# Manchester City Council Report for Information

**Report to:** Communities and Equalities Scrutiny Committee – 7 September 2017

**Subject:** Overview Report

**Report of:** Governance and Scrutiny Support Unit

## **Summary**

This report provides the following information:

- Recommendations Monitor
- Key Decisions
- Items for Information
- Work Programme (at appendix 1)

#### Recommendation

The Committee is invited to discuss the information provided and agree any changes to the work programme that are necessary.

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## Background documents (available for public inspection):

None

## 1. Monitoring Previous Recommendations

This section of the report lists recommendations made by committee and responses to them indicating whether the recommendation will be implemented and, if it will be, how this will be done.

Date	Item	Recommendation	Action	<b>Contact Officer</b>
7 September 2016	CESC/16/19 Equality Action Plans 2016/17: Update	To request that the Head of Legal Services provide the action plan for providing support to residents to access revenues and benefits to members of the Committee.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Jacqui Dennis, Head of Legal Services
1 February 2017	CESC/17/08 Budget Process 2017-2020: Consideration of the Executive's Draft Budget Proposals and Directorate Budget Reports and Business Plans	To request that the report that Resources and Governance Scrutiny Committee have requested on lessons learnt from the budget consultation process also be circulated to members of this Committee.	A response to this recommendation will be circulated once it is available.	Rachel McKeon, Scrutiny Support Officer
1 March 2017	CESC/17/12 Knowing Manchester Better: Transgender Report	To request that the Town Hall Transformation Team consider the provision of gender neutral toilets as part of the Town Hall refurbishment project and that consideration also be given to this across other planning applications.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Sara Todd, Deputy Chief Executive (Growth and Neighbourhoods )
1 March 2017	CESC/17/12 Knowing Manchester Better: Transgender	To request that the Equalities Team Leader make training on trans issues available for employees and elected members.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Keiran Barnes, Equalities Team Leader

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1 March 2017	CESC/17/16 Celebrating Our Diversity: The Last 12 Months	To recommend that the Executive Member for Culture and Leisure consider how the Manchester Day Parade can be made more accessible to disabled people, including people with autism.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Rachel McKeon, Scrutiny Support Officer
1 March 2017	CESC/17/16 Celebrating Our Diversity: The Last 12 Months	To recommend that the Executive adopt the government's new definition of anti-Semitism as the Council's definition.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Rachel McKeon, Scrutiny Support Officer
22 June 2017	CESC/17/21 Delivering the Our Manchester Strategy – Part 1	To request that the list of the first 15 parks to have bespoke park plans be circulated to Members, once it is available.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be circulated to Members, when it is available.	Neil Fairlamb, Strategic Lead - Parks, Leisure & Events
22 June 2017	CESC/17/21 Delivering the Our Manchester Strategy – Part 1	To request that the Executive Member for Culture and Leisure provide further details on the statement that one million people in Greater Manchester were now classed as active.	The response to this recommendation is included as an item for information within this report.	Rachel McKeon, Scrutiny Support Officer
20 July 2017	CESC/17/25 Community Safety Overview	To request that a training session on hate crime and TPRCs be arranged for all Members and that information on the location of TPRCs and how to report hate crime be re-circulated to all Members.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Sam Stabler, Community Safety Lead
20 July 2017	CESC/17/25 Community Safety Overview	To request that the Community Safety Lead advise Members when a full evaluation of Nottinghamshire's experience of recording misogyny as a hate crime would be available and	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Sam Stabler, Community Safety Lead

		for the Committee to then consider how it can take this issue forward.		
20 July 2017	CESC/17/25 Community Safety Overview	To request that the report on the psychoactive substance 'Spice' which was submitted to the Health Scrutiny Committee meeting on 18 July 2017 be circulated to Members.	This was circulated to Members by email on 31 July 2017. The report is available at the link below: <a href="http://www.manchester.gov.uk/meetings/meeting/3084/health-scrutiny-committee">http://www.manchester.gov.uk/meetings/meeting/3084/health-scrutiny-committee</a>	Sam Stabler, Community Safety Lead
20 July 2017	CESC/17/27 Anti-Social Behaviour	To request that the Community Safety Lead circulate information on the Anti-Social Behaviour Case Review process and on work to map and address emerging issues relating to anti-social behaviour by young people.	The information on the Anti-Social Behaviour Case Review process was circulated to Members by email on 31 July 2017 and is available at the link below:  http://www.manchester.gov.uk/info/200 030/crime antisocial behaviour and nuisance/4965/antisocial behaviour a sb/4  The information on work to map and address emerging issues relating to anti-social behaviour by young people was circulated to Member by email on 8 August 2017.	Sam Stabler, Community Safety Lead

