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To: Councillors Capleton (Chair), Ranson (Vice-Chair), Bradshaw, Brookes, Jones and Paling (For attention)

All other members of the Council (For information)

You are requested to attend the meeting of the Overview Scrutiny Group to be held in Committee Room 2 - Council Offices on Monday, 2nd July 2018 at 6.30 pm for the following business.

Chief Executive

Southfields Loughborough

22nd June 2018

AGENDA

- 1. APOLOGIES
- 2. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

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To approve the minutes of the last meeting held.

- 3. DISCLOSURES OF PECUNIARY AND PERSONAL INTERESTS
- 4. DECLARATIONS OF THE PARTY WHIP

5. QUESTIONS UNDER SCRUTINY PROCEDURE 11.16

No questions were submitted.

6. CABINET ITEMS FOR PRE-DECISION SCRUTINY

The following items were identified for pre-decision scrutiny from the Cabinet agenda for 5th July 2018:

(a) CAPITAL PLAN AMENDMENT REPORT

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A report of the Head of Finance and Property Services to consider and approve changes to the 2018/19 – 2020/21 Capital Plan will be considered for pre-decision scrutiny in order to make recommendations as appropriate to the Cabinet.

(b) AMENDMENTS TO THE ANNUAL PROCUREMENT PLAN 2018/19

A report of the Head of Finance and Property Services to approve the additions to the Annual Procurement Plan 2018/19 will be considered for pre-decision scrutiny in order

to make recommendations as appropriate to the Cabinet.

(c) HEALTH AND SAFETY PERFORMANCE REPORT 2017/18 28 - 41

A report of the Head of Strategic Support to note the Council's Health and Safety performance over the year will be considered for pre-decision scrutiny in order to make recommendations as appropriate to the Cabinet.

7. <u>OVERVIEW SCRUTINY GROUP PRE-DECISION SCRUTINY - CABINET RESPONSE</u>

A report of the Cabinet setting out its responses to recommendations of the Group on pre-decision scrutiny items.

8. WORK PROGRAMME

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A report of the Head of Strategic Support setting out the list of forthcoming Executive Key Decisions and the Group's Work Programme for consideration, in order to identify items for future scrutiny.

SCRUTINY QUESTIONS

What topics to choose?

- What difference will scrutiny make?
- Is this an area of concern public/performance/risk register?
- Is this a corporate priority?
- · Could scrutiny lead to improvements?
- What are the alternatives to pre-decision scrutiny?

Pre-decision scrutiny

- What is Cabinet being asked to agree?
- Why?
- How does this relate to the overall objective? Which is ...?
- What risks have been identified and how are they being addressed?
- What are the financial implications?
- What other options have been considered?
- Who has been consulted and what were the results?
- Will the decision Cabinet is being asked to take affect other policies, practices etc.?

Basic Questions

- Why are you/we doing this?
- Why are you/we doing it in this way?
- How do you/we know you are making a difference?
- How are priorities and targets set?
- How do you/we compare?
- What examples of good practice exist elsewhere?

OVERVIEW SCRUTINY GROUP 8TH MAY 2018

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PRESENT: The Chair (Councillor Taylor)

Vice Chair (Councillor Bebbington)

Councillors Bradshaw, Capleton, Gerrard and Jones

Chief Executive

Head of Strategic and Private Sector Housing

Team Leader Planning Enforcement Democratic Services Officer (NA)

APOLOGIES: Councillor Sutherington

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104. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

A typographical error was cited in the last minutes which the Chair corrected.

The minutes of the meeting of the Group held on 9th April 2018 were then confirmed as a correct record and signed.

105. DISCLOSURES OF PECUNIARY AND PERSONAL INTERESTS

No disclosures were made.

106. DECLARATIONS OF THE PARTY WHIP

No declarations were made.

107. QUESTIONS UNDER SCRUTINY COMMITTEE PROCEDURES 11.16

No questions had been submitted.

108. REVISED PLANNING ENFORCEMENT POLICY

A report of the Head of Planning and Regeneration was considered seeking approval for the revised Planning Enforcement Policy (item 06A on the agenda filed with these minutes).

The Team Leader for Planning Enforcement attended the meeting to assist with consideration of the item and gave the following responses to issues raised:



- (i) The Group was advised that the policy had been updated in line with the changes to the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) and the advice was to have a plan which included the processes involved in planning enforcement and how the process worked for customers and officers. It also fitted with the Council's Corporate Enforcement Policy and the other enforcement policies.
- (ii) The Enforcement Team was working more closely with other Planning officers following the recent restructure. This meant that planning conditions for developments would be checked to ensure they were relevant and enforcement could be taken if necessary.
- (iii) The policy had been out for consultation to engage with the public and all local parish councils. There was a suggestion that training would be offered for parish councils to enable them to cascade the information to their residents as they received a lot of enquiries.
- (iv) The Group asked about the arrangements by which members were kept up to date with planning enforcement and were advised that a list could be provided for members' information.
- (v) The Group was pleased to see that enforcement had been taking place and cited some successful recent cases.
- (vi) The enforcement team also worked with the Private Sector Housing Team to refer matters when required if it was relating to private landlords and their properties. There were different options for enforcement depending upon the issue.
- (vii) Although some of the comments received via the consultation said that residents' concerns should take precedence it was felt that enforcement action should be taken on a case by case basis.
- (viii) There was a suggestion to engage with the local press to inform them of the work being undertaken by the Council and to assure the public that the Council was taking action where required.
- (ix) There were tight timescales in place which the Enforcement Team were meeting but resources were stretched due to staffing issues. There was a restructure taking place and recruitment was underway so the targets should be met long term.
- (x) Most action taken incurred no additional costs for the Council unless it progressed to court action.

RESOLVED that the Cabinet be informed that the Group supports the recommendations as set out in the report of the Head of Planning and Regeneration.

Reason

Having considered the report and asked questions of the Team Leader for Planning Enforcement on the matter, the Group concluded that it would be appropriate for the Cabinet to approve the recommendations set out in the report.



109. HOUSING ACQUISITION POLICY

A report of the Head of Strategic and Private Sector Housing was considered seeking approval of the Housing Acquisition Policy (item 06B on the agenda filed with these minutes).

The Head of Strategic and Private Sector Housing attended the meeting to assist with consideration of the item and gave the following responses to issues raised:

- (i) The report to Cabinet set out the approach the Council would take to acquire properties in line with the scheme of delegation as well as the arrangements approved by the Chair of the Scrutiny Management Board to exempt individual decisions from call in, which should protect the Council from any major risks. There was a risk that by taking the acquisition of each property through the governance procedure each time it could result in properties being lost due to the length of time taken and the tight timescales involved in purchasing properties. That was why the policy included delegated authority rights for the Head of Service, to eliminate that risk.
- (ii) The Group was assured that the Council would look to acquire properties which met the housing need and would not purchase properties simply to spend the money. There was felt to be enough suitable properties on the market across the Borough that there would not a problem in operating the policy.
- (iii) A Right to Buy discount would still exist on the properties purchased as the tenants in situ would be eligible for the right to buy scheme. However this would not become available for a period of 15 years. This meant there was a risk that properties could be lost due to right to buy in the longer term but it was dependent on the circumstances of the tenants living there.
- (iv) The Council was trying to meet the housing need by linking every part of the service to maximise delivery of housing stock to meet the housing need. This included the purchase of properties, the opportunity to buy back previously sold properties and bringing empty homes back into use. The Council was also working on negotiating the level of affordable homes through planning applications as well as looking at properties being gifted to the Council in circumstances where no Registered Provider could be found. This was the case where 5 homes had been gifted and there was the possibility of 26 more homes on another site becoming available. Developers and partner organisations were also approaching the Council to help assist in providing accommodation and their options were being considered.
- (v) 2 and 3 bedroom properties were identified as being the most in demand properties, from the information taken from the housing register. Houses and bungalows were seen as better investments as flats would require service charges to be paid which could be costly. It was also dependent on the expenditure needed to bring the properties up to the liveable standard.
- (vi) The affordable housing need in the Borough was highlighted as a concern. The Group was advised that there were measures in place to meet this need where possible, for example using the section 106 agreements



- through the planning system to provide affordable housing but it was not always possible to meet the target. The level of affordable housing need would be revised as part of the preparation of the Council's next local plan.
- (vii) The money being spent on the purchase of properties was financed from the Right to Buy receipts and the HRA (Housing Revenue Account) rather than through borrowing. It was seen as a good investment and a good use for the money given the low investment rate returns.
- (viii) Some suggestions such as buying properties with a leaseholder or buying back properties when available were put forward and the Group was advised that all options were being considered but getting value for money and obtaining the maximum number of properties were the most important objectives.
- (ix) The Council currently had funding available to buy properties and engage more with developers. For example being given first refusal on one site to purchase properties at market value.
- (x) The Government policy of an annual rent reduction would end in 2020. Social housing rents would increase by 1% per annum and was fixed for a 10 year period. The Group queried whether the increased money received could be used to purchase properties but was advised that it would correct the deficit created by the previous rent reduction rate. The Group was advised that this information would be clarified following the meeting*.

*Note: The Head of Strategic and Private Sector Housing afterwards clarified that in October 2017 the Government announced that Social Housing rents would rise by the Consumer Price Index plus 1 per cent from 2020 to 2025.

