

## **EX91. Falkirk Townscape Heritage Initiative – Steeple End Use Business Case and Public Realm Update**

The Executive considered a report by the Director of Development Services which provided an update on the Falkirk Townscape Heritage Initiative (THI). The business case prepared by Falkirk Community Trust for future use of the Steeple was also presented along with an update on the delivery of the town centre public realm works.

The Executive agreed at its meeting on 13 June 2017 (ref EX10) that the Trust retain its lease and that the Falkirk Local History Society operate the Steeple as a local heritage space and attraction subject to submission of a viable business case for approval. The business case was provided as an appendix to the report.

### **The Executive:-**

- (1) approved the business plan prepared by Falkirk Community Trust and noted the approval of the Falkirk Common Good Committee for commitment of additional revenue budget of up to £6,410 per annum over the next two years to support delivery of a viable future use of the Steeple as set out in section 5 of the report;**
- (2) noted the outcome of the delivery of the THI public realm works including the support provided to local town centre businesses directly affected by the works, and**
- (3) noted the achievements delivered by the Falkirk THI project between 2013 and 2018 and results of the public perception survey.**