## 2. Key Decisions

The Council is required to publish details of key decisions that will be taken at least 28 days before the decision is due to be taken. Details of key decisions that are due to be taken are published on a monthly basis in the Register of Key Decisions.

A key decision, as defined in the Council's Constitution is an executive decision, which is likely:

• To result in the Council incurring expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, significant having regard to the Council's budget for the service or function to which the decision relates, or

• To be significant in terms of its effects on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards in the area of the city.

The Council Constitution defines 'significant' as being expenditure or savings (including the loss of income or capital receipts) in excess of £500k, providing that is not more than 10% of the gross operating expenditure for any budget heading in the in the Council's Revenue Budget Book, and subject to other defined exceptions.

An extract of the most recent Register of Key Decisions, published on **21 August 2017** containing details of the decisions under the Committee's remit is included below. This is to keep members informed of what decisions are being taken and, where appropriate, include in the work programme of the Committee.

## **Register of Key Decisions:**

Decision title	What is the decision?	Decision maker	Planned date of decision	Documents to be considered	Contact officer details
Factory Project	The approval of capital expenditure.	City Treasurer	August 2017 or later	Gateway 5 (procurement document)	Dave Carty 0161 219 6501 d.carty@manchester.gov.uk
Ref: 15/012					
Leisure Services – External	The approval of capital expenditure.	City Treasurer	August 2017 or later	Gateway 5 procurement document	Lee Preston 07852957286 I.preston2@manchester.gov.uk
Ref: 2016/02/01C					
Library Strategy 2020	Capital expenditure approval.	City Treasurer	August 2017 or later	Gateway 5 procurement	Neil MacInnes 0161 234 1392
Ref: 2016/05/13B				document	n.macinnes@manchester.gov.u k

University of Manchester – Armitage Sports Pitches Development Ref: 15/072	To approve the investment proposal and business case.	The Executive	August 2017 or later	Report and recommendation	Lee Preston 07852957286 I.preston2@manchester.gov.uk
The Great Run and Great City Games 2017 – 2020 Ref: 2017/02/01D	To approve a proposed 4 year contract 2017 – 2020, at a cost of £300,000 annually.	The Executive	August 2017	Report and Recommendati on	Mike Parrot 07786365016 m.parrot@manchester.gov.uk
Event Seating – Belle Vue Basketball Performance Centre Ref: 2017/03/13A	To approve the investment of circa £550,000 for the addition of retractable event seating at the Basketball Performance Centre.	City Treasurer	August 2017	Capital expenditure approval	Lee Preston 07852957286 I.preston2@manchester.gov.uk

### 3. Item for Information

SUBJECT Response to recommendation: CESC/17/21

Delivering the Our Manchester Strategy - Part 1

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## **Summary**

At its meeting in June 2017, the Committee requested further details on the statement that one million people in Greater Manchester were now classed as active.

## Response

Greater Manchester 1 million people physically active across GM.

Working in partnership, the Sport and Physical Activity Sector across Greater Manchester wanted to encourage more people to be active across the County so they could enjoy the physical, mental and social benefits of physical activity. In 2010 local sports charity GreaterSport set the target for Greater Manchester to achieve 1 MILLION people active across the county by 2017.

The most recent data shows that this target has been exceeded and there are now 1,009,180 individuals across GM are now physically active (according to Active People Survey and Health Survey figures for England). This is an increase of 26,293 with women having the biggest increase at 11%, with an additional 45,065 women taking part regularly. After one year of increased activity the savings to GM would be £647,590. If this regular activity is maintained, GM could save up to £4,738,982 over 15 years.

