

RESOURCES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL

Panel Report

Public

Date of Meeting: 25th August 2011

Title: Overview Report and Work Programme

Report of: Overview and Scrutiny Officer

Report reference: OS 22/11

Summary:

This report provides an overview of matters related to the Resources O&S Panel's work. It also includes the latest version of the work programme.

Recommendations:

Members are asked to:

- Agree items for consideration by Scrutiny which are included in the Forward Plan (Para 1 & Appendix 1)
- Note and/or amend the Panel's work programme (Appendix 2)

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1. Forward Plan Items

The Forward Plan of the Executive covering the period 1st August – 30th November 2011 was published on 18th July 2011.

The following items fall within the remit of this Panel. Full details were provided within report OS20/11 which was presented to the Panel on 21st July and are therefore not duplicated within this report.

KD.016/11 – The Medium Term Financial Plan (including the Corporate Charging Policy) and the Capital Strategy 2012/12 to 2017/18

KD.017/11 – Asset Management Plan 2011-16 - 2010/11 Provisional Outturn Reports To be considered at this meeting of the Panel

2. Disabled Facilities Grant Task and Finish Group

It was suggested during discussion around the Corporate Risk Register that a Member of Resources O&S Panel should sit on the above Task Group which has been commissioned by the Community O&S Panel. This was agreed by the Chair of COS and subsequently Cllr Layden volunteered to be involved in this piece of work.

3. Capital Projects Task and Finish Group

The Task Groups report was presented to the Executive at its meeting on 26th July 2011. A response to the Task Groups recommendations has been requested to the next meeting of the Panel on 25th August.

4. Work Programme

The current work programme is produced at Appendix 1 for consideration and/or amendment.



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Current Meeting –25th August 2011																
Costs of Services			✓				To receive a report detailing the costs of all services provided by the Authority			✓						
Medium Term Financial Plan					✓					√						
Asset Management Plan 2011-2016					✓					✓						
Discretionary Rate Relief Policy				✓			To consider draft protocol and criteria			√						
Transformation Programme					✓	✓	Monitoring of action plans, budget savings and process			✓						
Performance Monitoring Reports	✓					✓	Monitoring of performance relevant to the remit of the Panel	✓		✓		✓		✓		



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Regional Growth Fund							To provide report on bid to inform Panel Members to assist them in deciding whether to put a motion to Council			✓							
						Ta	sk & Finish Groups										
Capital Programme Review			✓				To receive response from Executive	✓		√							
Use of Consultants			✓				Need to determine when to monitor recommendations (Response from Exec 6/12/10)										
Lease Cars			✓				Monitoring of Task Group Recommendations										
Future Meetings																	
Asset Management			✓				To monitor implementation		✓		✓						



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Business Plan							of plan										
Projects Assurance Group						✓	Quarterly monitoring of significant projects		✓		✓		✓		√		
Corporate Risk Register						✓	Quarterly Monitoring		√		✓		✓		✓		
Budget Monitoring 11/12					✓	✓	Monitoring of budget - check dates with Peter/Alison										
Budget					✓		Budget setting 2012/13- 2016/17					✓	✓				
Shared Services						√	Update report on RBS, ICT & Audit Shared Services				√			✓			
Scrutiny Annual Report							Draft report for comment before Chairs Group								✓		
Completed Items																	
Employee Opinion Survey							To inform Members of		✓								



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								feedback and action plan										
2010/11 Provisional Outturn Reports								Outturn reports and recommendations on carry forward requests to Council	✓									
INFORMATION ONLY ITEMS																		
Details	Details Date Circulated																	

FORWARD PLAN

Index of Active Executive Key Decisions relevant to: Resources Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Key Decision Ref Nos:	Subject:	Date of Executive Meeting
KD.016/11	The Medium Term Financial Plan (including the Corporate Charging Policy) and the Capital Strategy 2012/13 to 2017/18	26 July 2011
		30 August 2011
KD.017/11	Asset Management Plan 2011-2016	26 July 2011 30 August 2011

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Active Executive Key Decisions relevant to: Resources Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Ref: KD.016/11 **Portfolio Area** Governance and Resources

Subject The Medium Term Financial Plan (including the Corporate Charging Policy) and

the Capital Strategy 2012/13 to 2017/18

Key Decisions:

To consider the Council's Medium Term Financial Plan and Corporate Charging Policy, and the Council's Capital Strategy and make recommendations to Council on 13 September 2011.

To be considered initially by Executive: 26 July 2011

Decision to be taken at Executive on: 30 August 2011

Responsible or Lead Overview and Scrutiny Panel:

Resources Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Date when the matter will be available for consideration by Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Policy and Budget Framework matter which will be available for consideration by the Resources Overview and Scrutiny Panel on 25 August 2011.

Consultees: Overview and Scrutiny

Date for Consultees' comments: August 2011

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

The Assistant Director (Resources) report will be available five working days before the meeting

Further Information From:

Assistant Director (Resources), Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, Carlisle, CA3 8QG

Ref: KD.017/11 **Portfolio Area** Governance and Resources

Subject Asset Management Plan 2011-2016

Key Decisions:

To consider the Council's Asset Management Plan and make recommendations to Council on 13 September 2011.

To be considered initially by Executive: 26 July 2011

Decision to be taken at Executive on: 30 August 2011

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