

Crail Local Place Plan 2023 – submitted 18 December 2023

Addendum to supporting document “Consideration of Policy”

Following the submission of the Crail Local Place Plan to Fife Council on the 18 December 2023, Fife Council has raised a request for further clarification regarding consideration of “Locality Plans “ as required by regulation 2 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Place Plans) (Scotland) 2021.

The North East Fife Rural Poverty Action Plan is a Locality Plan relevant to the Crail area. The plan sets out outcomes and actions to address the following priorities: Climate Crisis- Reduce, Reuse, Recycle; Food Insecurity; Access to services; Income Maximisation; Lived experience; Family Support; Crisis/Cost of Living Support; Social Isolation & Mental Health. The Local Place Plan is considered to be consistent with the desired outcomes and actions contained within the NE Fife Rural Poverty Action Plan.

Whilst not identifying Crail as a particular area for deprivation and poverty the Rural Poverty Action Plan nevertheless points out that this does exist in North East Fife and that there are key factors which contribute to the problem. The Crail Local Place Plan emphasises the need for better transport links and for services and facilities (including play areas and green areas)to be available locally for the Crail community. It also deals with the need for affordable housing and improvement of employment prospects in the local area. Those aspirations address some of the key deprivation factors identified in the Rural Poverty Action Plan.

Crail Community Partnership

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