

## Active Travel Forum

### Opportunities for active travel in Glasgow?

#### Leadership

- Formation of Active Travel Forum (GCC)
- New minority administration – opportunity to work collaboratively (GCC)
- Opportunities international examples of leadership

#### Strategies

- Opportunities to link up policy and action to support health improve the quality and built environment (GCC)
- Tourism plan and developments (GCC)
- Glasgow 2018 opportunities (GCC)
- Euro Championships 2018 – have active travel as a legacy

#### Communication

- Joined up communications helps improve access (GCC)
- Influence council policies and drive change
- Better information about active travel projects/resources developments
- Positive local stories

#### Infrastructure

- Forward thinking and game changing projects are underway (GCC)
- Good infrastructure projects in progress and planning (GCC)
- Be bold – car free Sundays every Sunday in Glasgow (GCC)
- Next bike scheme (GCC)
- Build more infrastructure
- We want to pedestrianize Montrose Street. This is an opportunity to create fantastic urban realm (GCC)
- Linking of existing cycle routes to make a connected network (GCC)
- Quiet ways (GCC)
- Cycle/canal routes (GCC)
- Extension of segregated cycle network (GCC)
- Use of hire (next bike)
- Link with priorities of bike to work scheme

#### Funding

- Increased government funding and better outgoing certainty
- Increased active travel budget (GCC)
- Take advantage of City Deal to help deliver excellent spaces (GCC)
- Ensure City Deal supports active travel (GCC)
- Cross budget collaboration i.e. health benefits, social benefits etc.
- Doubling of active travel budget (GCC)
- Pedestrianisation improves health and wellbeing (GCC)
- More bus lanes help encourage cycling (GCC)

GCC – plays a role here although not necessarily the lead or exclusive

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#### Communities

- Working with local communities to create better “people places” (GCC)
- Engage citizens in improving our environments through volunteering/cleaning tidying up streets and paths
- Lots of grassroots projects

#### Stakeholders

- So many cycling organizations in Glasgow
- Parent teachers council
- Link with business chamber and commerce (GCC)
- Strong will among staff and students