

**HELENSBURGH MAKING PLACES REPORT**

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**1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to ask Members to endorse the final draft of the Helensburgh Making Places report before it is shared with the community.
- 1.2 Making Places is a Scottish Government funded initiative which seeks to better understand a place through the views of its community. Making Places Helensburgh was joint funded between Argyll and Bute Council and Scottish Government and comprised a series of engagement activities and events, undertaken by icecream Architecture and Willie Miller Urban Design over the second half of 2018. Feedback has been compiled into a report.

## **2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS**

2.1 It is recommended that Members of Helensburgh and Lomond Area Committee:

Endorse the vision statements, themes and 3 areas of opportunity within the Making Places Helensburgh report, as highlighted in paragraphs 5.4 to 5.7 of this report.

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### **3.0 INTRODUCTION**

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## **5.0 DETAIL**

- 5.1 This report follows a paper that went before Members of the H & L Area Committee on 21 June 2018 which outlines the rationale for a Place Making exercise in Helensburgh and also the detail of the Scottish Government initiative.
- 5.2 This piece of work is now concluded and as such Members are asked to endorse the vision, theme and opportunity results of the Making Places Helensburgh feedback, which have been summarised and compiled within a report format by consultants, and which are supported by more detailed data analysis which can be found within appendices to the main report. The report and main baseline analysis were produced by icecream Architecture and Willie Miller Urban Design. Appendix 1 and Appendix 2 are their perceptions of the views of the Helensburgh community and represent the written version of feedback presented to the community on 8 August 2018.

- 5.7 We very much appreciate those who took the time to contribute to the making places process and to share their thoughts and ideas. If Members endorse this report, Appendix 1 and Appendix 2 will be shared with the community so that any factual corrections can be made.
- 5.8 It is intended for the final report to be available to all and for the community to make use of the report, as they see fit, as an evidence

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## **APPENDICES**

1. Helensburgh Making Places Report, produced by icecream Architecture and Willie Miller Urban Design
2. Full Baseline and Top Priorities Baseline Report, produced by icecream Architecture and Willie Miller Urban Design