

Scrutiny Panel

Item

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13 December 2022

Report of Chief Operating Officer Author Gary Reid

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Title Half Year covering April to September 2022 Performance Report -

2020-2023 Strategic Plan Action Plan

Wards affected

All wards

1. Executive Summary

1.1 This report provides details of progress in delivering against the Council's Strategic Plan for 2020-2023 at half year of 2022-2023.

2. Action Required

- 2.1 To confirm satisfactory delivery against the Strategic Plan Action Plan and that the Council has made satisfactory progress in meeting its strategic goals.
- 2.2 Where any areas of concern are identified, to make recommendations to Cabinet so these can be considered when presented on 25 January.

3. Reason for Scrutiny

3.1 To ensure the Council has robust performance management of delivery against key strategic goals.

5. Background Information

- 5.1 The Council has agreed a new Strategic Plan covering 2020-2023. This report provides a review of progress against the Strategic Plan at the half year point 2022-2023.
- 5.2 Details of progress made in delivering against each aim is shown in the report at Appendix 1.

6. Equality, Diversity and Human Rights implications

6.1 Progress and improvement of these and many of the actions within the Strategic Plan Action Plan support our aims of improving both services and the lives of everyone in the borough. Where required, specific Equality Impact Assessments will exist for policies and activities rather than for individual performance indicators or actions. Progress on the Council's Equality Objectives are included within the Strategic Plan Action Plan Update.

7. Strategic Plan References

7.1 The Strategic Plan Action Plan demonstrates delivery of across all the current Strategic Plan priorities.

8. Consultation

8.1 The report's contents do not have any direct implications; however the Strategic Plan and priorities were agreed using the results of significant research and taking into account previous public consultations.

9. Publicity Considerations

9.1 The performance report contains progress in delivering key goals of the Strategic Plan Action Plan and it is important that residents and businesses are made aware of these. Many of the achievements will have been publicised during the year but the report and related information will also be published on the Performance and Improvement section of the Council's website.

10. Financial implications

10.1 All achievements detailed in the Strategic Plan Action Plan were delivered from within existing approved budgets and as such, there are no new financial implications associated with this report.

11. Health, Wellbeing and Community Safety Implications

11.1 There are actions within the Strategic Plan Action Plan which aim to improve community safety and as such this report provides progress updates in this area.

12. Health and Safety Implications

12.1 There are no direct health and safety implications associated with this report.

13. Risk Management Implications

13.1 There are no direct risk management implications associated with this report.

14. Environmental and Sustainability Implications

14.1 Tackling the Climate Challenge and leading sustainability is a key theme of the Strategic Plan and the report at appendix 1 provides details of the progress in delivering the associated goals.

Appendices

Appendix 1 – Strategic Plan Action Plan Half Year Report.