Physical inactivity is a cross-cutting issue that concerns the health and wellbeing of all Greater Manchester residents. Inactivity is the fourth largest cause of disease and disability with 1 in 6 deaths linked to insufficient levels of physical activity. Up to 40% of long-term conditions could be prevented by taking more exercise and a small increase in activity can make a significant difference to:

- An individual's physical, social, individual and emotional wellbeing
- Greater Manchester Economy (inactivity costs Greater Manchester £35 million). One initiative that has helped increase activity is the introduction of Greater Manchester Moving, this is the blueprint for physical activity across the county. This has enabled a broader set of partners to come together in new ways to enable people to be active.

Across Greater Manchester there are a number of organisations who have been working towards this goal including all ten local authorities and National Governing Bodies of Sport supported by AGMA (Association of Greater Manchester Authorities) and Sport England.

GreaterSport and partners have been working with new organisations to reach traditionally more inactive groups. They are aiming to remove some of the most

common barriers, for example, trialing different activities like buggy fit, so mums can take their young children with them, having an emphasis on activities like walking which can be done at their own pace by the majority of the population and not cost anything, along with working with workplaces where people spend the majority of their time.

There has been an emphasis on the traditionally less active groups, eg, females and disabled people. Campaigns such as 'This Girl Can' has helped increase the female population, with Get Out & Get Active (GOGA) funded by Spirit of 2012, helping to reach the least active disabled and non-disabled people to be active together.

# Communities and Equalities Scrutiny Committee Work Programme – 7 September 2017

Thursday 7 Septer	nber 2017, 10.00 am (Report deadline Tuesday 29 A	ugust 2017)		
Item	Purpose	Executive Member	Strategic Director/ Lead Officer	Comments
Our Manchester	To receive an update report on the 'Our Manchester' approach and developments, including delivering Our Manchester at a local level and how the Council is engaging with communities and developing work in local areas. To request that the report includes statistical data, case studies and information regarding the consultation on behaviours.	Councillor S Murphy	Sara Todd	See minutes September 2016 Invitees TBC
Community Cohesion	To receive a report on Community Cohesion, to include:  - The approach to community recovery following the Manchester Arena attack - the Moston Pilot - the RADEQUAL campaign - the Annual Report on the measures taken to promote mutual respect and community cohesion amongst the people of Manchester	Councillor S Murphy	Fiona Worrall/ Samiya Butt	See minutes May 2016 and February 2017 and Council minutes January 2016. Invite Moston ward councillors and Councillor E Newman Invite representatives from the Moston Pilot, RADEQUAL and Community Recovery (TBC)
Hate Crime and Third Party	The report seeks the Committee's approval to establish a Hate Crime and Third Party Reporting		Rachel McKeon	

Reporting Centres	Centres Task and Finish Group.			
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Overview Report	The monthly report includes the recommendations	-	Rachel McKeon	
	monitor, relevant key decisions, the Committee's			
	work programme and any items for information.			

Thursday 12 Octob	Thursday 12 October 2017, 10.00 am (Report deadline Tuesday 3 October 2017)					
Item	Purpose	Executive Member	Strategic Director/ Lead Officer	Comments		
Cultural Ambition Strategy	To receive a report on the Cultural Ambition Strategy.	Councillor Rahman	Sara Todd/Fiona Worrall/Neil MacInnes	See June 2017 minutes		
Widening Access and Participation	To receive a report, to include those efforts taken to widen access and encourage participation across culture and leisure services.	Councillor L Rahman	Director of Culture/ Fiona Worrall	See October 2016 minutes		
Manchester Libraries	To request an update once the National Library Strategy has been completed. To request more detail on ward specific activities and resources.	Councillor L Rahman	Fiona Worrall/ Neil MacInnes	See minutes June and July 2016		
Overview Report		-	Rachel McKeon			

