

**EE32. COMMUNITY LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT (SCOTLAND)
REGULATIONS 2013: GUIDANCE AND REQUIREMENTS FOR LOCAL
AUTHORITIES**

The Education Executive considered a report by the joint acting Director of Education which summarised the key issues set out in Guidance in relation to the Community Learning and Development (CLD) (Scotland) Regulations 2013, together with an overview of how actions would be taken forward.

The Regulations place two obligations on the Council, which are (i) to ensure that the need for CLD provision within the Council area is assessed, and (ii) to publish a 3 year plan by 1 September 2015 setting out what CLD provision the Council will make, how it will co-ordinate provision with other providers, what action the other providers intend to take during the period of the plan and what needs will be unmet. It also sets out 4 key policy goals for CLD and recommends developing a 3 year plan which addresses these key policy goals.

The report also detailed how Education Services plan to take forward the 4 key policy goals and proposed that Falkirk Community Learning and Development Partnership take the lead, whilst working with partners and learners, in developing the 3 year plan.

Decision

The Education Executive agreed:-

- (1) to note the key policy goals as set out in the Requirements for Community Learning and Development (Scotland) Regulations 2013 and the new Guidance (as detailed in Section 2.1 of the report);**
- (2) to endorse the plan, as detailed in Section 3 of the report, to take forward the development of the 3 year plan, and**
- (3) to receive a further update report detailing the progress made in developing the plan in due course.**