RESOLVED that the Cabinet be informed that the Group supports the recommendations as set out in the report of the Head of Strategic and Private Sector Housing.

Reason

Having considered the report and asked questions of the Head of Strategic and Private Sector Housing on the matter, the Group concluded that it would be appropriate for the Cabinet to approve the recommendations set out in the report.

110. <u>OVERVIEW SCRUTINY GROUP PRE-DECISION SCRUTINY – CABINET RESPONSE</u>

A report of the Cabinet was considered setting out its responses to the recommendations of the Group on pre-decision scrutiny items (item 7 on the agenda filed with these minutes).

Both the Chair and Vice Chair of the Group passed on the Leader's thanks to the Group for their work which he valued.

RESOLVED that the Cabinet's responses to the Group's recommendations be noted.



Reason

The Group was satisfied that it added value where appropriate and welcomed the Cabinet's consideration of the Group's views and recommendations as part of its decision making process.

111. WORK PROGRAMME

A report of the Head of Strategic Support was considered, to enable the Group to consider its work programme and forthcoming Key Decisions and decisions to be taken in private by the Cabinet in order to schedule items for pre-decision scrutiny and to provide an opportunity for members of the Group to raise suggestions on issues for scrutiny (in addition to pre-decision scrutiny) which fell within the Group's remit, for scheduling by Scrutiny Management Board (item 8 on the agenda filed with these minutes).

The Group considered the report (and further information on the forthcoming Key Decisions and decisions to be taken in private by the Cabinet provided by the Chief Executive at this meeting) and agreed to schedule items for pre-decision scrutiny prior to the next Cabinet meeting, but that the following pre-decision scrutiny items should be added to its work programme at this stage:

Lightbulb Service Implementation Update – October 2018

RESOLVED that the Group's current work programme be noted and updated following this meeting, in accordance with the decisions taken during consideration of this item and at this meeting and any items of pre-decision scrutiny that require changing due to their reprogramming by the Cabinet.

Reason

To ensure effective and timely scrutiny, either to provide Cabinet with advice prior to it taking a decision or to ensure that the Council and external public service providers and partners were operating effectively for the benefit of the Borough.

NOTES:

- 1. No reference may be made to these minutes at the Council meeting on 25th June 2018 unless notice to that effect is given to the Democratic Services Manager by five members of the Council by noon on the fifth working day following publication of the minutes.
- 2. These minutes are subject to confirmation as a correct record at the next meeting of the Group.



CABINET - 5TH JULY 2018

Report of the Head of Finance and Property Services Lead Member: Cllr Tom Barkley

Part A

ITEM CAPITAL PLAN AMENDMENT REPORT

Purpose of the Report

This report requests Cabinet to consider and approve changes to the 2018/19-2020/21 Capital Plan, and its financing.

Recommendations

- 1. That, the current Capital Plan for 2018/19 2020/21, as amended by the changes shown in Appendix 1, in the sum of £29,822.5k, be approved.
- 2. That the Beehive Lane car park fire and evacuation safety systems scheme to the sum of £125k be added to the Capital Plan in 2018/19 and that it proceeds.

Reasons

- 1. To enable the Capital Plan to be the basis for capital spending by the Council and so that schemes may proceed.
- 2. To confirm that the Beehive Lane car park fire and evacuation safety systems scheme, to the sum of £125k, should be added to the Capital Plan and should proceed and that the cost be funded, in full, from capital receipts.

Policy Justification and Previous Decisions

The Capital Plan is an integral element of all policies and the current three-year plan was adopted by Council on 26th February 2018. Amendments to the Capital Plan were last reported to the Cabinet on 15th March 2018.

Implementation Timetable including Future Decisions and Scrutiny

This report will be available for scrutiny by the Overview Scrutiny Panel on 2nd July 2018.

Report Implications

The following implications have been identified for this report.

Financial Implications

The financial implications are covered in the body of this report.

Risk Management

Risks Identified	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Management Actions Planned
Insufficient funding	Possible	Major	The funding of the Capital Plan is regularly monitored and any apparent shortfalls are brought to the attention of Cabinet with suggested solutions.
General Risks associated with capital expenditure	Possible	Moderate	The Capital Plan is controlled through Project Boards for larger schemes and Project Officers for smaller schemes. Progress, risks and possible problems are notified to these boards and to the Capital Programme Team for all projects of £50k or more. Such risks are identified and dealt with and reported as necessary to the Senior Management Team and Cabinet.

Key Decision: Yes

Background Papers: None

Officer to Contact:

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Part B

Background - Capital Plan

- 1. Since the last Capital Plan Amendment Report on 15th March 2018 a number of amendments and additions to the Capital Plan have been put forward. These changes have affected the overall total and the funding of the Plan and those requiring an amendment to the expenditure budget are set out in Appendix 1. This report summarises these changes and, if approved, becomes the current Capital Plan for 2018/19 2020/21.
- 2. The net effects of these changes on the 2018/19 Capital Plan are as follows:

2018/19 Capital Plan	£'000
2017/18 Capital Plan as at 15 March 2018	7,856
Net new/amended schemes	4,869
Amended 2017/18 Capital Plan	12,725

Funded by:	£'000
General Fund:	
Grants, Contributions and Revenue Contributions	2,528
Contributions from Capital Plan Reserve	1,350
Contributions from Capital Receipts	1,281
Total General Fund	5,159
HRA:	
MRA or equivalent	3,257
Contribution from HRA Financing Fund	7
Contributions from Capital Receipts	586
Revenue Contributions	3,716
Total HRA	7,566
Total Funding for 2018/19	12,725

3. Details of the decisions and amendments are listed in the attached Appendix 1 and the current Capital Plan, including the changes outlined in Appendix 1, is included as Appendix 2.

Information on Major Changes

- 1. **Birstall Cedars Academy Multi-Use Games Area (MUGA), £50k**. This is approved by a Delegated Decision made by the Head of Neighbourhood Services therefore does not require approval as part of this report and is provided for information only. Cedars Academy have been working on the provision of an all-weather pitch for some time recognising the need for the enhanced facilities within the new development. This is a £200k project to install an all-weather 3G MUGA (55 x 37m) to the rear of the Palmer-Tomkinson Centre. Planning permission will be sought and no monies will be paid until this is in place and appropriate invoices have been received. This is fully funded by \$106 monies.
- 2. Birstall Parish Council contribution towards Community Meeting Hall, £150k This is approved by a Delegated Decision made by the Head of Neighbourhood Services therefore does not require approval as part of this report and is provided for information only. This is an addition to the £350k already approved towards the provision of a Community Meeting Hall within the Hallam Fields Development in Birstall. The Parish Council are in the process of going out to tender for the project and planning permission has been granted. The £500k shall be used towards the costs incurred in the detailed design and specification work and the costs of construction and no monies will be paid until this is in place and appropriate invoices have been received. This is fully funded by \$106 monies.
- 3. **Digital Programme Investment Plan, £85k** this was approved by Cabinet on 12 April 2018. Funded by the Reinvestment Reserve to enable and accelerate the Council's principal digital initiatives. £60k has been added to the Hardware Replacement Budget for the purchase of new hardware, potentially along the lines of the Microsoft Surface Pro. Then for wireless and connectivity equipment £10k and audiovisual and wireless presentation facilities (estimated for three rooms) £15k.
- 4. **Messenger Close, Loughborough, £180k** this was approved by Cabinet 10 May 2018 to develop industrial storage compounds on industrial land owned by the Council at Messenger Close. The payback period would be approximately four and half years, with a yield of 8%.
- 5. Carry forwards, £1,537k. These carry forwards were approved by Cabinet on 14 June 2018 and include budget carry forwards of £1,235k for General Fund schemes and £302k for Housing Revenue Account schemes. The current budget for 2018/19 on the attached Appendix 2 includes these carry forwards.
- 6. **Town Hall Seating Replacement £20k** this is an addition to the £60k already approved by Council in February 2018, making the total cost of this scheme £80k. The additional cost is based upon the actual tender process and relates to changing the fittings to the seats and utilizing a better fabric. This is to be funded by revenue savings from the Town Hall buildings budget therefore no additional capital budget is being requested for these works.

7. **Beehive Lane car park fire and evacuation safety system, £125k** – this is a new scheme, needing approval. The 6 level building of Beehive Lane car park currently has no on-site method of alerting occupants to any dangerous situation which may necessitate evacuation.

Following a recent high profile fire at a multi-storey car park in Liverpool, Street Management approached Leicestershire County Council Health & Safety Service for advice on fire safety precautions for the car park. The operational advice is being implemented. However, they recommended that to improve the fire safety of the building the Council should install a new alarm system and a dry riser for use by the Fire Service if required. As most fire tenders only carry ladders and hoses that will reach the first or second level this appears to indicate that total building loss is envisaged in the current fire plan should a serious fire take hold. The installation of a dry riser would help to minimise the potential for total building loss. The installation of a fire detection and evacuation alarm system would ensure that in the event of an emergency, the alarm can be raised to ensure the building is evacuated and people prevented from entering the building.

The full design of the scheme will form part of the tendering process, to ensure the relevant expert advice is sought and the most appropriate system installed.

- 8. **Disabled Facilities Grants £15k** confirmation has been received that the allocation from the Bettercare fund will be £920,160 which is £15k higher than original estimated. The scheme budget will be increased to allow the extra income to be spent on disabled adaptations.
- 9. The Capital Plan is fully funded as per the table in paragraph 2 of this report.

