

 	Health and Wellbeing Board 10 February 2020
	Report from the Assistant Chief Executive
Air Quality Scrutiny Task Group Report	

Wards Affected:	All
Key or Non-Key Decision:	Non Key Decision
Open or Part/Fully Exempt: (If exempt, please highlight relevant paragraph of Part 1, Schedule 12A of 1972 Local Government Act)	Open
No. of Appendices:	Appendix 1 – Brent Breathes - Report of the Resources and Public Realm Scrutiny Committee: Air Quality Scrutiny Inquiry
Background Papers:	None.
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1.0 Purpose of the Report

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to present the Air Quality Scrutiny Task Group Report for consideration and executive response (attached at Appendix 1).

2.0 Recommendation(s)

- 2.1 That the Air Quality Scrutiny Report and recommendations be noted.

3.0 Detail

- 3.1 The Resources and Public Realm Scrutiny Committee established a Scrutiny Task Group to consider the issue of Air Quality in Brent in July 2019. The scrutiny report and recommendations were agreed by the Resources and Public Realm Scrutiny Committee on 4 December 2019 and referred to Cabinet for consideration on 14 January 2020.
- 3.2 The report includes ten recommendations to Brent Council, which are summarised on page 4 of the report.

- 3.3 A report is expected to follow to Cabinet in the near future to agree the actions the Council should take with respect to the recommendations of the scrutiny committee.

4.0 Financial Implications

- 4.1 It is envisaged that any financial implications arising from the recommendations will be contained within existing budgets.
- 4.2 Any requests for additional funding, or savings arising out of its implementation, will be managed through the normal budgeting setting process.

5.0 Legal Implications

- 5.1 There are no legal implications for the purposes of this report.

6.0 Equality Implications

- 6.1 There are no equality implications for the purposes of this report.

7.0 Consultation with Ward Members and Stakeholders

- 7.1 The Chair of the Scrutiny Task Group has been consulted on this cover report. The main report at Appendix 1 list the stakeholders that have been consulted and involved in the scrutiny inquiry.

8.0 Human Resources/Property Implications (if appropriate)

- 8.1 There are no Human Resources/property implications for the purposes of this report.

Report sign off:

Shazia Hussain
Assistant Chief Executive