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Kenny Gillespie

Falkirk Council
Head of Housing and Communities
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Falkirk, 25 October 2025

Dear Mr Gillespie,

RE: High Flats Petition and Additional Resource

I'm contacting you regarding the petition organised by Leishman Tower Residents and Tenants Association which led to a meeting I attended on the 19th of August between members of the RTA and Falkirk Council.

I'm aware from that meeting the council were considering the deployment of additional resource to be deployed through a Problem-Solving Partnership, in partnership with the Residents and Tenants Association at the High Flats and through consultation with the High Flats.

The prominent issue I keep having raised through residents' forums and surgeries is safety. This would be a priority for the council and Police Scotland to seek to address.

Could you confirm the volume of additional resource the council are prepared to provide to residents at the High Flats?

What consultation has been carried out to date?

Due to the predominant issues I'm informed about from my constituents in the Callander Park High Flats being centred on safety and this has been aggravated since a substantial volume of protest activity started on Kemper Avenue in August.

Would the council consider co-funding a pilot, permanent, full-time community-based Police officer for the Callander Park, High Flats and Kemper Avenue area? Similar to the way School Based Officers are currently funded.

What evidence would the council require that this would be something the community would want?

Yours sincerely,

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