Manchester City Council Report for Information

Report to: Communities and Equalities Scrutiny Committee – 7 December 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	Contact Officer
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.	This was circulated to Members by email on 28 November 2017.	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.		
7 September 2017	CESC/17/32 Community Cohesion – Approach to Community Recovery	To recommend that the Council explore how the lessons learnt from the work in Moston can be shared and how this approach can be taken forward across the city and that the Council be clearer on how this fits in with the Our Manchester approach.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Samiya Butt, Manchester Prevent and Cohesion Coordinator
12 October 2017	CESC/17/37 Manchester International Festival 2017	To recommend that more work be undertaken with local neighbourhood teams to engage more local residents with MIF and to request that further information be circulated to Members on the community engagement work, including the community groups engaged with, the proportion of discounted tickets being sold directly to individuals and families compared to those being bought by schools or community groups and a breakdown of the Manchester wards that volunteers resided in.	The information requested was circulated to Members by email on 16 November 2017.	Louise Lanigan, Principal Policy Officer
9 November 2017	CESC/17/43 Our Manchester Disability Plan	To ask the Director of Neighbourhoods to liaise with Executive Members on how training on disability issues, including the 12 pillars of independent living, can be incorporated into Councillors' induction training.	A response to this recommendation will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Fiona Worrall, Director of Neighbourhoods
9	CESC/17/44	To request that equality monitoring	This information has been circulated to	Keiran Barnes,

November 2017	Overview of the work of the Lead Members for Equality Issues	statistics for the Council's employees be circulated to Members of the Committee.	Members by email and is also available at the link below: http://www.manchester.gov.uk/downlo ads/download/5910/workforce_equality_profile	Equality Team Leader
9 November 2017	CESC/17/44 Overview of the work of the Lead Members for Equality Issues	To request that the Director of Neighbourhoods liaise with the Mental Health Champion on how Councillors can be trained on suicide prevention.	A response to this recommendation will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview report.	Fiona Worrall, Director of Neighbourhoods

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 **20 November 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 Ref: 15/012	The approval of capital expenditure.	City Treasurer	November 2017 or later	Gateway 5 (procurement document)	Dave Carty 0161 219 6501 d.carty@manchester.gov.uk
Leisure Services – External	The approval of capital expenditure.	City Treasurer	November 2017 or later	Gateway 5 procurement document	Lee Preston 07852957286 I.preston2@manchester.gov.uk
Library Strategy 2020 Ref: 2016/05/13B	Capital expenditure approval.	City Treasurer	November 2017 or later	Gateway 5 procurement document	Neil MacInnes 0161 234 1392 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	November 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	November 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	November 2017	Capital expenditure approval	Lee Preston 07852957286 I.preston2@manchester.gov.uk
Indoor Leisure Contracting Arrangements Ref: 2017/10/24B	To agree the appointment of a new Leisure Centre operator	Executive	March 2018	Report and recommendations	Lee Preston Sport and Leisure Lead 0161 219 2545 I.preston2@manchester.gov.uk
Sport and Leisure Governance Arrangements – Manchester Active Ref: 2017/10/24C	To agree the design and implementation of the new Sport and Leisure Governance Vehicle-Manchester Active	Executive	March 2018	Report and recommendations	Lee Preston Sport and Leisure Lead 0161 219 2545 I.preston2@manchester.gov.uk

Communities and Equalities Scrutiny Committee Work Programme – December 2017

Thursday 7 Decemb	er 2017, 10.00 am (Report deadline Tuesday 28 No	ovember 2017)		
Item	Purpose	Executive Member	Strategic Director/ Lead Officer	Comments
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.	Councillor S Murphy	Fiona Worrall/ Carolyn Kus/ Mark Rainey/Liz Goodger/Neil Fairlamb/ Neil MacInnes	See January 2017 minutes Invite people who use timebanking to this meeting.
Support Available to Asylum Seekers and Refugees in Manchester	To receive an update report at an appropriate time to include case studies of asylum seekers and refugees who have received support within Manchester.	Councillor B Priest Councillor S Murphy	Carolyn Kus/ Keiran Barnes / Nicola Rea	See February 2017 minutes Invite speakers from relevant organisations such as the Boaz Trust and the Immigration Aid Unit.
Manchester Playing Pitch Strategy	To receive a report on the Manchester Playing Pitch Strategy.	Councillor Rahman	Sara Todd/Neil Fairlamb/Lee Preston	Executive report
Overview Report	The monthly report includes the recommendations monitor, relevant key decisions, the Committee's work programme and any items for information.	-	Rachel McKeon	