Appendices

Appendix 1 – Details of Capital Plan Amendments

Appendix 2 - Capital Plan 2018/19-2020/21

CAPITAL PLAN AMENDMENT REPORT 2018/19		Α							
	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21						
	£	£	£						
Capital Plan Amendment Report - 15th March 2018 - Minute 109	7,855,500	0	(
Cabinet 15 February 2018 - Minute 92 New Capital Plan 2018/19 to 2020/21 Remove previous HRA capital programme 2018/19	8,095,900 -5,278,000	9,571,300	7,376,500						
Delegated Decision 35 2017/18 - 26th February 2018 Birstall Cedars Academy MUGA S106	50,000								
<u>Delegated Decision 47 2017/18 - 15th March 2018</u> Birstall Parish Council - contribution towards Community Meeting Hall - Hallam Fields, Birstall - S106 - addition to the £350k already in the programme		150,000							
Delegated Decision 70 2017/18 - 13th April 2018 Quorn Parish Council - redevelopment of Old School Hall - S106	25,200								
Cabinet 12 April 2018 - Minute 118 Footpath at Jubilee Avenue Sileby - 50% General Fund Estate Works - Footpath at Jubilee Avenue Sileby - 50% HRA	7,000 7,000								
Cabinet 12th April 2018 - Minute 121 Digital Programme Investment Plan:- Replacement Hardware Programme - Block Sum Wireless connectivity including presentation facilities	60,000 25,000								
Cabinet 15 March 2018 - Minute 110 & Cabinet 10th May 2018 Minute 135 Messenger Close, Loughborough - Options for future use - extra to be aproved May 18	180,000								
Cabinet 14th June 2018 - Minute xxx Carry forwards from 2017/18	1,537,100								
Capital Programme Team - 12th June 2018 Town Hall Seating Replacement - funded by revenue Beehive Lane car park fire and evacuation safety systems Disabled Facilities Grants - scheme increase externally funded	20,000 125,000 15,000								
Update Report - Total	12,724,700	9,721,300	7,376,500						

				2018/19		2019	2019/20 2020/21		External Funding		g			
Scheme Details	First year in Capital Plan	Total Cost £	Spend Before 2018/19 £	Original Plan	Current Budget £	Actual Spend 31/5/18 £	Balance £	Original Plan £	Current Budget £	Original Plan £	Current Budget £	2018/19 £	2019/20 £	2020/21 £
CAPITAL PLAN														
<u>Direct Delivery</u>														
Community Wellbeing Corporate Services Housing, Planning & Regeneration & Regulatory Services - General Fund Housing, Planning & Regeneration & Regulatory Services - HRA		3,259,015 2,944,329 785,430 77,381,466	670,315 2,149,029 184,530 57,913,466		1,715,700 575,300 300,900 7,566,200	-15,359 39,258 21,908 -760,210	1,731,059 353,142 278,992 8,326,410	110,000 200,000	188,000 110,000 200,000 6,613,300	685,000 110,000 100,000 5,288,500	685,000 110,000 100,000 5,288,500	420,300 0 1,100 0	50,000 0 0 0	0 0 0 0
Sub-total Direct Delivery		84,370,240	60,917,340	8,415,900	10,158,100	-714,403	10,689,603	7,111,300	7,111,300	6,183,500	6,183,500	421,400	50,000	0
Indirect Delivery Community Wellbeing Corporate Services Housing, Planning & Regeneration & Regulatory Services - General Fund Housing, Planning & Regeneration & Regulatory Services - HRA		1,264,539 0 16,085,339 0	146,439 0 10,833,839 0	0 515,000 0	878,100 0 1,688,500 0	20,915 0 31,487 0	857,185 0 1,657,013 0	30,000 0 2,430,000 0	180,000 0 2,430,000 0	60,000 0 1,133,000 0	60,000 0 1,133,000 0	683,300 0 1,037,800 0	0 0 1,540,000 0	0 0 1,058,000 0
Sub-total Indirect Delivery		17,349,878	10,980,278	515,000	2,566,600	52,402	2,514,198	2,460,000	2,610,000	1,193,000	1,193,000	1,721,100	1,540,000	1,058,000
GF Total HRA Total		24,338,652 77,381,466		1,673,600 7,257,300	5,158,500 7,566,200	98,209 -760,210	4,877,391 8,326,410	2,958,000 6,613,300	3,108,000 6,613,300	2,088,000 5,288,500	2,088,000 5,288,500	2,142,500 0	1,590,000 0	1,058,000 0
Grand Total		101,720,118	71,897,618	8,930,900	12,724,700	-662,001	13,203,801	9,571,300	9,721,300	7,376,500	7,376,500	2,142,500	1,590,000	1,058,000
Direct Delivery The Z478 Shortcliffe Community Park JT Z697 Bell Foundry Pocket Park JT Z494 Public Art Provision - Loughborough & Shepshed	2015/16 2016/17 2017/18	162,119 66,976 92,824	144,419 4,776 17,724	0	17,700 62,200 75,100	2,380 0 0	15,320 62,200 75,100	0	0 0 0	0	0	9,400 62,200 75,100	0 0	0 0 0
JR Z388 CCTV	2014/15	225,009	106,609	35,000	48,400	-8,735	57,135	35,000	35,000	35,000	35,000	0	0	0
SW Z389 Loughborough - Town Centre signage	2014/15	59,020	54,020	0	5,000	0	5,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SW Z413 Town Hall - Tills	2015/16	10,967	9,767	0	1,200	0	1,200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SW Z392 Public Realm and Art Improvements	2014/15	103,354	93,754	0	9,600	0	9,600	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SW Z393 Grants for Shop Front Improvements SW Z421 Carillon Tower Restoration Project KS Z746 Charnwood Museum Public Toilets Refurbishment MB Z748 Loughborough Festive Lights and Street Dressing MB Z749 Loughborough Market Improvements RK Z756 Town Hall Public Wifi Installation RK Z757 Town Hall Roof Upgrade RK Z758 Town Hall Seating Replacement	2014/15 2017/18 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19	15,031 282,000 16,000 130,000 60,000 15,000 50,000	13,431 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 16,000 130,000 60,000 15,000 50,000	1,600 282,000 16,000 130,000 60,000 15,000 50,000	0 37,964 0 0 0 0 0	1,600 244,036 16,000 130,000 60,000 15,000 50,000 80,000	0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	0 44,600 0 10,000 20,000 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0

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MB Z394	Provision of Neighbourhood Notice Boards	2014/15	15,001	8,901	0	6,100	0	6,100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MB Z739 JT Z747 MB SR Z750 MB Z751 SR Z752 MB Z753 MB Z754 MB Z755	Green Spaces Programme Dishley Pool Access Works Loughborough Cemetery - New Burial Provision Loughborough Old Cemetery Green Flag Site Development Loughborough Playgrounds - Replacement Surfacing Mountsorrel Castle Park Green Flag Site Development The Outwoods Country Park - Septic tank system replacement The Outwoods Country Park - Visitor Centre and Café Shortcliffe Park Access Bridges	2016/17 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19	613,995 32,600 650,000 40,000 60,000 40,000 45,000 188,000 50,000	77,195 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	125,000 32,600 0 40,000 60,000 40,000 45,000 35,000	536,800 32,600 0 40,000 60,000 40,000 45,000 35,000 50,000	-46,968 0 0 0 0 0 0	583,768 32,600 0 40,000 60,000 40,000 45,000 35,000	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 153,000	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 153,000	0 0 650,000 0 0 0	0 0 650,000 0 0 0 0	159,000 0 20,000 0 20,000 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 50,000	0 0 0 0 0 0 0
AG Z484	Closed Churchyards Walls Sub-total Direct Delivery	2016/17	156,119 3,259,015	139,719 670,315	7 93,600	16,400 1,715,700	- 15,359	16,400 1,731,059		0 188,000	0 685,000	0 685,000	420,300	50,000	0
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Indirect Deliver	Community Facilities Grants Thorpe Acre Residents Association - contribution towards community hub building Syston Town Council - contribution towards Cemetery in Syston	On-going 2016/17 2017/18	421,551 25,900 219,588	136,751 0 9,688	0	194,800 25,900 209,900	2,200 0 0	192,600 25,900 209,900	0	30,000 0 0	60,000 0 0	60,000 0 0	0 25,900 209,900	0 0 0	0
JR Z292 JR Z500	Hallam Fields Community Hall Birstall Cedars Academy MUGA	2007/08 2018/19	500,000 50,000	0	0	350,000 50,000	18,715 0	331,285 50,000		150,000 0	0	0	350,000 50,000	0	0
JR Z502 MB	Quorn Parish Council - redevelopment of Old School Hall Syston Community Garden	2018/19 2018/19	25,200 22,300	0	0	25,200 22,300	0	25,200 22,300	0	0	0	0	25,200 22,300	0	0
	Sub-total Indirect Delivery		1,264,539	146,439	0	878,100				180,000			683,300	0	0
	Community Wellbeing - Total		4,523,554	816,754	793,600	2,593,800	5,556	2,588,244	218,000	368,000	745,000	745,000	1,103,600	50,000	0
Corporate Serv <u>Direct Delivery</u> SH Z310		On-going	0	0	155,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AK Z085	Replacement Hardware Programme - Block Sum	On-going	1,319,984	1,012,684	80,000	147,300	12,564	134,736	80,000	80,000	80,000	80,000	0	0	0
AK Z354	Infrastructure Development - Block Sum	2012/13	201,522	111,522	30,000	30,000	615	29,385	30,000	30,000	30,000	30,000	0	0	0

