

<b>Report of</b>	<b>Head of Commercial Services</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Graham Lewis</b>
<b>Title</b>	<b>Trading Board Annual Report 2015/16</b>		 <b>508960</b>
<b>Wards affected</b>	ALL		

**This report concerns the Trading Board Annual Report 2014/15.**

**1. Decision(s) Required**

- 1.1 To receive and note the Trading Board Annual Report 2015/16 and agree that it be published and promoted.
- 1.2 To note Headlines;
  - On target 'profit' achieved by businesses – Helpline, Bereavement Services Monitoring Centre and Building Control
  - Progress in relation to Strategic Ambitions

**2. Reasons for Decision(s)**

- 2.1 To note the work that the Trading Board has undertaken in the past municipal year as set out in the Annual Report attached as Appendix 1.

**3. Alternative Options**

- 3.1 Not to agree publication.

**4. Supporting Information**

- 4.1 The Annual Report's content and layout was endorsed by the Trading Board and approval of the final report was delegated to the Chairman of the Board and Group Spokespersons.

**5. Proposals**

- 5.1 That the Trading Board Annual Report 2015/16 be published and promoted after agreement is received from Group spokespersons.

**6. Strategic Plan References**

- 6.1 This relates to the key themes of Vibrant, Prosperous and Thriving in the new Strategic Plan for 2015-18.

**7. Standard References**

- 7.1 There are no particular references to consultation considerations, or financial; equality; diversity and human rights; community safety; health and safety or risk management implications.

#### Appendix 1: Trading Board Annual Report 2015/16