

**Executive Response to the Recommendations of the Resources and Public
Realm Scrutiny Committee Made 12 March 2020**

by Cabinet on 17 August 2020

On 12 March 2020, the Resources and Public Realm Scrutiny Committee made recommendations to the Cabinet after consideration of issues at that meeting. The Cabinet's Executive Response and decisions against those recommendations are provided below, under the respective agenda item subjects provided in the minutes of that meeting.

Brent Parks Strategy

Recommendations:

1. That a new Brent Parks Strategy encompass the green and open spaces as a whole and include measurable targets, including bespoke targets for Brent, to facilitate the use of parks and open spaces by a diversity of different people in the community and to encourage sporting activities.
2. To improve the data on people using the park, which could be used to inform the strategy.
3. That provision be made within the strategy and management of parks to allow for barbeques in designated areas, perhaps with the requirement of a permit and perhaps after a trial period to test out how this might work.

Decision: Agreed.

Implementation by: March 2021.

Cabinet Member: Councillor Krupa Sheth, Lead Cabinet Member for Environment

Lead Department: Environment Services, Regeneration & Environment

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