						2018/19 2019/20		9/20	20	020/21	External Funding				
		First year in		Spend Before		Current	Actual Spend			Current	Original	Current			
Scheme Details	s	Capital Plan	Total Cost	2018/19	Original Plan	Budget f	31/5/18 £	Balance £	Original Plan	Budget f	Plan	Budget	2018/19 £	2019/20	2020/21 £
AK Z780	Wireless connectivity including presentation facilities	2018/19	25,000	0	0	25,000	0	25,000	~	0	0	0	0	0	0
KB Z423	Call Secure System - PCI Compliance	2017/18	40,152	4,252	0	35,900	0	35,900	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KB Z425 SL Z485	Corporate Booking System Online Customer Experience Project	2017/18 2016/17	22,913 55,696	16,013 55,696	0	6,900 0	0 -2,000	6,900 2,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0
SH Z415 SH Z466	Southfields Offices - Roofing DWP Co-Location	2015/16 2014/15	100,020 653,471	84,620 653,471	0	15,400 0	-3,000	15,400 3,000		0	0	0	0	0	0
SH Z493	Fearon Hall	2017/18	250,035	174,235	0	75,800	26,979	48,821	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SH Z740 SH Z759	Emergency Backup Generator & UPS Power Woodgate Chambers - high level roof and windows improvements	2016/17 2018/19	38,302 50,000	36,302 0	0 50,000	2,000 50,000	0 0	2,000 50,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0
DC 2777 PG 2779	Messenger Close, Lough - Options for future use Jubilee Avenue Sileby	2017/18 2018/19	180,234 7,000	234 0	0	180,000 7,000	4,100 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
age	Sub-total Direct Delivery		2,944,329	2,149,029	315,000	575,300	39,258	353,142	110,000	110,000	110,000	110,000	0	0	0
<u> </u>	Corporate Services - Total		2,944,329	2,149,029	315,000	575,300	39,258	353,142	110,000	110,000	110,000	110,000	0	0	0
Housing, Plann	ning & Regeneration & Regulatory Services - General Fund														
AT Z744 AT	Beehive Lane Car Park Improvements and refurbishment scheme Beehive Lane Car Park fire & safety evacuation systems	2018/19 2018/19	180,000 125,000	0	50,000	50,000 125,000	5,845 0	44,155 125,000		30,000	100,000	100,000	0	0	0
AT	Car Parks Resurfacing and Improvements	2018/19	170,000	0	0	0	0	0	170,000	170,000	0	0	o o	0	o o
SH Z738	Carbon Management Schemes	2016/17	190,969	101,169	0	89,800	0	89,800	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RB Z468	Planning and Regeneration Essential Technology Refresh	2015/16	84,461	83,361	0	1,100	0	1,100	0	0	0	0	1,100	0	0
AS Z424	Choice Based Lettings Software	2017/18	35,000	0	0	35,000	16,063	18,937		0	0	0	0	0	0
	Sub-total Direct Delivery		785,430	184,530	50,000	300,900	21,908	278,992	200,000	200,000	100,000	100,000	1,100	0	0
Indirect Deliver	Y .														
DH Z366	Loughborough University Science & Enterprise Park	2012/13	500,000	150,000	0	350,000	0	350,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DH Z367 DH DH Z745	Bleach Yard Bedford Square Gateway Shepshed Bull Ring Leicestershire Superfast Broadband Phase 3	2013/14 2018/19 2018/19 2018/19	30,000 780,000 600,000 100,000	20,300 0 0 0	0 0 0 100,000	9,700 0 0 100,000	3,062 0 0 0	6,638 0 0 100,000	780,000 600,000 0	780,000 600,000 0		0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 390,000 170,000 0	0 0 0 0
RB Z396	Public Realm - Shepshed Town Centre	2014/15	50,488	13,688	0	36,800	0	36,800	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

				2018/19		2019/20		2020/21		Ext	ernal Fundin	g		
Scheme Details	First year in Capital Plan	Total Cost £	Spend Before 2018/19 £	Original Plan	Current Budget £	Actual Spend 31/5/18 £	Balance £	Original Plan £	Current Budget £	Original Plan £	Current Budget £	2018/19 £	2019/20 £	2020/21 £
RS Z210 Disabled Facilities Grants - Block Sum	On-going	11,651,278	8,584,478	5,000	1,028,800	28,425	1,000,375	980,000	980,000	1,058,000	1,058,000	1,028,800	980,000	1,058,000
RS Z346 Private Sector Housing Grants - Block Sum	On-going	398,957	142,657	0	111,300	0	111,300	70,000	70,000	75,000	75,000	0	0	0
RS Z141 Regional Housing Pot Grant	On-going	1,889,057	1,846,157	0	42,900	0	42,900	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RS Z363 Fuel Poverty Scheme	2012/13	85,559	76,559	0	9,000	0	9,000	0	0	0	0	9,000	0	0
Z346 Housing Grants Sub-total Indire	2016/17	0 16,085,339	0 10,833,839	410,000 515,000	0 1,688,500	0 31,487	0 1,657,013	0 2,430,000	0	0 1,133,000	0 1,133,000	1, 037,800	0 1,540,000	0
O Sub-total mane	ect Delivery	10,000,339	10,033,039	313,000	1,000,300	31,407	1,037,013	2,430,000	2,430,000	1,133,000	1,133,000	1,037,800	1,540,000	1,058,000
Susing, Planning & Regeneration & Regulatory Services - General	Fund - Total	16,870,769	11,018,369	565,000	1,989,400	53,395	1,936,005	2,630,000	2,630,000	1,233,000	1,233,000	1,038,900	1,540,000	1,058,000
Housing, Planning & Regeneration & Regulatory Services - HRA Direct Delivery														
PO Z300 Major Adaptations PO Z761 Major Adaptations - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	5,741,912 1,425,000	5,741,912 0	0 525,000	0 525,000	-148,080 0	148,080 525,000		0 450,000	0 450,000	0 450,000	0	0	0
PO Z301 Minor Adaptations	On-going	718,292	568,292	50,000	50,000	2,493	47,507	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	0	0	0
PO Z302 Stairlifts	On-going	721,444	541,444	60,000	60,000	21,219	38,781	60,000	60,000	60,000	60,000	0	0	0
PO Z380 Major Void Works PO Z762 Major Void Works - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	1,337,954 840,000	1,337,954 0	0 280,000	0 280,000	-14,666 0	14,666 280,000	0 280,000	0 280,000	0 280,000	0 280,000	0	0	0
Compliance												0	0	0
PO Z434 Asbestos Removal	On-going	1,621,896	1,171,896	150,000	150,000	8,160	141,840	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	0	0	0
PO Z741 Communal Area Improvements PO Z771 Communal Area Improvements - Fortem	2016/17 2018/19	21,889 450,000	11,389 0		10,500 150,000	27,903 0	-17,403 150,000		0 150,000	0 150,000	0 150,000	0	0	0

					2018/19		201	019/20 2020/21		20/21	External Fundi		g		
Scheme Detail	s	First year in Capital Plan	Total Cost £	Spend Before 2018/19 £	Original Plan £	Current Budget £	Actual Spend 31/5/18 £	Balance £	Original Plan £	Current Budget £	Original Plan £	Current Budget £	2018/19 £	2019/20 £	2020/21 £
PO Z742	Communal Area Electric	2016/17	948,899	296,599	200,000	252,300	15,791	236,509	200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000	0	0	0
PO Z374 PO Z772	Carbon monoxide/smoke alarms Carbon Monoxide Alarms - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	239,875 120,000	239,875 0	0 50,000	0 50,000	564 602	-564 49,398	0 40,000	0 40,000	0 30,000	0 30,000	0	0	0
PO Z401 PO Z773	Fire Safety Fire Safety Works - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	1,472,314 300,000	1,472,314 0	0 100,000	0 100,000	-100,222 0	100,222 100,000		0 100,000	0 100,000	0 100,000	0	0	0
PO Z404 PO Z774	Cavity/Loft insulation Cavity/Loft insulation - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	66,320 150,000	66,320 0	0 50,000	0 50,000	-5,220 0	5,220 50,000		0 50,000	0 50,000	0 50,000	0 0	0	0 0
	Stock Maximisation														
PO Z375	Garages Decent Homes	2016/17	150,000	0	50,000	50,000	0	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	0	0	0
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PO Z460 PO Z763	Charnwood Standard Kitchens Kitchens - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	9,867,207 870,000	9,867,207 0	0 322,000	0 322,000	-41,861 0	41,861 322,000	0 190,000	0 190,000	0 358,000	0 358,000	0	0	0
PO Z461 PO Z764	Charnwood Standard Bathrooms Bathrooms - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	4,470,151 1,925,100	4,470,151 0	0 616,300	0 616,300	-20,525 0	20,525 616,300		0 578,300	0 730,500	0 730,500	0	0	0
PO Z454 PO Z765	Electrical Upgrades Electrical Upgrades - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	4,567,646 199,000	4,567,646 0	0 66,000	0 66,000	815 0	-815 66,000		0 54,000	0 79,000	0 79,000	0	0	0
PO Z011 PO Z766	Windows Windows - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	2,787,224 60,000	2,787,224 0	0 20,000	0 20,000	-5,369 0	5,369 20,000		0 20,000	0 20,000	0 20,000	0	0	0
PO Z005 PO Z767	Charnwood Standard Planned Heating Central Heating and Boiler Installation - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	12,131,262 1,190,000	12,131,262 0	0 518,000	0 518,000	-248,892 1,790	248,892 516,210		0 238,000	0 434,000	0 434,000	0	0	0
PO Z743	Sheltered Housing Improvements inc heating & equipment	2016/17	1,139,130	539,130	200,000	200,000	-89,590	289,590	200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000	0	0	0
PO Z462 PO Z768	Door Replacement - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	2,643,997 945,000	2,596,597 0	0 315,000	47,400 315,000	-70,860 0	118,260 315,000		0 315,000	0 315,000	0 315,000	0	0	0
PO Z459	Roofing/guttering	On-going	3,072,036	2,943,936	0	128,100 11	109,127	18,973	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

