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Resources and Public Realm Scrutiny Committee

8 November 2022

Report from the Director of Engagement, Strategy & Communications

Updates to the Resources and Public Realm Scrutiny Committee's Work Programme 2022-23

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:	One Appendix A – Scrutiny Work Plan 2022-23 Table	
Background Papers:	None	
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1.0 Purpose of the Report

1.1 To provide an update on the changes to the Resources and Public RealmScrutiny Committee's work programme.

2.0 Recommendation(s)

2.1 That Committee members note the report and the changes to the workprogramme within.

3.0 Detail

- 3.1 The work programme sets out the items which the Resources and PublicRealm Scrutiny Committee will consider during the municipal year.
- 3.2 The work programme of a scrutiny committee is intended to be a flexible, living document that can adapt and change according to the needs of a committee. The changes set out are reflective of this.
- 3.3 The agenda of the 8 November 2022 meeting has been updated to include an additional item on the Draft Borough Plan 2023-27, with the removal of the 'Q2Financial Report' item. Additionally, the wording of the agenda item, 'Police Liaison' has been updated to 'Police Engagement in Brent'.
- 3.4 An additional meeting has been added to the work plan for 13 December 2022. This is a special meeting convened to focus on 'Redefining Local Services' in Brent.
- 3.5 For the 24 January 2023 committee meeting, the wording of the agenda item relating to Budget Scrutiny has been updated to 'Budget Scrutiny Task Group Findings' on the work programme.
- **3.6** The updated work programme also contains amendments to the job title of LornaHughes, now the Council's Director of Communities.

4.0 Financial Implications

4.1 There are no financial implications arising from this report. However, budget and financial issues are addressed in the 'Financial Implications' section of any reports to committee, requested as part of its work programme.

5.0 Legal Implications

5.1 There are no legal implications arising from this report. However, legal implications are addressed in the 'Legal Implications' section of any reports to committee, requested as part of its work programme.

6.0 Equality Implications

6.1 There are no equality implications arising from this report.

7.0 Consultation with Ward Members and Stakeholders

7.1 Ward members are regularly informed about the Committee's work

plan in the Chair's report to Full Council. There is ongoing consultation with other relevantstakeholders.

Report sign off:

Lorna Hughes
Director of Engagement, Strategy &
Communications

Resources and Public Realm Scrutiny Committee Work Plan 2022-2023

19 July 2022

Agenda Item	Leader/Deputy Leader/Cabinet Members	Chief Executive/Strategic Directors	External Organisations
Committee Work Programme 2022/23 – formal agreement	Cllr Mili Patel, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Finance, Resources and Reform	Shazia Hussain, Assistant Chief Executive	
	Cllr Shama Tatler, Cabinet Member for Regeneration and Planning		
	Cllr Krupa Sheth, Lead Member for Environment, Infrastructure and Climate Action		
	Cllr Harbi Farah, Cabinet Member for Safer Communities and Public Protection		
	Cllr Ellie Southwood, Cabinet Member for Jobs, Economy and Citizen Experience		
	Cllr Fleur Donnelly-Jackson, Cabinet Member for Community Engagement, Equalities and Culture		
Digital inclusion strategy	Cllr Mili Patel, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Finance, Resources and Reform	Peter Gadsdon, Strategic Director, Customer and Digital Services	
Wembley Events Review paper	Cllr Krupa Sheth, Lead Member for Environment, Infrastructure and Climate Action	Alan Lunt, Strategic Director, Regeneration and Environment	Football Association, Metropolitan Police
	Cllr Harbi Farah, Cabinet Member for Safer Communities and Public Protection		
Medium Term Financial Strategy – summer update	Cllr Mili Patel, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Finance, Resources and Reform	Minesh Patel, Director of Finance	

6 September 2022

Agenda Item	Leader/Deputy Leader/Cabinet Members	Chief Executive/Corporate Directors	External Organisations
Budget Scrutiny Task Group	Cllr Mili Patel, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Finance, Resources and Reform	Minesh Patel, Corporate Director of Finance and Resources	
Cost of living crisis	Cllr Ellie Southwood, Cabinet Member for Jobs, Economy and Citizen Experience	Peter Gadsdon, Corporate Director, Resident Services	

8 November 2022

Agenda Item	Leader/Deputy Leader/Cabinet Members	Chief Executive/Corporate Directors/Operational Directors	External Organisations
An update on Brent Council grants programmes	Cllr Fleur Donnelly-Jackson, Cabinet Member for Community Engagement, Equalities and Culture	Lorna Hughes, Director of Communities	
Safer Brent Partnership Annual Report 2021/22	Cllr Harbi Farah, Cabinet Member for Safer Communities and Public Protection	Carolyn Downs, Chief Executive	Metropolitan Police
Police Engagement in Brent	Cllr Harbi Farah, Cabinet Member for Safer Communities and Public Protection	Carolyn Downs, Chief Executive	Metropolitan Police
Draft Borough Plan 2023-27	Cllr Muhammed Butt, Leader of the Council	Carolyn Downs, Chief Executive	

13 December 2022

Agenda Item	Leader/Deputy Leader/Cabinet Members	Chief Executive/Corporate Directors	External Organisations
Redefining Local Services	Cllr Krupa Sheth, Lead Member for Environment, Infrastructure and Climate Action	Peter Gadsdon, Corporate Director, Resident Services	

24 January 2023

Agenda Item	Leader/Deputy Leader/Cabinet Members/Non- Executive Members	Chief Executive/Corporate Directors/Operational Directors	External Organisations
Budget Scrutiny Task Group Findings	Cllr Rita Conneely, Chair of Resources and Public Realm Committee	Lorna Hughes, Director of Communities	
Climate Change	Cllr Krupa Sheth, Lead Member for Environment, Infrastructure and Climate Action	Peter Gadsdon, Corporate Director, Resident Services	
Spaces for Community Use	Cllr Mili Patel, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Finance, Resources and Reform	Minesh Patel, Corporate Director, Finance and Resources	

22 February 2023

Agenda Item	Leader/Deputy Leader/Cabinet Members	Chief Executive/Corporate Directors	External Organisations
Multi-Agency Flood Planning	Cllr Krupa Sheth, Cabinet Member for Environment, Infrastructure and Climate Action	tbc	Thames Water Environment Agency
Migration Scheme	tbc	tbc	tbc
Annual Complaints and Members' Inquiries Report	Cllr Mili Patel, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Finance, Resources and Reform	tbc	

25 April 2023

Agenda Item	Leader/Deputy Leader/Cabinet Members	Chief Executive/Corporate Directors	External Organisations
Budget Oversight • Quarter 3 Financial Report 2022/23	Cllr Mili Patel, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Finance, Resources and Reform	Minesh Patel, Corporate Director, Finance and Resources	
Spare slot			
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