

EX22. INSPIRING ACTIVE LIVES – A CULTURE AND SPORT STRATEGY FOR FALKIRK 2013-2023

The Executive considered a report by the Chief Executive presenting a draft Culture and Sport Strategy for the Falkirk area for 2013-2023.

A draft Culture and Sport Strategy for Falkirk – Inspiring Active Lives – had been developed by the Falkirk Community Trust in its role as principal advisor to the Council. The Strategy set out a vision for culture and sport in the area together with the key themes and actions required to achieve the vision. Proposals were set out to refer the Strategy to a policy development panel, chaired by the Culture Leisure and Sport portfolio holder. Terms of reference for the Panel which would make its recommendation to the Executive were proposed. At the same time the Trust would carry out a consultation on the Strategy.

Decision

The Executive agreed:-

- (1) to note the draft Culture and Sport Strategy – Inspiring Active Lives,**
- (2) to ask Falkirk Community Trust to consult on the Strategy, and**
- (3) to establish a policy development panel of 5 members (3 from the Administration and 2 from the opposition), to be chaired by Councillor Mahoney as the relevant portfolio holder to review the draft Strategy with a view to making recommendations to an Executive meeting on the final Strategy and its implementation; and**
- (4) that the terms of reference of the policy development panel would be to:- reflect on the draft strategy and propose changes, look at how the strategy will progress to implementation beyond the broad intent set within the strategy and then reflect on this in recommending the final strategy to the Executive.**