

Annual Report

2017 - 2018



Pollokshields
Development
Agency



Developing Integration and Regeneration into the Heart of the Community

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Chair's Report



It is my privilege and honour to present my fourth annual report 2017/18 as Chairperson of Pollokshields Development Agency. I am proud to say that it has been a progressive, dynamic and productive year for PDA. The PDA successfully managed the sustainability of our ongoing projects as well as planning and delivering more exciting services, building new partnerships, and devising contemporary strategies.

I am pleased to report that PDA's financial statement 2017/18 is quite healthy i.e. an increase in the funding of 21.45% with a surplus of £1843 at the close of the financial year.

PDA is now growing at its fastest rate ever; winning exciting projects such as PDA Goes Green, increasing its working capacity by three hundred per cent. I also am grateful to Southside Housing for their cooperation for providing extra office space to accommodate our new staff of PDA Goes Green.

Indeed, with the appointment of our Projects Manager and the efforts made by senior ladies group the influx of females using our services is increasing. We were awarded £30k from Wellbeing for Glasgow Fund to continue our Senior Lunch Club and introduce a Ladies Club to support women 50 and under to try new vibrant activities, gain information and alleviate isolation.

PDA has always been in the forefront of preserving the cultural heritage of our diverse communities so that people can enjoy and cherish the common wealth of our diversities. To celebrate this PDA held an event 'Celebrating the diverse heritage of Scotland' with funding from Bemis attended by local people and dignitaries from all walks of the community fabric.

I am pleased to report that students from all over Scotland are travelling to Pollokshields Community Centre to sit the Urdu Higher and National Five exams and the centre's popularity is growing every year. At our last AGM I brought to your attention the growing attainment gap between the minority ethnic pupils and the indigenous ones at our schools. I am pleased to inform you that PDA has secured funding from SEIN for a six-month pilot project to help school children in their homework and to invigorate the interest in BME parents to play an active part in children's upbringing and the attainments at our schools.

Training for Board of directors facilitated by CEMVO in May last year has been instrumental in business planning, improving governance, setting up priorities and devising an action plan especially for maximising funding resources & developing the road map for the transfer of Pollokshields Community Centre/building to the PDA. PDA continues to adhere to its transparency and inclusivity policies.

I am grateful to the board of directors for constructive inputs in supporting the operations of PDA and for turning it into a dynamic entity. I am also thankful for the support of our Councillors and the allied services of Glasgow City Council. Finally, my sincere thanks to PDA staff and the volunteers for their commitment and support throughout the year and the smooth delivery of services to our communities.

Munir A Choudry
Chairperson



Treasurer's Report

2017-2018

It is my privilege to present PDA's audited accounts for the year ending 31st March 2018. I am grateful to Robina Akhtar and Naheed Asghar who have worked hard to spend every single penny wisely. I am delighted to state that we managed to run several projects efficiently in an environment made increasingly challenging due to lack of funding.

Glasgow City Council (IGF) is our backbone supporter, helping us to pay our two staff members wages (Administrator full time and Manager Part time). However, a reduction in funding received over time has resulted in a shortfall which has meant securing funding elsewhere to cover office running costs. The responsibilities of our Projects Manager have greatly increased due to our new project PDA goes Green and we are embarking on other new projects. We request Integrated Grant Fund to increase our funds to a minimum of £55,000 annually to help in managing the funding resources efficiently and to pay for our other administrative costs. Despite the challenges PDA is aiming to deliver more projects as needed. Staff and Board are putting in extra efforts to sustain our existing activities without comprising our standards of delivery. We are delighted to disclose that we are not compromising the quality of our services.

Summary of Finance Statement as follow

Income:

Grants £45,975 other income	£3,937
Total income 2017	£49,912
Grants	£53,718
Other income	£4,234
Community transport hire	£2,658
Total income 2018	£60,610

An increase in funding resource of £10,698 in comparison to last year.

Expenditure:

Total expenditure 2017	£51,343
Wages	£35,841
Other expenditure	£22,926
Total expenditure 2018	£58,767

Fixed assets 2017	£21,907
Fixed assets 2018	£23,338

This is my second year as Treasurer. I continue to work with the Projects Manager and Board to explore options to improve & increase PDA resources to start more activities and educational facilities for local communities.

