

## North Kelvin Meadow Campaign

### ***URGENT ACTION NEEDED***

The *potential* sale of land beside Clouston, Sanda and Kelbourne Streets in the West End of Glasgow G20 (Canal Ward) to a Private developer to build 115 flats has entered a **crucial stage** but it's still not too late to **save this land**.

Your support is needed **NOW** if you disagree with this sale and instead support the North Kelvin Meadow Campaign in developing this land as a **Green Space** for the use of the local people.

Support local people that are against this sale by:

Write to the **local MP** Anne Mckechin (see her website for contact details [www.anmckechinmp.net](http://www.anmckechinmp.net)), **the local MSPs as well**.

write to the **4 local Councillors**

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sign the **petition** [www.gopetition.com/online/28274.html](http://www.gopetition.com/online/28274.html)

write to **media** organisations (Evening Times, The Herald, BBC) and spread the word to other interested people.

write to the Director of Development and Regeneration Services:  
[steve.inch@drs.glasgow.gov.uk](mailto:steve.inch@drs.glasgow.gov.uk)

Perhaps you **know of someone** that can help? If so write to them as well. Keep in touch with our website for new names etc.

**Help us with the campagin.** It doesn't need to be much, just email us and let us know your available to help out if you can.

**WEB:** [northkelvinmeadow.com](http://northkelvinmeadow.com)

(also on **Facebook** and **Landshare** )

**Email:**

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**The story so far:**

The Campaign to save the land started about a year ago and since then much work has been done by local residents. We started with picking up the litter (that first pick up had about 60 black bags!), we then planted bulbs, installed a rubbish bin, installed 3 compost bins for the local people, planted raspberry

and blackberry bushes along with apples trees in what is the beginning of a community orchard (the resultant fruit would be available free for all local people), sowed wild flowering meadow seed in the centre, put doors and shutters on the brick building to make it into a store room and secured it from having been a drinking and drug den before, people bought raised beds and half barrels to grow vegetables for themselves and their families in what is the allotment area, we gained access into the wood area by cutting some of the netting down, painted some of the structures on the land, repaired some of the perimeter fencing and generally gave the place some much needed **tlc** !

And as we did more of this, more people started making use of the land (they also started caring for it, so there is less litter now). People started having picnics, students studied, kids played and made tree houses and generally people use it to chill out and relax in.

So this is your opportunity to help the local people keep this land as a community space for generations to come.

*Once it's gone it's gone forever!*

***All support is welcome!***