FC96. REFERRALS FROM ECONOMIC STRATEGY AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE ON 6 MARCH 2012 – (a) TOWARDS 2020: FALKIRK COUNCIL'S EUROPEAN STRATEGY AND (b) DEVELOPMENT PLAN SCHEME 2012

There was submitted (circulated) (a) joint Report dated 6 March 2012 by the Director of Corporate and Neighbourhood Services and of Development Services, and (b) Reports by (i) the Director of Corporate and Neighbourhood Services setting out a proposed European Strategy, in response to "European Economic Strategy – Europe 2020" by the European Commission, and proposing that Council renews its membership of the East of Scotland European Consortium (ESEC) at a cost of £6750, and (ii) the Director of Development Services presenting a draft Development Plan Scheme 2012 for approval, both reports having been submitted to the meeting of the Economic Strategy and Development Committee on 6 March 2012.

AGREED:-

- (1) the draft European Strategy as attached to the Report;
- (2) to renew the Council's membership of East of Scotland European Consortium (ESEC), and
- (3) to adopt the draft Falkirk Local Development Plan Scheme 2012 as attached to the Report.