Thursday 9 November 2017, 10.00 am (Report deadline Tuesday 31 October 2017)					
Item	Purpose	Executive Member	Strategic Director/ Lead Officer	Comments	
Our Manchester Disability Plan	To receive a report on the Our Manchester Disability Plan, to include responses to the following recommendations:  - To receive further information in response to the points raised at the November 2016	Councillor Craig Councillor S Murphy Councillor	Zoe Robertson/ Julie McMurray/ Sam McVaigh/ Fiona Worrall/ Keiran Barnes	See November 2016 and March 2017 minutes	

	meeting, including Manchester's definition of accessibility, what the Council could do to improve accessibility of non-Council owned buildings, such as shops, further information on the working group chaired by the Executive Member for Culture and Leisure and further information on what disabled customers can expect when visiting a venue.  - To recommend that an Accessibility Charter	Rahman		
	<ul> <li>be developed as part of the Our Manchester Disability Plan.</li> <li>To ask the Equalities Team Leader to look into whether a comprehensive guide to accessible venues in Manchester could be produced.</li> <li>To consider the accessibility of events.</li> <li>To recommend that a presentation on the Disability Confident Employer scheme be incorporated into a future report.</li> </ul>			
Overview of the work of the Equality Lead Members	To receive an overview of the work of the Equality Lead Members. To include consideration of:  - the support offered to older Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Trans (LGBT) people  - an update on actions following the publication of the Transgender report	Councillor S Murphy	Geoff Little/ Sam McVaigh/ Keiran Barnes/Equality Lead Members	See March 2017 minutes To invite Equality Lead Members.
Overview Report		-	Rachel McKeon	

Thursday 7 Decemb	er 2017, 10.00 am (Report deadline Tuesday 28 N	ovember 2017)		
Item	Purpose	Executive Member	Strategic Director/ Lead Officer	Comments
New Policing Model	To receive a further update on the New Policing Model. To include information on the TravelSafe Partnership.	Councillor N Murphy	Fiona Worrall/ Sam Stabler	See July 2017 minutes
Community Safety Overview	To receive a regular update report on the work of the Community Safety Partnership.  Next update to include issues of Prevent and far right extremism.	Councillor N Murphy	Fiona Worrall/ Sam Stabler/ Samiya Butt	See Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee (CYPSC) minutes November 2016 Invite Chair of CYPSC
Youth Justice and Anti-Social Behaviour	To receive a report on Youth Justice and Anti-Social Behaviour involving young people.	Councillor S Newman Councillor N Murphy	Paul Marshall/Fiona Worrall/Marie McLaughlin/Sam Stabler	Invite Chair of Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee (CYPSC) See July 2017 minutes and CYPSC October 2016 minutes
Drug and Alcohol Services	To receive a report on drug and alcohol services from a community safety perspective.	Councillor Craig Councillor N Murphy	Carolyn Kus/Fiona Worrall/Sam Stabler	Invite Chair of Health Scrutiny Committee See July 2017 minutes

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Item	Purpose	Executive Member	Strategic Director/ Lead Officer	Comments		
Equality Monitoring	To receive a further report which considers equality monitoring across different service areas including action plans to address any gaps.	Councillor S Murphy	Geoff Little/ Sam McVaigh/ Keiran Barnes	January 2018 - TBC See March 2017 and June 2017 minutes		
Celebrating Our Diversity: The Last 12 Months	To receive a presentation on celebrating the diversity of the City and the positive contribution that Manchester's diverse communities make to the City's economic and social life through a calendar of annual events. Celebrating cohesion and bringing together Mancunians, wherever they originate from. Focus on neighbourhood and community events.	Councillor S Murphy Councillor Rahman	Geoff Little/ Fiona Worrall/ Sam McVaigh/ Keiran Barnes /Neil MacInnes	January 2018 - TBC		
Equality Objectives 2016 – 2020	To receive a more detailed report, to include how the Equality Objectives correspond with the "we will" statements within the Our Manchester Strategy. To include the Equality Action Plans and an update on progress and preparation for the Equality Framework for Local Government (EFLG) accreditation.	Councillor S Murphy	Geoff Little/ Sam McVaigh/ Keiran Barnes	March 2018 - TBC See March 2017 minutes		
Domestic Abuse and Violence and Delivering Differently	To request a further update in approximately 12 months time, to include the cost benefits, how levels of investment had changed, and an analysis of whether the service pledges within the strategy have been met. To note that a further update is required in respect of the impact of domestic abuse	Councillor N Murphy/ Councillor Craig	Carolyn Kus/ Sara Todd/ Fiona Worrall/ Sam Stabler	See minutes July 2016 Invite Lead Member for Women		