						20	18/19		201	9/20	20	20/21	Ext	ernal Fundir	ıg
		First year in	Tables	Spend Before	Original Plan	Current	Actual Spend	Polymore	Original Plan	Current	Original	Current	0040/40	2040/00	0000/04
Scheme Details	S	Capital Plan	Total Cost £	2018/19 £	Original Plan £	Budget £	31/5/18 £	Balance £	Original Plan £	Budget £	Plan £	Budget £	2018/19 £	2019/20 £	2020/21 £
PO Z769	Re-roofing - Fortem	2018/19	1,800,000	0	600,000	600,000	0	600,000	600,000	600,000	~	600,000	0	0	0
PO Z369 PO Z770	Major Structural Works Major Structural Works - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	1,233,589 750,000	1,233,589 0	0 250,000	0 250,000	-229,687 0	229,687 250,000	0 250,000	0 250,000	0 250,000	0 250,000	0	0	0
PO	General Capital Works												0	0	0
PO Z357 PO Z776	Estate Works Estate and External Works - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	632,070 615,000	625,070 0	0 205,000	7,000 205,000	-6,545 0	13,545 205,000	0 205,000	0 205,000	0 205,000	0 205,000	0	0	0
PO Z857	Housing Capital Technical Costs	On-going	4,435,943	3,499,943	312,000	312,000	0	312,000	312,000	312,000	312,000	312,000	0	0	0
PO Z378	Door Entry Systems	On-going	1,321,814	680,014	200,000	241,800	42,868	198,932	200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000	0	0) 0
D 2419 (S) 2760 D	New Build/Acquisitions Acquisition of Affordable Housing to meet housing need	2017/18 2018/19	304,577 3,809,000	304,577 0	0 1,953,000	0 1,953,000	700 0	-700 1,953,000	0 1,856,000	0 1,856,000	0	0	0	0	0
PO Z406 PO Z775	Mobility Scooter Storage in Sheltered Schemes Mobility Scooter Storage - Fortem	On-going 2018/19	128,363 45,000	128,363 0	0 15,000	0 15,000	0	0 15,000	0 15,000	0 15,000	0 15,000	0 15,000	0	0	0
PO Z470	Job Management System	2015/16	112,562	90,762	0	21,800		32,525	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Sub-total Direct Delivery		77,381,466	57,913,466	7,257,300	7,566,200	-760,210	8,326,410	6,613,300	6,613,300	5,288,500	5,288,500	0	0	0
Hou	ısing, Planning & Regeneration & Regulatory Services - HRA - Total		77,381,466	57,913,466	7,257,300	7,566,200	-760,210	8,326,410	6,613,300	6,613,300	5,288,500	5,288,500	0	0	, 0

CABINET - 5TH JULY 2018

Report of the Head of Finance and Property Services

Lead Member: Councilor Tom Barkley

Part A

ITEM AMENDMENTS TO ANNUAL PROCUREMENT PLAN 2018/19

Purpose of Report

This report sets out additions to the Annual Procurement Plan for Charnwood Borough Council for 2018/19. Cabinet approved the Annual Procurement Plan on 15 March 2018. Since that report, there have been other requirements by the Council's services for the supply of goods and services, and this report seeks approval for these

Recommendations

- 1. That the contracts, over £25,000 and up to £75,000, listed in Appendix A be let in accordance with Contract Procedure Rules.
- 2. That the contracts, over £75,001 and up to £500,000, listed in Appendix B be let in accordance with Contract Procedure Rules.

Reasons

1 & 2. To allow contracts of the Council to be let in accordance with contract procedure rules.

Policy Justification and Previous Decisions

This links with the Council's strategic aim for Delivering Excellent Services.

Implementation Timetable including Future Decisions and Scrutiny

Contracts will be let in accordance with the timetables in appendices A and B.

A further report will be submitted to Cabinet on 13th September 2018 if additional Procurement approvals are required.

Financial Implications

There are no direct financial implications arising from this report as expenditure will be funded from existing budgets.

Risk Management

The risks associated with the decisions that the Cabinet are asked to make and proposed actions to mitigate those risks are set out in the table overleaf.

Risk Identified	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Management Actions Planned
Failure to follow the agreed Council Procedures and, as a consequence, not obtaining best value procurement	Possible	Minor	Wide circulation of 'reasons to meet the Rules' and provide advice to officers needing to use the Rules
Failure to follow EU procurement rules by not advertising in OJEU above a threshold.	Possible	Minor	Wide circulation of information relating to contract compliance, advice and service in placing requisite advert in OJEU for officers in service areas.

Key Decision: Yes

Background Papers: None

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Part B

Background

- 1. The Contract Compliance Rules require the Contract Compliance Officer to submit a report at the beginning of the financial year showing details of contracts to be let above £25,000 and below £500,000. In approving the report, Cabinet will agree for each contract the form of tender evaluation arrangements, whether the tender specification needs to be approved by Cabinet and whether authority is delegated to the Contract Compliance Officer to agree exceptions and open negotiation procedures.
- 2. Having an Annual Plan does not allow sufficient flexibility for goods and services that are found to be required during the year. Therefore, to avoid individual reports being submitted for each contract, and to encourage services to adhere to the Contract Compliance Rules, update reports will be produced with contracts to be let in the second, third and fourth quarters of the year.

Procedure

- 3. Heads of Service have been contacted with a view to producing a plan for 2018/19 and details of all contracts that they have asked to be included are given in the Appendices attached to this report. The contracts have been divided into those contracts estimated to cost between £25,000 and £75,000 and those contracts between £75,001 and £500,000.
- 4. For contracts up to £75,000, it is recommended that, in line with Quotation and Tender procedures the relevant Head of Service should deal with these by requesting 3 written quotations. In cases where a quotation other than the lowest is accepted, authority has been given to the Contract Compliance Officer to authorise a waiver or exception to the Contract Procedure Rules. Contracts falling under this authority have been itemised in Appendix A to this report.
- 5. For contracts in excess of £75,000, a written specification must be prepared and tendering completed in line with Contract Procedure Rules. Contracts falling under this authority have been itemised in Appendix B to the report.
- 6. Contracts above the £500,000 threshold need to be reported separately to Cabinet during the year before procurement begins.

Appendices

Appendix A – Contracts between £25,000 and £75,000

Appendix B – Contracts between £75,001 and £500,000

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APPENDIX A

Additions to Annual Procurement Plan 2018/2019 – Contracts Greater than £25,000, but less than £75,000

No.	Service Area	Contract Title / Description	Tendering Method: 3 Quotes/Waiver	Delegation to Contract Compliance Officer	Procurement Start:
1	Strategic Support	Learning Pool	Framework	Yes	01/08/2018
2	Strategic Support	Apprenticeship Degree & Masters Courses	Waiver	Yes	01/09/2018

APPENDIX B

Additions to Annual Procurement Plan 2018/2019 – Contracts Greater than £75,001, but less than £500,000

No.	Service Area	Contract Title / Description	Tendering Method: (Full Tender/OJEU Procedure)	Delegation to Contract Compliance Officer	Procurement Start:
1	Finance & Property Services	Corporate Stationery Contract	Tender Yes		01/01/2019
2	Information Services	Virtual Desktops - upgrade of the virtual Windows Desktop Infrastructure that supports all Council ICT users	Framework Contract / Waiver	Yes	01/08/2018
3	Landlord Services	Window repairs	Tender	Yes	01/09/2018
4	Landlord Services	Small works responsive repairs supporting contractor	Tender	Yes	01/09/2018
5	Landlord Services	External wall insulation inspection and remedial works	Tender	Yes	01/09/2018
6	Landlord Services	Door entry maintenance	Tender	Yes	01/09/2018
7	Landlord Services	Tenants Home Contents Insurance	Tender	Yes	24/09/2018
8*	Landlord Services	Specialist fire safety works	Framework / Waiver	Yes	01/08/2018
9	Regulatory Services - Licensing	Private Hire and Hackney Carriage Vehicles enhanced compliance checks by selected Garages located within the borough.	Tender	Yes	01/09/2018
10	Strategic and Private Sector	Employment Support Services for Vulnerable Persons	Tender	Yes	01/11/2018

No.	Service Area	Contract Title / Description	Tendering Method: (Full Tender/OJEU Procedure)	Delegation to Contract Compliance Officer	Procurement Start:
	Housing.	Resettlement Scheme			

* The installation, service and maintenance of fire protection equipment (extinguishers, fire blankets automatic and manual smoke ventilation systems), fire stopping survey and remedial works, installation, inspection and testing of fire doors.