I assure you all that PDA staff and Board will take every step to achieve excellence in efficiency better & better every year in the future. Naheed Asghar with the support of the board and CEMVO successfully applied for and achieved Climate challenge fund of 127K for the next two years. PDA launched "PDA Goes Green" on 7th July successfully. Alexandra Krause (CCF project coordinator) is making efforts for further development. I wish her all the best and assuring our utmost support to run a better awareness campaign.

Finally, my appreciation goes to PDA board of directors and its staff who have produced remarkable outcomes with limited resources. Community needs are growing and we need to start new projects accordingly but funds are shrinking due to present critical situation.

Shaukat Sultan
Treasurer

Projects Manager's Report



PDA's annual report aims to highlight PDA's achievements over 2017/2018. At the PDA we believe our strength lies in our diversity, we aspire to meet the needs of local people in the Southside of Glasgow.

In order to meet the communities ever evolving needs we work in partnership with others to pursue common objectives, we make the best use of the limited resources we have and we actively involve our users when we organise new services and improve current services.

The last year has been an exciting time for the PDA with pilot projects and new services being introduced. Our first pilot project of the year was the Women's Empowerment Project funded through the South East Integration Network. We wanted to develop a programme of activities that would benefit local women with an emphasis to encourage involvement of women from black and minority ethnic backgrounds (BME). Over 12 months we introduced a range of initiatives for women to participate in to benefit their physical and mental health and emotional wellbeing. DIY Around the House, Basic Car Maintenance and Upholstery Skills.

The PDA held its first BME Women's Conference in March of this year which was attended by over 50 women. The Conference provided a platform to engage with women to ascertain their needs and aspirations, look at what we are doing right and wrong and provide information about local services that could benefit them. We have taken on board what women have said and are shaping services to meet changing needs.

For Children we introduced the Saturday Club to enable them to take part in activities, have fun, make new friends and gain confidence.

PDA was recently awarded a grant from the Climate Challenge Fund to implement an exciting project raising awareness of climate change issues in the Southside BME community 'PDA Goes Green'. I am grateful to CEMVO for supporting us through this process.

PDA carried out a consultation with local BME women which revealed the need to address a gap in service for an increasing number of women in their 30's to early 50's who don't meet the criteria for senior provision and are very isolated. To address this need the PDA successfully applied for funding to Wellbeing for Glasgow to set up a Ladies Lunch Club in April 2018 to offer women a safe place to meet new people, have a healthy lunch and take part in new activities.

All this would not have been possible without our funders IGF, St Nicholas Care Fund, VAF, Foundation Scotland, CCF, SEIN, Area Partnership, the passion of our Board of Directors friends of the PDA and the Staff and volunteers.

Naheed Asghar
Projects Manager

Senior's Lunch Club



2018 has been a great year so far for the Senior Lunch Club. The main aim of the Seniors Lunch Club is to offer a weekly social programme for men and women aged 55 and over. Not only did they enjoy a trip to Troon Beach and Blair Drummond Safari Park they have also been

actively involved with the launch of the PDA GOES GREEN project and have been gaining knowledge on how their day to day activities can have a positive impact on Climate Change.

“I’ve been coming to the Senior Lunch Club for about 6 years. It gives me the opportunity to catch up with old friends as well as make new ones. This a great club for seniors. The lunch that is provided is always great and we also have fun events such as Eid parties and day trips.” Mrs Najma Sharif

“I find that the club is therapeutic for anyone who is alone in the house. When it comes to 60 plus age people are sitting in the house doing nothing. I know some members who wait all week and look forward to coming here. I come from an NHS background where I used to help elderly people and now that I come to this club I would like to continue to help them here by spending time with them and talking to them.” Mr Deepak Gill.



Ladies Lunch Club



The ladies lunch club is aimed at any females between the ages of 18-55. A diverse range of women attend the club weekly. The women have had excellent workshops arranged for them so far such as makeup courses, upholstery and flower arrangements to name just a few.

New courses have been arranged in conjunction with the PDA GOES GREEN project. These will include healthy eating, food waste, textile recycling as well as an in-depth awareness of Climate Change and what we all can do to help the environment.

PDA Play Scheme Holiday Programme



We operate a programme of activities for school aged children and young people during the Easter, Summer and October holidays. This programme provides young people from Pollokshields with a safe and stimulating environment where they can take part in fun activities with their friends and make new ones.