Improving Life Chances: Generations	on children and to request that the Chair discuss with the Chair of Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee which Committee considers the update.  To receive an update report on improving the life chances of Manchester residents.	Councillor S Murphy	Geoff Little/ Sam McVaigh/ Keiran Barnes	See minutes September 2016
Together Community Safety Overview	To receive a regular update report on the work of the Community Safety Partnership.	Councillor N Murphy	Fiona Worrall/ Sam Stabler/ Samiya Butt	See Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee (CYPSC) minutes November 2016 Invite Chair of CYPSC
Ethical Procurement	To receive a report in response to the following recommendation from the Resources and Governance Scrutiny Committee's Ethical Procurement Task and Finish Group: To recommend that the relevant scrutiny committees are informed and invited to comment on the differing contract management processes for their respective remits and invited to accompany officers on monitoring visits where appropriate/as required.  (To be fully scoped.)	Councillor Flanagan	Ian Brown	Invite Chair of Resources and Governance Scrutiny Committee
Manchester Parks Strategy 2017 – 2026	To receive an update report in approximately six to nine months' time.	Councillor Rahman	Sara Todd/ Fiona Worrall/ Neil Fairlamb	See January 2017 minutes
Item for Information: English for	To request that the Committee receive updates on ESOL provision as an item for information in the	Councillor B Priest	Angela Harrington/Julie	See February 2017 minutes

Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) Provision	Overview Report.		Rushton	
Support Available to Asylum Seekers and Refugees in Manchester	To receive a further report at an appropriate time to include case studies of asylum seekers and refugees who have received support within Manchester and to invite speakers from relevant organisations such as the Boaz Trust and the Immigration Aid Unit.	Councillor P Craig Councillor S Murphy	Carolyn Kus/ Keiran Barnes / Nicola Rea	See February 2017 minutes
Loneliness and Social Isolation	To receive a report on loneliness and social isolation – to include the work of the Jo Cox Commission on Loneliness	TBC	TBC	
Sport and Leisure	To ask officers to undertake a piece of work to map the providers' Community Development Plans against the Our Manchester Strategy and all the Equality Strands, including engagement with Age Friendly Manchester and the Our Manchester Disability Plan. To receive a report on this at a future meeting, to include case studies.	Councillor Rahman Councillor S Murphy	Sara Todd/Fiona Worrall/ Neil Fairlamb	See December 2016 minutes.
Our Manchester Voluntary and Community Sector Funding	To receive a further report at an appropriate time	Councillor S Murphy	Fiona Worrall/ Carolyn Kus/ Liz Goodger/Nicole Joseph	See June 2017 minutes
Volunteering - Timebanks	To receive a report on volunteering, focusing on Timebanks, including information on where this approach has been used and how the Council can support its expansion. To invite people who use timebanking to this meeting.	Councillor S Murphy	Fiona Worrall/ Carolyn Kus/ Mark Rainey/Nicole Joseph/Neil Fairlamb/ Neil MacInnes	See January 2017 minutes
Age-Friendly Manchester	To receive a further report in approximately 6 months' time and to request that the Chair, the	Councillor S Murphy	Carolyn Kus/ Paul McGarry	See January 2017 minutes

Strategy	Lead Member for AFM and the Strategic Lead (AFM) agree the key topics that the report will focus on. To include work to improve communication and publicity of AFM and the impact of the AFM Charter. To invite representatives from organisations which have signed up to the Charter and, if possible, some of their service users.			
Community Asset Transfer	To receive an in-depth report on Community Asset Transfer. To include the process, detailed case studies of those that have and haven't proceeded, information on organisations that have completed the process. To invite organisations to talk about their experiences at the meeting where this is considered.	Councillor B Priest Councillor S Murphy	Fiona Worrall/Julie McMurray	See October 2016 minutes