

**Manchester City Council  
Report for Information**

**Report to:** Communities and Equalities Scrutiny Committee – 8 October 2020

**Subject:** Overview Report

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

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**Summary**

This report provides the following information:

- Recommendations Monitor
- Key Decisions
- Items for Information
- Work Programme

**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 the Committee and responses to them indicating whether the recommendation will be implemented and, if it will be, how this will be done.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Recommendation</b>	<b>Action</b>	<b>Contact Officer</b>
7 December 2017	CESC/17/48 Volunteering – Timebanks	To ask Equality Lead Members to consider what role they could play in enabling timebanking to reach different communities, including consideration of specific timebanks around protected characteristics.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview Report.	Keiran Barnes, Equality Team Leader
11 October 2018	CESC/18/39 Widening Access and Participation, Leisure, Libraries, Galleries and Culture – Update	To request that data on which wards the users of individual leisure facilities lived in be circulated to Members.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be circulated to Members.	Lee Preston, Sport and Leisure Lead
6 December 2018	CESC/18/54 Update on Revenue Financial Strategy and Business Plan Process 2019/20	To ask the Chief Operating Officer (Neighbourhoods) to confirm the implications of the change of management for staff employed at the Powerleague in Whalley Range.	A response to this recommendation has been requested and will be reported back to the Committee via the Overview Report.	Fiona Worrall, Strategic Director (Neighbourhoods)
3 September 2020	CESC/20/32 Peterloo Memorial	To ask the Executive Member for Skills, Culture and Leisure to circulate a note to Members which outlines the work that has taken place to find a solution to the accessibility issues relating to the Memorial.	A response to this recommendation was circulated to Members by email on 22 September 2020.	Rachel McKeon, Scrutiny Support Officer

## 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 **25 September 2020** 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:

Subject / Decision	Decision Maker	Decision Due Date	Consultation	Background documents	Officer Contact
<b>National Taekwondo Centre 2018/10/19A</b>  Enter into a 39 year lease with Sport Taekwondo UK Ltd for areas within the building.	Chief Executive	Not before 1st Nov 2018		Briefing Note and Heads of Terms	Richard Cohen r.cohen@manchester.gov.uk
<b>Leisure Services - External Ref: 2016/02/01C</b>	City Treasurer	Not before		Business Case	Lee Preston l.preston2@manchester.gov.uk

The approval of capital expenditure on external Leisure Services land and buildings.	(Deputy Chief Executive)	1st Mar 2019			
<b>Financial approval of MCR Active Contract 2020/21(2020/02/04A)</b>  To seek financial approval of 2nd year of MCR Active Contract for period 1st April 2020 to 31st March 2021.	Executive	11 Mar 2020		Executive report	Yvonne O'Malley, Lord Mayor Charity y.omalley@manchester.gov.uk
<b>Wynnstay Grove Public Space Protection Order (2019/01/08A)</b>  To grant a Public Space Protection Order to address anti-social behaviour outside the Marie Stopes Abortion Clinic on Wynnstay Grove.	Strategic Director (Neighbourhoods)	Not before 1st Apr 2020		Consultation responses and covering report	Sam Stabler s.stabler@manchester.gov.uk
<b>Public Space Protection Orders - Alleygating and Alcohol (2020/06/12A)</b>  Decision to extend existing public space protection orders for alleygating (formerly Gating Orders) and whether or not to introduce new public space protection orders for alcohol (formerly Designated Public Place Orders)	Strategic Director (Neighbourhoods)	Not before 1st Sep 2020		Consultation responses and covering report	Sam Stabler s.stabler@manchester.gov.uk
<b>Enforcement against spitting using littering legislation (2020/08/04A)</b>	Strategic Director (Neighbourhoods)	Not before 2nd Sep 2020		Report and Recommendation	Sam Kinsey s.kinsey@manchester.gov.uk

<p>To deal with incidents of spitting using littering legislation, under section 87/88 Environmental Protection Act 1990. Enforcement is to consist of the issuing of Fixed Penalty Notices and/or prosecution where appropriate.</p>					
<p><b>Extra Care - Russell Road LGBT Project 2019/03/01H</b></p> <p>The approval of capital expenditure on the City's Extra Care Programme to develop new build extra care units which will be in the ownership of MCC.</p>	<p>City Treasurer (Deputy Chief Executive)</p>	<p>Not before 1st Mar 2019</p>		<p>Checkpoint 4 Business Case</p>	<p>Steve Sheen s.sheen@manchester.gov.uk</p>

**Communities and Equalities Scrutiny Committee  
Work Programme – October 2020**

<b>Thursday 8 October 2020, 2.00 pm (Report deadline Monday 28 September 2020)</b>				
Item	Purpose	Executive Member	Strategic Director/ Lead Officer	Comments
Update on COVID-19	To receive an update of the city's response and recovery work focusing on areas within the Committee's remit.	Councillor Craig	Fiona Worrall	
Voluntary Community and Social Enterprise (VCSE) Sector	To receive a report on the VCSE sector including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How the support being provided by the infrastructure support services has changed in response to COVID-19</li> <li>• Impact of COVID-19 on community groups</li> <li>• Equalities monitoring of funded groups</li> </ul>	Councillor Stogia	Fiona Worrall/ Michael Salmon	See July 2020 minutes
Equalities	To receive a report to include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Council's response to Black Lives Matter</li> <li>• How the Council has been using Equality Impact Assessments including how they will be used in the COVID-19 recovery work</li> <li>• How equality compliance is monitored within the organisations that receive Our Manchester funding</li> <li>• The non-workforce-related elements of the Independent Race Review</li> </ul>	Councillor Akbar	Fiona Ledden/ James Binks/ Keiran Barnes	See July and September 2020 minutes
Overview Report	The monthly report includes the recommendations monitor, relevant key decisions, the Committee's work programme and any items for information.	-	Rachel McKeon	

<b>Thursday 5 November 2020, 2.00 pm (Report deadline Monday 26 October 2020)</b>				
Item	Purpose	Executive Member	Strategic Director/ Lead Officer	Comments
Update on COVID-19	To receive an update of the city's response and recovery work focusing on areas within the Committee's remit.	Councillor Craig	Fiona Worrall	
Peterloo Memorial	To receive an update report on the Peterloo Memorial in relation to accessibility for disabled people.	Councillor Rahman Councillor Akbar	Louise Wyman/ Pat Bartoli	See September 2020 minutes Invite Deansgate ward councillors
Domestic Violence and Abuse	To receive a report on Domestic Violence and Abuse Support Services including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information on the Sanctuary Scheme, including figures on how many sanctuary installations have been carried</li> <li>• Information on how many Manchester families fleeing domestic violence are re-housed outside of the city</li> </ul>	Councillor Murphy	Fiona Worrall/ Sam Stabler/ Delia Edwards	See July and September 2020 minutes
Digital Inclusion	To receive a report on digital exclusion and work to address this. To include information on how this varies across different parts of the city.	Councillor Craig Councillor Rahman	Angela Harrington/Neil MacInnes	See July and September 2020 minutes
Budget-related item	Precise details to be confirmed.		Carol Culley	To be confirmed
Overview Report		-	Rachel McKeon	