Activities include games, sports, arts and crafts, outings and special projects. The scheme operates 5 days per week during school holidays.

Our holiday programme is funded by Glasgow city council, it allows us to engage directly with children to discuss issues such as child safety outdoors and online bullying and violence. Children gained better awareness of dangers that exist with the ability to respond positively in different environments and have knowledge of the effective steps to take to resolve specific issues.

We continue to look at innovative ways to deliver a better service. We value the support, input and ideas from our young service users. These conversations allow both staff and children to implement their suggestions through fun activities.

Saturday Children's Club



In response to consultation with parents and children the PDA has set up a Saturday Club for children between the ages of 5 to 15.

The club provides an opportunity for kids to have fun, learn new activities and skills, make new friends and go on trips.

Parents also get opportunities to meet other parents too when they drop and pick up their children.



Urdu Project



As a result of partnership working between Pollokshields Development Agency and Scottish Opportunities Centre, Pollokshields Community Centre has been recognised as a national examination centre for Scotland for Higher and National 5 in Urdu.

Last year nine students (mostly seniors) took part in the Urdu exams.

This year there has been a 300 percent increase in student intake for Urdu Higher and National 5 exams as students from Scottish Schools and Urdu centres were attracted to appear at the centre.

Service users Feedback

I finished school after my O levels and never got any Highers. Having enjoyed the classes and the teaching environment at community level, finally I got my Higher certificate in Urdu and achieved an A grade. I feel quite proud of my achievement and can tell my children there is no age limit for learning.

Service users Feedback

Although I studied Urdu at School/College in Pakistan but I never had the certificate to show in Scotland. I enrolled myself into the community learning programme, sat the Urdu exam after 45 years and achieved an A in Urdu Higher. I am proud of my achievement and this certificate will help me if I want to enter into interpreting services.

Seniors' Badminton Club

PDA is committed to provide facilities for activities for all age group according to the demand from members.



An aging population can result in higher levels of physical and cognitive disabilities which add to the burden on our NHS. To mitigate / offset this chronic process and to improve the lifestyles of our older people, PDA has started a senior's badminton club once a week at the community centre. The project is very successful and is helping to improve the mobility in much matured age, reduce isolation, and to boost morale of the individuals.

Seniors' e-Learning

With the revolution in e-technology and the increase in use of hand devices; the need was identified for training and awareness of the functions of smart phones. How to use apps and using multilingual communication modes were the main challenges for the older generation.

PDA in partnership with Silver Surfer Team (WSREC) developed and delivered a six week training programme at PDA. Bilingual trainers from WSREC delivered this interactive, fun packed learning programme and received very positive feedback from the senior learners.

Participant's Feedback

Playing badminton helps me get fit.

I have learned to facetime my family in Pakistan.

Women's Empowerment Project

PDA developed a programme of activities to benefit local women with an emphasis to encourage involvement of women from black and minority ethnic backgrounds (BME) living in the Southside of Glasgow. Over 12 months we introduced a range of initiatives for women to participate in to benefit their physical and mental health and emotional wellbeing.

Central to PDA's work is liaising with local people to tackle issues including isolation and service gaps and taking steps to address these. Our focus in this project was to engage local women in a range of short term pilot activities and using feedback decide what activities can be developed further and to hear from the women what the impact of being involved has had on their lives.



DIY Around the House: This offered women utmost independence and personal empowerment not having to wait for a male relative to come home and e.g. put a picture up. Women learned basic skills to allow them to;

Get to know tools and their uses

- ✚ Fix a leaky tap
- ✚ Patch a hole in the wall
- ✚ Put a shelf up
- ✚ Learn painting and wall papering techniques
- ✚ Hang a picture
- ✚ Seal around the sink

Basic Car Maintenance: Gave women the confidence and skills to look after their car as well as drive it, such as:

- ✚ Check tyres
- ✚ How to jump start their car
- ✚ How to change a tyre
- ✚ How to change a bulb
- ✚ How to ensure wipers are in good order
- ✚ Check oil levels



Upholstery Skills: Gave women new skills and encouraged upcycling, preventing furniture being taken to landfill and save money.