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Report of the Head of Strategic Support Lead Member: Councillor James Poland

Part A

ITEM ANNUAL HEALTH AND SAFETY PERFORMANCE REPORT 2017-18

Purpose of Report

To inform Cabinet and provide a public record of the Council's health and safety performance.

Recommendation

That the Cabinet note the Council's health and safety performance over the preceding year as set out in Part B of this report.

Reason

It is considered good practice by the Health and Safety Executive, the Institute of Directors and the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents for public bodies to publish an annual report on health and safety performance. The Management of Health and Safety at Work regulations 1999 require all employers to review their health and safety management system. Since 2015 the Council has employed BS OHSAS 18001: "Occupational Health & Safety Management Systems" as its base system for managing health and safety.

Policy Justification and Previous Decisions

The Council's Corporate Health and Safety Policy states: "Members of the Cabinet and other elected members shall ensure that suitable resources are made available and take necessary strategic direction to discharge the Council's health and safety responsibilities and monitor, via reports, the overall performance of the Council's health and safety management systems."

This report also supports the following themes in the Corporate Plan:

- 1. Every Resident Matters by ensuring that our all of our sites and services, are safe to use for all residents.
- 2. Delivering Excellent Services by continuously looking for ways to deliver services more efficiently by reducing the costs of accidents, insurance claims and streamlining our arrangements for complying with health and safety law.

Implementation Timetable including Future Decisions and Scrutiny

Following Cabinet consideration it is intended that the report will be published on the Council's web site.

Report Implications

The following implications have been identified for this report.

Financial Implications

There are no financial implications directly related to this report.

Risk Management

There are no specific risks associated with this decision.

Key Decision: No

Background Papers: None

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Part B

Background

- Cabinet receive this annual health and safety report safety to inform them of health and safety performance during the reporting period; this report covers the period April 2017 – March 2018.
- 2. The Council manages a wide portfolio of services for a Borough of more than 160,000 people. Some of these services may involve a potential significant risk of harm to our staff, our partners or the public. To prevent injury and ill health, the Council's objective is a positive health and safety culture and we are committed to the principles of sensible risk management and compliance with our legal obligations.
- To achieve this we have implemented a safety management system that involves all staff and considers our partners and service users as well. We retain specialist advisors and train managers and staff to understand and control the risks that arise from our service to the community.
- 4. Following the departure of the Council's Corporate Health & Safety Officer in December 2017, and following consultation with the Council's Senior and Corporate Management Team's, the corporate health and safety service has been provided by Leicestershire County Council's Health, Safety and Wellbeing service since February 2018. The agreement with the County Council is for a 6 month period to the end of July 2018, the purpose of this arrangement was to provide a trial period of the proposed working arrangements. The agreement provides for a dedicated Health & Safety Officer to be on site for 4 working days per week with access to a Duty Officer on the non-working day, and provides the Council with increased resilience and access to an extensive knowledge base.

Appendices:

Appendix A Annual Health & Safety Report 2017-18.

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Annual Health and Safety Report

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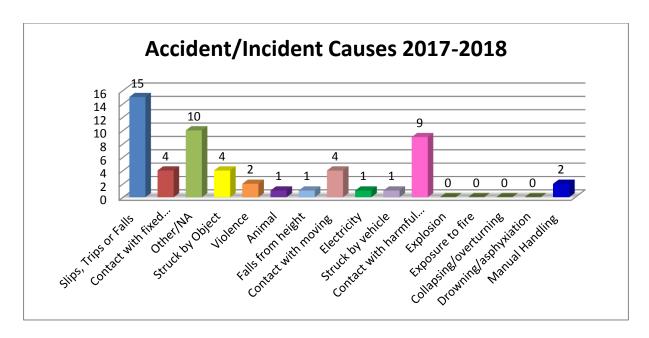
<u>Introduction</u>

- 1. The health, safety and wellbeing (HSW) of staff, service users and other customers within the Council is of paramount importance. The Health and Safety service within the Council endeavours to continually monitor HSW performance within the authority in order that improvements can be made to ensure legal compliance, financial savings and, most importantly, the safety of staff, clients, service users, volunteers and our contractors.
- 2. The report highlights to Cabinet the work that has been undertaken within Health and Safety during the 2017/18 financial year, the risk / hazard areas that impact upon the authority and where improvements need to be made to ensure improved compliance and staff safety.
- 3. The report details accident statistics from the 2017/18 financial year, which have been obtained from the accident/incident report form found on the intranet and information completed on the corporate accident recording spreadsheet.
- 4. Ensuring that health and safety is factored into the working practices of the Council is the responsibility of all members of staff within the authority. Heads of Service, Service Managers and Team Leaders support the Chief Executive and Strategic Directors to meet statutory requirements and implement effective health and safety management. The Chief Executive and Strategic Directors have responsibilities for allocating sufficient resources to enable Managers to meet the requirements, and periodically review health and safety performance.
- 5. The report is written in summary format to give an overview of the issues impacting upon the authority. The following aspects of HSW are covered in the report:
 - Accident Data
 - Audit Statistics
 - Training Statistics
 - Occupational Health/Health Surveillance
 - Corporate Objectives
 - Safety Initiatives
 - Legislative changes

Accident Data Analysis

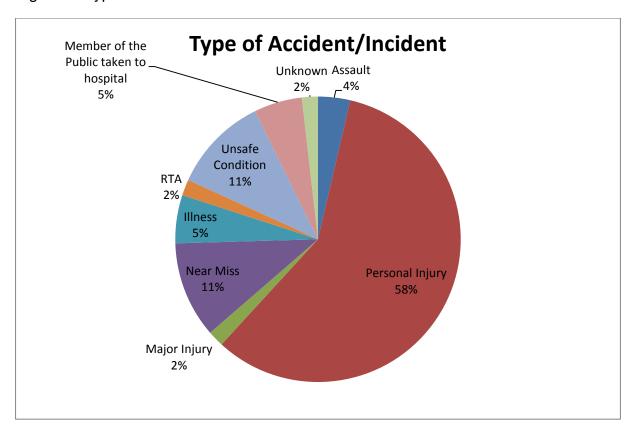
6. All accident/incident statistics, health and safety activities, insurance claims and strategic risks are presented to the Corporate Management Team (CMT) within the Risk Management Group (RMG) on a quarterly basis. CMT includes all Heads of Service, Strategic Directors and the Chief Executive.

Figure 1- Corporate Accidents by Causes 2017-18



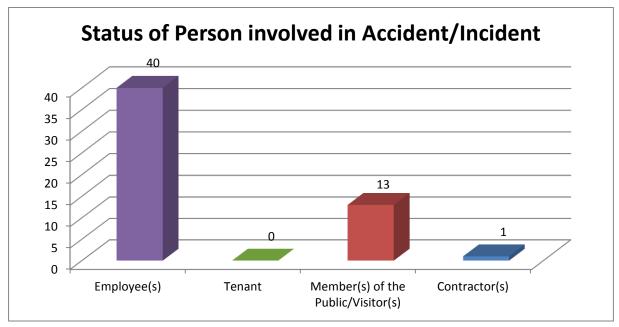
7. The graph above highlights that there have been a total of 54 accidents/incidents within the Council during the 2017-18 financial year. Clearly slips, trips and falls are the single biggest cause of accidents/incidents, accounting for 27.8%.

Figure 2- Type of Accident/Incident



- 8. The chart above reflects the type of accidents/incidents during this financial year 2017-18. Personal Injury was the highest percentage of 58%. From the total number of accidents/incidents reported during 2017-18, 39 of the 54 resulted in an injury occurring which gives an overall percentage of 72%.
- 9. The total number of accidents required to be reported under the Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations 2013 (RIDDOR) during 2017-18 was 2 which included, a broken hand by a Landlord Services operative when moving items stored within their van and member of the public obtaining a fracture to the upper limb after tripping. The total number of RIDDORs reported in 2016-17 was 4 which highlight a decrease.

Figure 3- Status of Person involved in Accident/Incident



- 10. The graph above highlights that most accidents/incidents recorded have occurred to employees, i.e. 74.1% of accidents have involved Council employees and 24.1% have involved members of the public/visitors and 1.8% involved a contractor.
- 11. When this information is cross referenced with the total number of Full Time Employees (FTEs) working within the Council, approximately 12% of all FTE employees have been involved in an accident within the last financial year i.e. just over 1 in every 9 people.

Table 1- Number of Accidents/Incidents reported by each Service Area between 2015-2018

Service Area	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Leisure & Culture	14	22	13
Landlord Services	40	13	21

Finance & Property	5	10	6
Regulatory Services	7	4	6
Customer Experience	3	1	3
Cleansing & Open Spaces	5	2	1
Planning & Regeneration	1	0	2
Strategic Housing	1	3	0
Strategic Support	0	0	1
Neighbourhood Services	0	1	1
Total	76	56	54

- 12. The table above highlights the number of accident/incidents reported, over a three year period. Over the three year period there has been an overall decrease of 29% of accidents/incidents reported.
- 13. It has been identified that improvements need to be made in recording and reporting accidents/incidents centrally rather than within different Service Areas.
- 14. These statistics reflect that there is a possibility that there is under reporting across the authority. Estimated under reporting has the potential to impact on the number of RIDDORs specifically around Lost Time.
- 15. The Health and Safety Executive (HSE) served an improvement notice for Hand Arm Vibration (HAVs), Occupational Health and documentation in May 2016. In June 2017 this notice was signed off.
- 16. Fire Drills that have occurred during 2017-2018 include;

Southfields

24/04/2017 – 5 minute Drill – 3 minute evacuation time – False Alarm 20/10/2017 – 4Hr – 8 minute evacuation time – Silent evacuation – suspect package

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25/08/2017 - 2 minute Drill - Planned evacuation.