Thursday 4 January	Thursday 4 January 2018, 10.00 am (Report deadline Thursday 21 December 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. To include	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		
Delivering the Our Manchester	This report provides an overview of work undertaken and progress towards the delivery of		Councillor S Murphy			

Strategy	the Council's priorities as set out in the Our Manchester Strategy for those areas within the portfolio of the Deputy Leader and the Executive Member for Culture and Leisure.		Councillor Rahman	
Overview Report		-	Rachel McKeon	

Thursday 1 Februar	y 2018, 10.00 am (Report deadline Tuesday 23 Jan	uary 2018)		
Item	Purpose	Executive Member	Strategic Director/ Lead Officer	Comments
Refreshed Budget and Business Plans	To consider the refreshed Directorate Budget and Business Plan Report and Delivery Plan for Growth and Neighbourhoods.	Councillor Flanagan Councillor S Murphy Councillor N Murphy Councillor Rahman	Carol Culley Fiona Worrall	
Age-Friendly Manchester Strategy (including Loneliness and Social Isolation)	To receive an update report and request that the Chair, the 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. The report will also include an update on the work of the Jo Cox Commission on Loneliness	Councillor S Murphy Councillor Craig	Carolyn Kus/ Paul McGarry/David Regan/Philip Bradley	TBC See January 2017 minutes Invite Noah Mellor from Buzz, representatives from organisations which have signed up to the Charter and, if possible, some of their service users.
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			Health Scrutiny Committee and Mental Health Champion
Overview Report	-	Rachel McKeon	

Items To be Schedu	led			
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	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	
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	Councillor N Murphy/ Councillor Craig	Carolyn Kus/ Sara Todd/ Fiona Worrall/ Sam Stabler	See minutes July 2016 Invite Lead Member for

	have been met. To note that a further update is required in respect of the impact of domestic abuse on children and to request that the Chair discuss with the Chair of Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee which Committee considers the update.			Women
Improving Life Chances: Generations Together	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
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 Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) Provision	To request that the Committee receive updates on ESOL provision as an item for information in the Overview Report.	Councillor B Priest	Angela Harrington/Julie Rushton	See February 2017 minutes
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	See June 2017 minutes
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	Eddie Smith/Julie McMurray	See October 2016 minutes
Cultural Ambition Strategy	To receive a further report at an appropriate time, to include more information on the working groups.	Councillor Rahman	Fiona Worrall/Neil MacInnes	See October 2017 minutes
Widening Access and Participation	To receive a further report at an appropriate time, to include further information on the roll-out of the MCRactive card.	Councillor Rahman	Fiona Worrall/Neil MacInnes/Neil Fairlamb	See October 2017 minutes
Our Manchester Disability Plan	To receive a further report at an appropriate time, to include updates on the OMDP website, the Disability Confident Scheme and two or three of the key workstreams referred to in the report, such	Councillor Craig Councillor S Murphy	Zoe Robertson/ Julie McMurray/ Sam McVaigh/ Fiona Worrall/	See November 2017 minutes Invite Chair of Health Scrutiny

	as transport, work and skills and accessibility. To invite disabled people to this meeting to discuss their lived experience. To request that this report also include what partners, such as builders and developers, have done to improve accessibility, beyond the minimum standards set out in law, and to consider inviting representatives from these groups to the meeting.	Councillor Rahman	Keiran Barnes	Committee
Trans Report	To continue to monitor actions arising from the Trans Report.	Councillor S Murphy	Geoff Little/ Sam McVaigh/ Keiran Barnes	See November 2017 minutes
Impact of Universal Credit	To receive a report on the Welfare Reform Board's work on the impact of Universal Credit in Manchester, in particularly in relation to its impact on people with protected characteristics.	Councillor S Murphy	Angela Harrington	TBC See November 2017 minutes Invite Chair of Economy Scrutiny Committee
Equality Impact of the Budget Proposals	To consider the equality impact of the budget proposals across all Directorates.	Councillor S Murphy Councillor Flanagan	Carol Culley/ Geoff Little/ Sam McVaigh/ Keiran Barnes	See November 2017 minutes