To deliver these activities we engaged a Sessional Development Facilitator to work with contractors to run the workshops. In addition, we worked with local colleges to support women who may want to take up a course to increase their skills further. We achieved our goal in this time limited innovative project as women were able to gain practical experience, learn new skills, socialise and increase their self-confidence.

Learners Feedback

Upholstery

Showed how simple it is to upholster furniture at home and now I do it myself.

It has given me the confidence to look around my house and upholster and upcycle things and turn it into a beautiful piece of furniture.

Learners Feedback

D.I.Y.

I am so confident using tools that around the house and now I want to tackle odd jobs.

Celebrating the Diverse Heritage of Scotland

With funding from History Heritage & Archaeology through BEMIS the PDA was given a bespoke opportunity to enhance and showcase what the Black & Minority Ethnic (BME) community's contribution to Scotland has been. We shared with our guests the fact that Scotland's community is vibrant, diverse, confident and dynamic and that Scotland is an amazing place to visit, live, and work in.



Our speakers were inspirational and were from Colourful Heritage, Police Scotland, Jewish Archives, Pollokshields Heritage, Muslim Council of Scotland, Church of Scotland and The Glasgow Gurdwara. The event was open to the local community. We invited local faith leaders to talk about the different faiths that are practiced and the values that are shared.

The Event was well attended and the speakers were well received, it gave people an opportunity to find out more about Pollokshields, some of the different faiths that are practised, the challenges faced by new communities arriving in Glasgow and what a great place Scotland is. Our feedback after the event was very positive with people having left with new found knowledge.



CCF- Climate Change Project



Alexandra Krause
Project Coordinator



Safina Mazhar
Development Officer



Emma Aitken
Development Officer

Pollokshields Development Agency has been awarded a grant from the Climate Challenge Fund to implement an exciting project raising awareness of climate change issues in the Southside of Glasgow. Over the next two years the PDA Goes Green project will offer free training workshops, public events and home advice focusing on food and textile waste reduction and energy saving practices.

Another exciting project activity is the installation of a Community Fridge, inviting the community to share fresh, healthy food completely free of charge!

We also hope that committed individuals representing the diverse community will join an Advisory Group for the project. This will enable the community to take ownership of the project and champion it from within.

Climate Change Project – Open Day Event



The Climate Challenge Project is a Scottish Government grant programme, managed and administered by Keep Scotland Beautiful. The CCF provides funding and support for community groups to help tackle climate change by running projects that reduce local carbon emissions.

Community Transport



PDA's Minibus is available for hire for local, voluntary and statutory organizations at minimum cost.

This invaluable service has allowed the community to access outdoor recreational opportunities especially for those that have no access to their own transport or lack the confidence to use public transport.

PDA is planning to seek funds to recruit and train volunteer minibus drivers. This will enable more people to access this community transport service as well as help volunteers gain a new skill resulting in job opportunities.

PDA Home School Project



The Home School Project will provide tuition to children from Primary 4 to Secondary school as well as provide guidance to parents on how best to support their children through the education system. Classes will begin in October 2018.

English for Speakers of Other Languages



We are continuing to explore new avenues to support our ESOL students to improve their employability, at present many go onto computing classes, run in conjunction with Glasgow Life held in the Pollokshields Community Centre.

We are continuing to work in partnership with Glasgow Clyde College Langside Campus to deliver the ESOL Project.

