8 HIRD BRIDGE, BALGAY PARK (AN55-2006)

The Committee is requested to note that the Council has been awarded grants by both Historic Scotland (£150,000) and the Heritage Lottery Fund (£50,000) together with a £50,000 contribution from the Leisure and Communities Quality of Life Fund to restore the cast iron Hird Bridge in Balgay Park.

The Committee is asked to approve the appointment of the City Engineer to develop the design of the restoration work and seek tenders. The restoration works will be carried out in the financial year 2005/06 and £240,000 in 2006/07. The £10,000 in 2005/06 will be funded from the Department's Quality of Life allocation. Tenders will be reported to a future Committee.