SCRUTINY PANEL MINUTE EXTRACT 18 AUGUST 2015

23. New Strategic Plan Action Plan 2015-18

Matthew Sterling, Assistant Chief Executive, introduced the New Strategic Plan Action Plan 2015-18. This report follows on from the Cabinet approving the new Strategic Plan in February 2015, and sets out the organisations ambitions for the Borough.

The Plan covers four themes, Vibrant, Prosperous, Thriving and Welcoming. The report includes the actions to achieve each of the priorities in the Strategic Plan, with input from across the Council. Officers are also working on developing new ideas for the Strategic Plan Action Plan that were generated at an Officer Masterclass.

Councillor Hayes questioned the affordable homes target included within the report, and suggested that further information on Waste targets and long term green objectives could also be included.

In response Matthew Sterling stated that the twenty percent target is perceived to be an achievable one in the current climate. The comments regarding waste targets and long term green objectives were noted.

Due to time restrictions the Panel requested that the New Strategic Plan Action Plan 2015-18 come back to the Panel at a later date for a further in depth review.

RESOLVED that;

- a) the New Strategic Plan Action Plan 2015-18 comes back to the Scrutiny Panel at a later date during the work programme for further review.
- b) the Scrutiny Panel's comments on the New Strategic Plan Action Plan 2015-18 be put to Cabinet for consideration