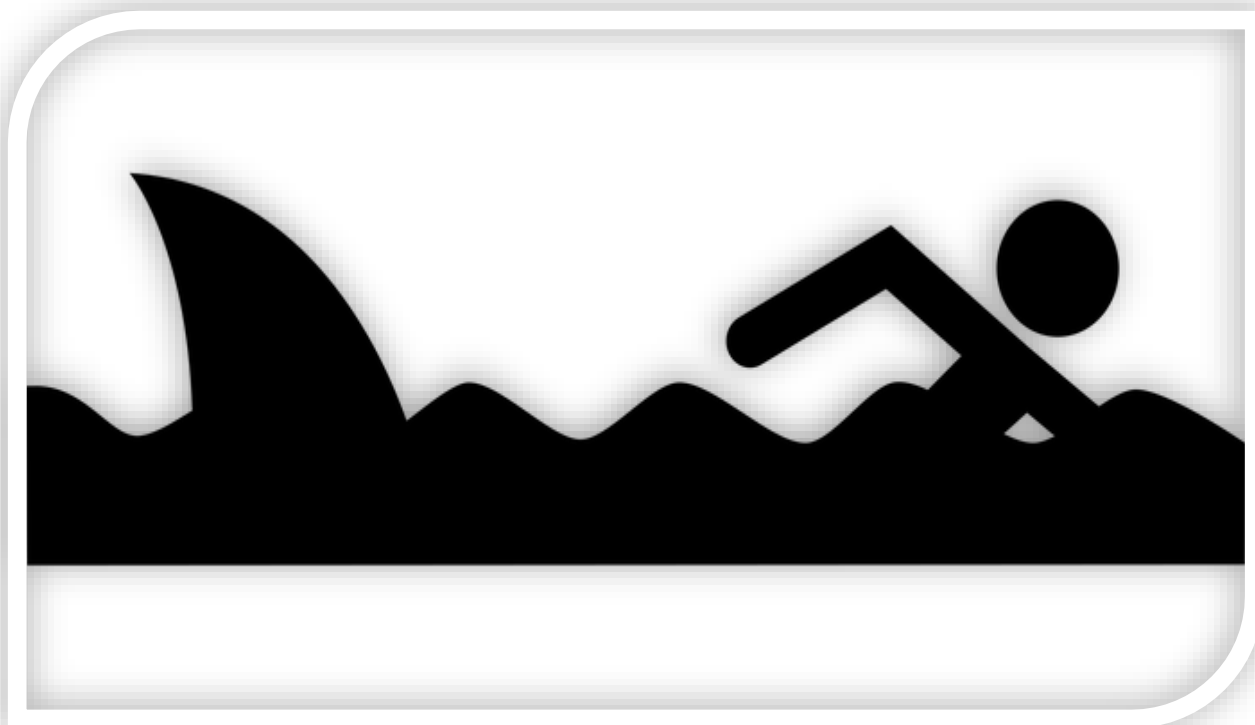
Our aim is to provide a range of classes locally within Pollokshields giving students the ability to progress from basic to more advanced levels of English.

At present we are offering ESOL testing, which is a requirement and allows tutors to establish what level of class would best suit each student's needs. We currently offer Access Level 3 classes twice a week.

Student's Feedback

I am so grateful to the teachers who encouraged me to try even in poor health and Eye sight problems, she put so much effort in and now I feel amazing, I know so many things and feel confident speaking English now

Women Getting Active



With funding from the Area Partnership the PDA set up a Women Getting Active pilot project. This was an opportunity for women to take part in sport, improve their health and wellbeing as well as confidence and self-esteem. The project allowed women to try swimming, pilates and badminton, for some women this was the first time they had tried any sport. The pilot was a success and women had fun the PDA is exploring new sources to make this a more permanent feature.

PDA BME Women's Conference

The PDA successfully held its first BME Women's Conference on Monday 19 March 2018 with over 55 women from the community in attendance. The conference allowed us to engage with local women and provide information about services provided by the PDA and other local agencies.

The Conference took the form of table networking where service providers went to each table and spoke to women in small groups and worked their way around the hall, this allowed women who may not have had the confidence to ask questions in front of a huge audience get the information they needed. We took the opportunity to ask women what they would like from the PDA. The general consensus was women want the PDA to continue providing services such as exercise classes, cookery sessions, lunch clubs, children's activities and all unanimously supported PDA taking over Pollokshields Community Centre and have more flexible opening hours.

Statistical Information

PDA statistical information refers to the total number of people who accessed PDA Services from April 1 2017 to March 31 2018

Project	Total Number
Lunch Club	908
ESOL	702
ESOL Assessments	12
Computer Classes	60
Massage Classes	440

The table below shows attendance at PDA's Play Scheme. The Play Scheme ran over the holidays.

Project	Total Number
Play Scheme	300
Women's Empowerment Project	75

The table below shows attendance at PDA's community events and AGM

Event	Total Number
Fund Raising	200
PDA's Diversity Event	75
PDA's AGM	80

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12 September 2018

Mr Munir Choudry
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Dear Mr Choudry

Pollokshields Development Agency – Letter of support

I am delighted to endorse the work of the Pollokshields Development Agency (PDA).

To have an organisation such as the PDA in the heart of Pollokshields, which I represent is an asset to the constituents of the area.

