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Participation Request - Decision Notice

Issued in accordance with the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 ('the Act') and The Participation Request (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 ('the Regulations')

The Participation Request submitted by **Friends of Magdalen Green** on **25th January 2022** ('the Participation Request') complied with the Regulations and was given a Validation Date of **25th February 2022**.

Friends of Magdalen Green are a "community participation body" in terms of Section 20(1) of the Act and **Dundee City Council** is a "public service authority" in terms of Section 21 and Schedule 2 of the Act.

The outcome specified in the Participation Request related to: **To improve access, enhance amenity and promote use of Magdalen Green as healthy green open space in an urban area.**

The Participation Request was referred to the Executive Director of Neighbourhood Services who, having considered the matter fully, has decided to agree to the Participation Request. Therefore, an Outcome Improvement Process ('the Process') will take place.

Proposed Outcome Improvement Process

- **Friends of Magdalen Green** and **Dundee City Council** will be the parties to the Process.
- The proposed Outcome Improvement Process will be for Friends of Magdalen Green and Dundee City Council use the Green Flag Assessment in order to improve Magdalen Green in under the themes of :
 1. A Welcoming Place
 2. Healthy, Safe and Secure
 3. Well Maintained and Clean
 4. Environmental Management
 5. Biodiversity, Landscape and Heritage
 6. Community Involvement
 7. Marketing and Communication
 8. Implementation of Management Plan
- In order to achieve this both parties will draw up a management plan for Magdalen Green
- Dundee City Council will engage with statutory and Community Planning Partners to consult on a draft management plan. Friends of Magdalen Green will consult with the local community on a draft management plan
- The management plan will include Roseangle Playpark
- The parties to the Process will meet not less than quarterly and will report progress, where necessary, to the West End Local Community Planning Partnership.



- Parties will also meet on-site at least once per year but more as required
- In the event of any dispute the Dundee City Council complaints procedure should be used

Friends of Magdalen Green are entitled to make written submissions in relation to modifying the Process provided those submissions are made no later than 28 days after the date of this Decision Notice.

The Process will begin on 8th June 2022 and is intended to conclude no later than 30th June 2023.

Please be aware that in accordance with the Act we will publish this Decision Notice, with personal details redacted, on DCCs website.

If you require any further information then please contact nicky.maccrimmon@dundeecity.gov.uk

Yours faithfully

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