CABINET – 10TH MARCH 2022

Report of the Scrutiny Commission

ITEM 6 ACTIVE TOGETHER PHYSICAL ACTIVITY FRAMEWORK 2022-31

Purpose of Report

To consider the comments and recommendations of the Scrutiny Commission in relation to the Active Together Physical Activity Framework 2022-31.

Recommendation of the Scrutiny Commission

That the Cabinet be informed that the Commission welcomes and supports the recommendation set out in the report of the Head of neighbourhood Services.

Reason

The Commission, having carefully considered and asked questions on the report felt the Cabinet should approve the recommendation set out.

Meeting Discussion

- i. The framework was intended to overcome the barriers preventing participation in physical activity. There were officers in post at the council that could assist individual sports and recreation clubs with looking at resourcing issues.
- ii. It was anticipated that the framework would be endorsed by all of the councils in Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland, along with other agencies. Charnwood Borough Council had been actively involved in the consultation which had shaped the framework.
- iii. It was acknowledged that the timescale of the framework was significant. The Active Partnership reported to the Active Together Board and would need to demonstrate how the objectives in the plan had been delivered. The 'milestones to success' were outlined in the framework document and these the key performance indicators for the framework would be based around these.
- iv. The annual Sport and Physical Activity commissioning plan for 2022/23 which has to be submitted by the Council's Sport and Active Recreation Team includes activities that demonstrate how they will contribute to the the Active Together Physical Activity Framework 2022-31.
- v. The framework was designed to be inclusive and would support individuals with physical disabilities to overcome the barriers to participating in activities. In addition, the framework would also support the improvement of mental health.

Policy Justification and Previous Decisions

Scrutiny Commission Procedure Rule 11.12 sets out the procedure by which a report of a Scrutiny Committee should be considered by Cabinet.

Implementation Timetable including Future Decisions and Scrutiny

The information in the Cabinet report is not affected by the recommendation of the Scrutiny Commission.

Report Implications

The following implications have been identified for this report.

Financial Implications

There are no further financial implications associated with the recommendation of the Scrutiny Commission.

Risk Management

There are no specific risks associated with the recommendations of the Scrutiny Commission.

Key Decision:	Yes
Background Paper:	Scrutiny Commission Minute 106 2021/22, 7th March 2022
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