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Glasgow City Integration Joint Board Public Engagement Committee

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HEALTH & WELL BEING WITHIN GOVANHILL

Purpose of Report:	To provide an overview of some key Health Improvement areas of work being currently progressed within Govanhill neighbourhood.
Background/Engagement:	Series of community engagement sessions carried out in 2016 with the aim to further strengthen South Health Improvement links with community and local third sector organisations. This helped determine health improvement priorities for the area.
Recommendations:	The IJB Public Engagement Committee is asked to: a) note the contents of the report.

Relevance to Integration Joint Board Strategic Plan:

The Health Improvement work being delivered in the Govanhill area supports a range of key priorities areas for the IJB Strategic Plan including; prevention /early intervention, addressing health inequalities, improving health, community engagement and the wider community planning & Thriving Places agenda.

Implications for Health and Social Care Partnership:

Reference to National Health & Wellbeing Outcome:	The areas of work detailed within the report link with the National Health & Wellbeing Outcomes, in particular to outcomes (1), (4) & (5).
Personnel:	N/A
Carers:	N/A
Provider Organisations:	In addition to Health Improvement staff, a range of other staff from across GHSCP services, community planning partners and community / third sector organisations are a key stakeholders in the delivery of the programmes delivered in the area. The two highlighted in presentation have strong links with Third Sector organisations. .
Equalities:	The programmes engaged with a wide range of residents within Govanhill/South Glasgow including BME communities, women, young people, older adults etc.
Financial:	The main contribution to the programmes is through local Health Improvement Staff time to develop, support and link with key partners. Funding to support the areas of work have also been sourced via. Community planning and third sector organisations. This helps maximise local resources.
Legal:	N/A
Economic Impact:	A number of our local Health Improvement Programmes support the capacity building of local people e.g. Youthbank. The skills gained can help impact on local people's ability to gain employment and access training opportunities.
Sustainability:	A range of programmes rely mostly on staff time and smaller amounts of funding.
Sustainable Procurement and Article 19:	N/A
Risk Implications:	Health improvement staff support a wide range of local programmes and also work in partnership with local organisations. Any reductions in health improvement staff and

	or reduction of community planning funding would potentially impact on the programmes available to a wide range of local people including, BME.
Implications for Glasgow City Council:	As above.
Implications for NHS Greater Glasgow & Clyde:	Any reductions in staffing or funding from community planning and wide partners would impact on NHSCC key priorities for improving health, reducing inequalities and working with equality groups e.g. BME.

1. Background

1.1 The South Health Improvement Team has a key role within Govanhill in developing and delivering programmes that contribute to improving the health and well being of its residents. This paper will focus on two examples of work that is currently being delivered locally, these being: Govanhill & East Pollokshields Community Swimming Programme and South Glasgow Youth Bank.

2. Govanhill & East Pollokshields Community Swimming Programme

- 2.1 Consultation with local residents in Govanhill highlighted the need to have access to a local swimming pool within their neighbourhood that would be both accessible and affordable to all.
- 2.2 The South Health Improvement Team worked in conjunction with Govanhill Baths Community Development Trust to improve access to swimming lessons and swimming opportunities for people from both Govanhill & East Pollokshields who were experiencing a range of barriers in accessing/taking part in swimming.
- 2.3 The project improved access to swimming for a range of individuals facing barriers such as limited resources, lack of confidence and lack of culturally sensitive spaces. The project had a positive impact on participant's emotional and physical health & well being.

3. South Glasgow Youth Bank

- 3.1 South Glasgow Youth Bank (SGYB) is a licensed branch of the National Organisation; Youth Bank Scotland. The project itself consists of a group of young volunteers aged 13 – 25 from the south side of Glasgow.
- 3.2 These young people form a panel of grant makers who make the decisions around the funding of local projects and ideas developed by other young people from the South.
- 3.3 This includes ideas and projects developed by young people from Govanhill that have been funded in 2017-2019. Some examples of which include New Young

Peers Scotland (Y People), Home from Home Film Club (YSCA) and nutrition programme (Romano Lav). The process actively empowers these young people to identify the needs within their own community and develop projects to fulfill these needs.

4. Recommendations

4.1 The IJB Public Engagement Committee is asked to:

a) note the content of the report.