CLIMATE CHANGE AND SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE

Minute of hybrid meeting of the Special Climate Change and Sustainability Committee held in the Council Chambers Meeting Room on 19 December 2022 at 10.30am.

Present: Councillors H Anderson, L Barrett, D Cuthbert, D Illingworth, N Khogali, G Laing, T McEwan, C Reid, G Stewart, R Watters and J Welch; R Oram.

In Attendance: B Renton, Executive Director (Communities) and P Dickson (Communities); A Taylor, A Brown and M Pasternak (all Corporate and Democratic Services).

Councillor R Watters, Convener, Presiding.

1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

Councillor R Watters welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no Declarations of Interest made in terms of the Councillors' Code of Conduct.

3. THE FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 2009: PUBLICATION OF FINAL REPORTS (CYCLE 1) AND LOCAL FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT PLANS (CYCLE 2)

There was submitted a report by the Head of Environmental and Consumer Services (22/307) (1) providing an update on the recent national public consultation on flood risk management, the publication of SEPA's Flood Risk Management Plans and (2) seeking approval of the content of the Final Reports and Local Flood Risk Management Plans before the publication date of 31 December 2022.

Resolved:

- (i) The progress made on delivering the Local Flood Risk Management Plans published in June 2016 as set out in the Cycle 1 Final Reports detailed in Report 22/307, be endorsed.
- (ii) The content of the Cycle 1 Final Report on the Local Flood Risk Management Plan for the Tay District and the Council's input to the Cycle 1 Final Reports for the Forth, the Forth Estuary and the Tay Estuary & Montrose Basin Districts, as detailed in Report 22/307, be approved.
- (iii) The content of the Cycle 2 Local Flood Risk Management Plan for the Tay District and the Council's input to the Cycle 2 Local Flood Risk Management Plans for the Forth, the Forth Estuary and the Tay Estuary & Montrose Basin Districts, as detailed in Report 22/307, be approved.
- (iv) The Executive Director (Communities) be authorised to carry out final minor amendments to the presentation of the above Cycle 1 Final Reports and Cycle 2 Local Flood Risk Management Plans prior to final publication on 21 December 2022, if required.

(v) The proposed arrangements for publication of the Cycle 1 Final Reports and Cycle 2 Local Flood Risk Management Plans, be approved.

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