We acknowledge that

We must have places that are nationally and internationally competitive if we want our communities to thrive in the future.

Our environment makes a vital contribution to our economic wellbeing, our health and our quality of life.

We need to improve our environment so that it delivers all that it can for the people who live and work in Central Scotland.

Change at the scale proposed can only take place over a long period with sustained resourcing.

We welcome

The government’s commitment to the CSGN as expressed through its inclusion as a National Development in Scotland’s National Planning Framework.

The CSGN concept as set out in the CSGN Vision.

The opportunity the creation of the CSGN provides to deliver our economic, social and environmental aims.

The opportunity to develop and enhance our partnerships with other Local Authorities, National Agencies, NGOs and communities in delivering CSGN ambitions.

We commit from this date to

Adhere to the CSGN principles expressed in the CSGN Vision.

Embed the CSGN in all relevant policies, strategies and plans - most notably in Single Outcome Agreements, Community Plans and development plans.

Develop and enhance our partnership work to realise the CSGN.

Ensure the Green Network permeates the Spatial Strategy and all relevant policy areas within the Stirling Local Development Plan.

Ensure the green network is integrated into frameworks, masterplans and design briefs for development proposals.

Ensure that development within Stirling contributes towards the provision of new Green Infrastructure in a way which is consistent with the scale and nature of the development.

Support activity in Stirling that has been identified through the CSGN Green Network Projects Study and the key projects within.

Support the delivery of the key objectives identified in the Kilpatrick Hills Study and Action Plan.