17. Two of the accidents reported during the year resulted in claims being made against the Council. Both claims were covered by the Council's insurance policies and the combined cost of the claims to the Council was £850.00.

Audit Statistics

- 18. By auditing proactively, issues are identified at the earliest opportunity. Where non conformities are identified, the auditor supports Managers through the development of an action plan and provides practical advice.
- 19. The table below shows the Service Areas that have been audited within the last financial year 2017-18.

Table 2- Audit Outcomes

Service Area	Period of review	Assurance Rating
Cleansing and Open Spaces	May – June 2017	Moderate
Finance and Property Services	September 2017	Moderate
Leisure and Culture	April – June 2017	Moderate
Customer and Information Service	March 2018	Limited

- 20. These audits formed part of a review of the previous audits and were risk-based which focussed on specific areas. Each service area is comparably different and often expose employees to different hazards due to the nature of their activities. Each audit followed the OHSAS 18001 standard.
- 21. It has been noted that 18001 standard is not aligned to the corporate assurance system for example a failure to comply with statute could result in a moderate outcome with the current system. However, this would be identified as a major non-conformity within the OHSAS 18001 standard.
- 22. Action plans from the audits conducted have been developed and have been given to the appropriate Head of Service and Manager.
- 23. The Audit Programme has included 4 proactive audits within 2017-2018.

Training Statistics

- 24. The following section highlights the numbers of delegates that have attended corporate Organisational Learning and Development courses that fall under the remit of health and safety.
- 25. Landlord Services- Toolbox talks take place by the Health, Safety & Environment Manager on the last Thursday of every month lasting up to one hour. Information is disseminated to operatives and other landlord services employees.

Corporate Health and Safety Training Courses

Table 3 – Corporate Training (All Service Areas)

	Number of
Course Title	Employees 2017-2018
Health & Safety Induction	64
Lone Working & Personal Safety	22
Managing Aggression & Challenging Behaviour	44
Managing Mental Health - for Managers	21
Mental Health Awareness e- learning	1
Paediatric First Aid	13
First Aid at Work Requalification	9
Emergency First Aid at Work	20
First Aid at Work	6
Refresher First Aid at Work	1
Mental Health Awareness Workshop	15
Good Posture at Work Worksop	15
Drive Safe Arrive Safe Training Course	49
Yoga for Beginners	10
Post Handling	17
Take Control Workshop	90
Asbestos Awareness	113
Asbestos CAT B Non-Licensed Work	25
Site Management Safety Training Scheme - Refresher Training	10
Face Fit – New Masks	42
COSHH Awareness	27
Fire Emergency	27
Total	307

- 26. Further partnership working with the organisational Learning and Development team will take place to develop training, expanding across a range of training subjects such as COSHH (corporately), manual handling, asbestos and legionella. It is evident that there is a lack of training in the management of health and safety and risk assessments.
- 27. All Health and Safety training courses can be booked through Learning and Development.

Occupational Health/Health Surveillance

- 28. Health Monitoring is a contracted service provided by Health Management Ltd through the Occupational Health service. All health monitoring is organised through the Corporate Health and Safety Officer (CHSO) and the Health, Safety and Environment Manager. Managers are responsible through the risk assessment process to identify any health monitoring required for employees and can be supported by the CHSO. The contract is managed by the HR Team.
- 29. Health monitoring undertaken in 2017-18 includes;
 - Audiometry testing- Half of all employees working in the customer contact centre, that are required to use headsets as part of their daily work have undertaken this testing in August 2017. The purpose of this testing is to identify to gain an understanding of whether there is has been any induced hearing loss. Further testing is scheduled to take place in August 2018.
 - Hand Arm Vibration (HAVS) testing was undertaken within 2017-2018 for staff within Landlord Services. 35 members of staff received this testing.

Corporate Health and Safety Committee Objectives

30. In January 2017 the Corporate Health and Safety Committee adopted a set of objectives as part of its "core management system" for health and safety.

Number	Objectives	Completed
1	Policy signed and in date	Signed in November 2017.
2	Annual safety report delivered to Cabinet.	Completed. July 2017.
3	Committee meetings occur on time (sixmonthly).	Completed. Last meeting February 2018 delayed due to change in service provision.
4	Accident, incident and insurance reports all delivered on time to Risk	Completed.

	Management Group (quarterly).	
5	No enforcement action.	None.
6	Target of no more than 3 RIDDOR reportable injuries to staff per annum.	Completed. 1 Employee and 1 Member of the Public.
7	All RIDDOR-reportable incidents fully investigated and reported to HSE within statutory time scales.	Completed.
8	OHSAS 18001 review of each service area completed at least every 2 years.	Due to a change in the provision of the service, OHSAS 18001 reviews of 6 service areas planned for 2017/18 were not completed by 31 st March 2018. These will be completed during 2018/19.
9	No action rated "medium" or above from any review outstanding for 2 successive H&S Committee meetings.	1'medium' rated action was recorded as outstanding at the July 2017 and February 2018 Committee meetings.

Legislative Changes

31. Cabinet are advised that there are no proposed legislative changes.

Policy and Guidance Document Changes

- 32. As part of the six month contract with Leicestershire County Council a review of all documentation has taken place. A large number of documents had not been reviewed in the last 3 years and therefore require a full review with amendments. It is noted that there is no policy/guidance documents in key areas such as Fire Safety, Manual Handling, Work Equipment, Electrical Safety, Working at Height, Stress etc. The creation and implementation of these documents is required. To meet this requirement, an action plan will be developed with specific targets set.
- 33. Current Progress- The work to date has included;
 - 1. The corporate risk assessment template has been revised and circulated through One Charnwood.
 - 2. The Health and Safety Policy Statement has been signed by the Chief Executive in November 2017 and can be found on the intranet.
 - 3. The Organisation and Responsibilities policy has been approved by the health and safety committee and circulated to all employees.

4. New guidance documents include; Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (COSHH), Personal Emergency Evacuation Plan (PEEP) and the Workplace Inspection Form.

All health and safety policies and guidance documents can be found on the Council's health and safety intranet site.

New Initiatives

- Lone Working Procedure
 - Contract agreement in place with Alert Com and was signed in November 2017. Alert Com is a safety device that has been chosen to provide a robust system for all employees that travel on their own or are visiting residential and commercial businesses throughout the Borough of Charnwood.
 - Alert Com has been introduced within the Landlord Services. In October 2017 93 devices were ordered and these have been rolled out to 93 employees.
 - These devices are to be rolled out corporately across the remaining service areas within 2018.

OVERVIEW SCRUTINY GROUP – 2ND JULY 2018

Report of the Head of Strategic Support

ITEM 08 WORK PROGRAMME

Purpose of Report

- 1. To consider the list of forthcoming Executive Key Decisions and the Group's Work Programme in order to schedule items to be considered for pre-decision scrutiny.
- 2. To provide an opportunity for members of the Group to raise suggestions on issues for scrutiny, in addition to pre-decision scrutiny, which fall within the Group's remit, for scheduling by the Scrutiny Management Board.

Work Programme

The Group's current Work Programme is attached at Appendix 1.

In addition to Cabinet pre-decision scrutiny, the Group is also able to consider for inclusion on the Work Programme (subject to the agreement of Scrutiny Management Board):

- Scrutiny of external public service providers and partners; (i)
- (ii) Scrutiny of outside bodies, especially those which the Council gives grants to and/or has service level agreements with;
- Scrutiny of services which are shared with other local authorities including (iii) joint scrutiny of those services.

Key Decisions

To enable the Group to be aware of the Key Decisions to be taken by the Cabinet over the coming months and to determine which, if any, of these items should be programmed for pre-decision scrutiny, details of forthcoming Exempt and Key Decisions to be taken by the Cabinet are attached as Appendix 2.

Items dated prior to or for this meeting have been removed to avoid confusion on Appendix 2.

Background Papers: None

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Democratic Services Officer

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Responsible Body	Meeting Date	Issue	Scope of Item / Terms of Reference	Reason for Scrutiny	Invitees / Officers	Progress / Notes / Action Requested
Overview Scrutiny Group	13 th August 2018 (standing item)	OSG Predecision scrutiny – Cabinet Response	A report of Cabinet, setting out the response of Cabinet to recommendations by the Overview Scrutiny Group on pre-decision scrutiny items.		N. Ansari (report) Lead Officer (meeting)	
Overview Scrutiny Group Pa	13 th August 2018 (standing item)	Work Programme	To agree and schedule items to be considered at future meetings.	To allow the Group to identify items, including the scrutiny of forthcoming Key Decisions, predecision scrutiny and the scrutiny of external public service providers and partners.	N. Ansari (report) Lead Officer (meeting)	
Overview Scrutiny Group	13 th August 2018 (standing item)	Cabinet items for pre- decision scrutiny			To be confirmed	Items may be determined by the Chair and Vice-chair in consultation with the Democratic Services Manager. Further items may also be added following publication of the Cabinet agenda.
Overview Scrutiny Group	10th Sept 2018	Provision of Environmental Services		Cabinet item for pre-decision scrutiny.	M. Bradford	Added by SMB 13 June 2018 (see min 6.6).