The services offered are a vital resource for the people of Pollokshields. Indeed the projects and services that have been established and delivered by the PDA have the needs of the most vulnerable people of the community.

PDA plays a crucial role in helping to promote integration within all the community.

It is my strong belief that as a result of your organisation's work this will help Pollokshields.

I would like to thank all the staff and management and all the service users.

I look forward to continuing to work together to the betterment of Pollokshields and the surrounding area.

Yours sincerely

Bailie Hanif Raja
Pollokshields Ward

Surgeries:

1 st Wednesday of each month	from 11.30 am	Nan McKay Hall, End of St John's Road, Glasgow, G41 5SR
1 st Wednesday of each month	from 5.00 pm	Craigton Primary School, 9 Morven Street, Glasgow, G52 1AL
1 st Wednesday of each month	from 6.00 am	Sherbrook St Gilbert's Church, 240 Nithsdale Road, Glasgow, G41 5AD
1 st Wednesday of each month	from 7.00pm	Shawlands Academy, 31 Moss-Side Road, Glasgow, G41 3TR
Every Friday	from 3.30pm	Pollokshields Library, 30 Leslie Street G41 2TE

There will be no surgeries during school or public holidays

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Munir A. Choudry,
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September 2018

Dear Munir,

Congratulations to Pollokshields Development Agency upon completion of another year of valued service to the community.

The work which it undertakes greatly is appreciated by all concerned.

Thanks go to you, your fellow Directors, your staff and your volunteers for all that you do.

I wish the PDA every success.

Yours sincerely,

Bailie Norman MacLeod
SNP Councillor for POLLOKSHIELDS WARD

Surgeries:

1st Monday of each month	6.00 pm	Pollokshields Community Centre, 15 Kenmure Street
1st Thursday of each month	6.00 pm	Shawlands Academy, 31 Moss-side Road
3rd Friday of each month	9.30 am	Nan McKay Memorial Community Hall, end of St John's Road
Last Sunday of each month	1.00 pm	Craigton Community Garden, 63-81 Barlogan Avenue
Individual appointments and home visits arranged on request.		
No surgeries during school and public holidays.		

Councillor Jon Molyneux

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29 August 2018

Munir Choudry
Chair person
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Dear Munir,

As the newest Councillor for Pollokshields ward, I have been grateful to you and your team at the Pollokshields Development Agency for your knowledge and insights into the issues which are important to local people.

I was delighted to help launch the PDA Goes Green project earlier in the year, thanks to support from the Climate Challenge Fund. This project has significant funding to help drive low carbon lifestyles, which is essential given that climate change is the greatest environmental and humanitarian crisis facing the world today.

I am also pleased that the PDA is moving forward with its plans to develop a community-owned asset from which to expand its work. I look forward to further progress on this in the coming year.

I am happy to commend the PDA and wish it continuing success for the years ahead.

Yours sincerely

Councillor Jon Molyneux

1 st Monday of the month	6.00 pm - 6.45 pm.	Shawlands Academy, 31 Moss-Side Road.
1 st Thursday of the month	6.00 pm - 6.45 pm.	Pollokshields Library, 30 Leslie Street.
2 nd Thursday of the month	6.00 pm - 6.45 pm.	Craigton Primary School, 9 Morven Street.

No surgeries in schools during school and public holidays. Home visits can be arranged for constituents unable to attend surgeries.

Councillor David Meikle
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POLLOKSHIELDS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY – ANNUAL REPORT

I am pleased to provide this letter of support for inclusion in the Pollokshields Development Agency's Annual Report.

The Pollokshields Development Agency is a key stakeholder in Pollokshields and I know your overall mission is to develop integration and regeneration into the heart of the community. It is great that you do this through listening to local people and delivering services to meet the needs of the community.

I have a good relationship with the Pollokshields Development Agency and I know you work well with other elected members and local organisations in order that we all make a real difference to the lives of people in Pollokshields.

I look forward to working with you during my third term as a local councillor and will continue to support your ideas to make the community a better place to live.
Yours sincerely

Councillor David Meikle

Surgeries:

1 st Monday of each month	6.00 pm – 7.00 pm	Nan McKay Hall, End of St John's Road
2 nd Wednesday of each month	6.00 pm – 7.00 pm	Hazelwood School, 50 Dumbreck Court
1 st Thursday of each month	6.00pm – 7.00pm	Shawlands Primary School, 1284 Pollokshaws Road
2 nd Thursday of each month	6.00pm – 7.00pm	Bellahouston Sports Centre, 31 Bellahouston Drive

No surgeries during and public holidays. Home visits can be arranged for constituents unable to attend surgery.

