

**EAST RENFREWSHIRE COUNCIL****3 March 2022****Report by Director of Business Operations and Partnerships****PROVOST'S ENGAGEMENTS****PURPOSE OF REPORT**

1. To advise the Council of the civic engagements carried out Provost Fletcher since the meeting of the Council in October.

**RECOMMENDATION**

2. That the report be noted.

**REPORT**

3. Throughout the pandemic numerous civic events or engagements that would normally have been attended by the Provost have not been taking place.

4. As the vaccination programme rolls out opportunities for the Provost to attend events have resumed, albeit these have been limited in number.

5. Since the meeting in December the Provost has carried out the following civic engagements:

16 December – Attendance at ACCORD Hospice Carol Service, Paisley Abbey.

12 January – Virtual East Renfrewshire Air Support Unit Drone Presentation.

19 January – Holocaust Memorial Day speech filming at Council HQ.

29 January – Virtual Holocaust Memorial Service.

17 February – SABS Diversity and Community Event, Paisley.

18 February – Attended Deputy Chief Executive's Retirement Event, Eastwood House.

19 February – Community Event, Woodfarm

21 February – Opening of West Hurllet House, Glasgow Road.

23 February – Attended 101<sup>st</sup> Birthday celebrations, Thornliebank.

25 February – Attended Young Enterprise Scotland Event, Rouken Glen Park.

26 February – Installation of new Archbishop of Glasgow, St Andrew's Cathedral

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6. That the report be noted.

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Background papers - None