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Overview Scrutiny Group	10th Sept 2018	Future Cemetery Provision for Loughborough		Cabinet item for pre-decision scrutiny.	M. Bradford	Added by SMB 13 June 2018 (see min 6.6).
Overview Scrutiny Group Pag	As required	Capital Plan Amendment Reports		Cabinet Report for Pre-decision Scrutiny.	C. Hodgson	Agreed by OSG at its meeting on 13th November 2017, with the item to be included when the Chair and Vice-chair identify that there are particular issues that require scrutiny in that quarter's report.

Note: Over the next 6 months, meetings of the Overview Scrutiny Group will be held as follows:

13th August 2018 10th September 2018 15th October 2018

12th November 2018

10th December 2018

14th January 2019



FORTHCOMING KEY
DECISIONS AND DECISIONS
TO BE TAKEN IN PRIVATE
BY CHARNWOOD BOROUGH
COUNCIL'S EXECUTIVE

Published 6th June 2018

What is a Key Decision?

A key decision is one which:

commits the Council to expenditure, savings or increases or reductions in income of £100,000 or more in any financial year;

makes proposals in relation to the budget or the policy framework under Budget and Policy Framework Procedure 14.2(a); or

will result in the closure of any facility from which Borough Council services are provided or a reduction by more than 10% in the level of a discrete service provided.

In other cases the impact of the decision will be considered in terms of the strategic nature of the decision, the effect on the amenity of the community or quality of service provided by the Council to a significant number of people living or working in the locality affected, the size of the area affected and the likely public interest in the decision.

What is a Private Meeting?

Meetings of the Council's Cabinet are open to the public to attend. All or part of a meeting may be held in private, where the item of business to be considered may result in confidential or exempt information being disclosed. Definitions of confidential and exempt information are set out in the Access to Information Procedures in the Council's Constitution.

Representations

Members of the public are able to make representations about forthcoming key decisions to be taken by the Council's Executive, these should be made in writing (including via e-mail) to the responsible officer (details are listed for each proposed key decision). Members of the public are also able to make representations concerning proposals to hold a meeting in private, these should be made in writing (including via e-mail) to Democratic Services (contact details below). In both cases, representations should be submitted by midday on the working day preceding the date on which the decision is due to be taken.

Other information

This document supersedes all previous Forward Plans.

If you have any general queries, please contact:

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FORTHCOMING EXECUTIVE KEY DECISIONS

Decision Item	What is the nature of decision to be taken?	Who will take the decision?	When is the earliest a decision will be taken?	Documents to be considered?	Will the report be considered in public?	Who can give me more information?
Charnwood Grants	To consider applications for revenue funding received in round two of the Community Facilities Capital Grants and Community Development Grants Schemes for 2018/19.	Cabinet	13th September 2018	Report	Yes	Julie Robinson Head of Neighbourhood Services Tel: 01509 634590 julie.robinson@charnwood.gov.uk
Provision of Environmental Services	To consider whether to extend the existing Environmental Services Contract or to commence a procurement exercise to secure services after June 2020.	Cabinet	13th September 2018	Report	Yes, unless exempt.	Matt Bradford Head of Cleansing and Open Spaces Tel: 01509 634695 matthew.bradford@charn wood.gov.uk
Amendaments to Annual Procurement Plan	To consider possible amendments to the Annual Procurement Plan.	Cabinet	13th September 2018	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk
Capital Plan Amendment Report	To consider and approve amendments to the Capital Plan.	Cabinet	13th September 2018 5th November 2018	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk
Future Cemetery Provision for Loughborough	To consider this matter following further work to appraise the sites for a Cemetery for Loughborough, consultation on the viable options and setting out the preferred option.	Cabinet	13th September 2018	Report	Yes	Matt Bradford Head of Cleansing and Open Spaces Tel: 01509 634695 matthew.bradford@charn wood.gov.uk
Lightbulb Service Implementation Update	To consider an update on the implementation of the Lightbulb Service in Charnwood.	Cabinet	18th October 2018	Report	Yes	Alison Simmons Head of Strategic and Private Sector Housing Tel: 01509 634780 alison.simmons@charnw ood.gov.uk

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Decision Item	What is the nature of decision to be taken?	Who will take the decision?	When is the earliest a decision will be taken?	Documents to be considered?	Will the report be considered in public?	Who can give me more information?
Medium Term Financial Strategy 2019-2022	To present a revised MTFS to Cabinet and Council for approval.	Cabinet	15th November 2018	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services
		Council	21st January 2019	Report	Yes	Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk
Charnwood Grants	To enable Cabinet to consider applications for funding received in round three of the Community Facilities Capital Grants and Community Development Grants Schemes for 2018/19.	Cabinet	13th December 2018	Report	Yes	Julie Robinson Head of Neighbourhood Services Tel: 01509 634590 julie.robinson@charnwood.gov.uk
Draft General Fund and HRA 2019-20 Budgets Capital Plan	To seek approval to the Draft Revenue Budget for 2019-20 as a basis for consultation.	Cabinet	13th December 2018	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk
Capinal Plan Amendment Report	To consider and approve amendments to the Capital Plan.	Cabinet	13th December 2018 21st January 2019	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk
Amendments to Annual Procurement Plan	To consider possible amendments to the Annual Procurement Plan.	Cabinet	13th December 2018	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk
Treasury Management Strategy Statement, Minimum Revenue Provision Strategy and Annual Investment Strategy 2019-20	To seek approval to the Treasury and Investment Strategy for 2019-20 and to seek approval to the annual report on the Prudential Code.	Cabinet	14th February 2019 25th February 2019	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk

Decision Item	What is the nature of decision to be taken?	Who will take the decision?	When is the earliest a decision will be taken?	Documents to be considered?	Will the report be considered in public?	Who can give me more information?
2019-20 General Fund and HRA Revenue Budgets and Council Tax	To seek approval to the Revenue Budget, Capital Plan, Financial Plan for 2019-20 and to propose the Council Tax for approval by Council.	Cabinet	14th February 2019 25th February 2019	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk
Capital Plan Amendment Report	To consider and approve amendments to the current Capital Plan.	Cabinet Council	14th March 2019 25th March 2019	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk
Annual Procurement Plan 2019/20	To seek approval to the Annual Procurement Plan for 2019/20.	Cabinet	14th March 2019	Report	Yes	Clare Hodgson Head of Finance and Property Services Tel: 01509 634810 clare.hodgson@charnwo od.gov.uk
Housing Capital Pro 90 amme	To approve the annual investment programme for improvements to the Council's housing stock.	Cabinet	14th March 2019	Report	Yes	Peter Oliver Head of Landlord Services Tel: 01509 634952 peter.oliver@charnwood. gov.uk
Local Development Scheme	To approve a revised Local Development Scheme (LDS) so that the programme for the preparation of planning documents for Charnwood is agreed.	Cabinet	14th March 2019	Report	Yes	Richard Bennett Head of Planning and Regeneration Tel: 01509 634763 richard.bennett@charnwo od.gov.uk
Business Plan 2019/20	To set out the Council's principal activities in delivering the Corporate Plan for the Council Year 2019/20.	Cabinet	14th March 2019	Report	Yes	Adrian Ward Head of Strategic Support Tel: 01509 634573 adrian.ward@charnwood. gov.uk

EXECUTIVE MEETINGS TO BE HELD IN PRIVATE

The following items are due to be considered by the Council's Cabinet and the public could potentially be excluded since exempt or confidential information could be considered.

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When items are considered in exempt or confidential session, the reasons for exemption would fall into one or more of the following categories:

- 1. Information relating to any individual.
- 2. Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual.
- 3. Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).
- 4. Information relating to any consultations or negotiations, or contemplated consultations or negotiations, in connection with any labour relations matter arising between the authority or a Minister of the Crown and employees of, or office holders under, the authority.
- 5. Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.
- 6. Information which reveals that the authority proposes—
 - (a) to give under any enactment a notice under or by virtue of which requirements are imposed on a person; or
 - (b) to make an order or direction under any enactment.
- 7. Information relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime.

CABINET MEMBERS

Members of the Council's Cabinet are as follows:

Name (Group)	Lead Member Responsibilities
Councillor Morgan (Conservative)	Leader of the Council Whole Council, Strategic Partnerships and Communications
Councillor Barkley (Conservative)	Deputy Leader of the Council Finance and Property
Councillor Bokor (Conservative)	Loughborough
Councillor Harper-Davies (Conservative)	Performance of Major Contracts
Councillor Mercer (Conservative)	Housing
Councillor Poland (Conservative)	Equalities, Member and Strategic Services
Councillor Rollings (Conservative)	Deputy Lead Member for Customer Services
Councillor Smidowicz (Conservative)	Regulatory Services, Enforcement and Licensing
Councillor Taylor (Conservative)	Communities, Safety and Wellbeing
Councillor Vardy (Conservative)	Planning, Inward Investment and Tourism Strategy