3.1	<p><u>Key Issues</u></p> <p>The Shared City Partnership is a Working Group of the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee which consists of Elected members and representatives from various sectors across the city. The minutes from the Partnership are brought before the Committee for approval on a monthly basis.</p>
3.2	<p>The key issues on the agenda at the meeting on 27th March were:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update on PEACE PLUS – Local Community Peace Action Plan • PEACE IV Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Update on PEACE IV Secretariat ○ Update on PEACE IV CYP Theme ○ Update on PEACE IV SSS Theme ○ Update on PEACE IV BPR Theme • Good Relations Action Plan 2023/24 Quarter 4 Update <p>More details regarding the above issues and recommendations are included in the minutes of the meeting at Appendix 1.</p>

	<u>Financial and Resource Implications</u>
3.3	All financial implications are covered through existing budgets
	<u>Equality or Good Relations Implications/Rural Needs Assessment</u>
3.4	The recommendations of the Partnership promote the work of the Council in promoting good relations and will enhance equality and good relations impacts.
4.0	Documents Attached
	<p>Appendix 1 - Minutes of the meeting of 27th March</p> <p>Appendix 2 - Revised narratives for the information panels in Sections 2 and 5</p> <p>Appendix 3 - Suggested locations for panels and directional signage in Section2 (Springvale) and Springfield Dam / Park</p>