Glasgow City Council

POLLOKSHIELDS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES
Year ended 31 March 2018

SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

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MUNIR CHOUDRY – Chairperson

Date: 

29/6/18

POLLOKSHIELDS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINOR'S REPORT TO THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
& MEMBERS OF POLLOKSHIELDS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
Year Ended 31 March 2018**

We report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31st March 2018 which are set out on pages 4 to 9.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) 2005 Act and Charities Account (Scotland) Regulations 2006. The charity trustees consider that the audit requirements of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the accounts regulations does not apply. It is our responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section 44(1) (c) of the act and to state whether particular matter have come to our attention.

Basis of independent examiner's statement

Our examination is carried out in accordance with the Regulation 11 of the Charity Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeks explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and, consequently, we do not express an audit opinion on the accounts.

Independent examiner's statement

In the course of our examination, no matter has come to our attention:

1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:

- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 44(1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations, and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations

have not been met, or

2) to which, in our opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



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POLLOKSHIELDS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
Year Ended 31 March 2018

	Note	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total Funds 2018 £	Total Funds 2017 £
INCOMING RESOURCES					
Incoming resources from generating funds:					
Voluntary income	2	6,892	53,718	60,610	49,912
Investment income	3	-	-	-	-
Total Incoming Resources		6,892	53,718	60,610	49,912
RESOURCES EXPENDED					
Costs of generating funds					
Voluntary income expended	4	(2,473)	(56,294)	(58,767)	(51,343)
NET INCOMING RESOURCES		4,419	(2,576)	1,843	(1,431)
Total funds brought forward		16,134	5,773	21,907	21,907
Total Funds Carried Forward		20,553	3,197	23,750	23,338

The notes on page 7 to 9 form part of these financial statements.

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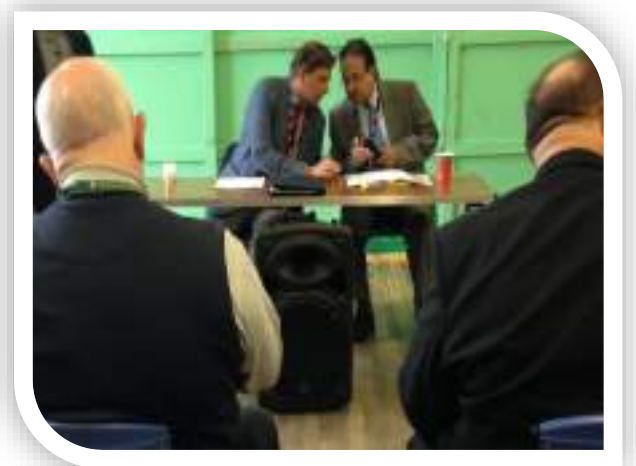
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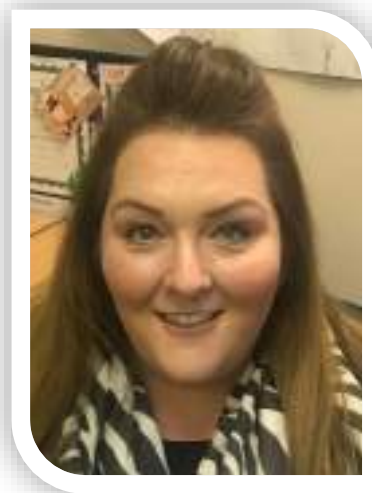
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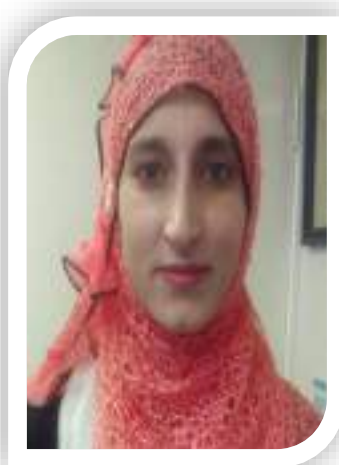
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