

**Briefing note on Issues included in the Forward Plan Issue 16 - 2003/04
(29.12.03 to 23.04.04)**

SERVICE AREA: Environment

Report ref	Report title
ES-03/04-189	Future Direction of Bridge Park
<p>Summary:</p> <p>The report to the Executive will enable Members to consider the future of Bridge Park following on from the findings of the bridge park Review.</p> <p>An independent external consultant was commissioned to undertake a review of the new Bridge Park complex with respect to determining it's long term future use. The consultant with a range of stakeholders including sports, functions and events and the business units, and to members, council officers, users of the centre and 'external' stakeholders such as Sport England and the Stonebridge HAT.</p> <p>A final report is still awaited from the consultant and the reports to members will summarize the key issues arising from the review and recommend options for the future.</p>	
<p>Nature of Decision to be taken/Intended Outcome</p>	
<p>Timescale for decision:</p> <p>To go to the Executive for consideration in March 2004</p>	

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