

CABINET

THURSDAY, 17 MARCH 2016

REPORT OF THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

ANNUAL REVIEW & CORPORATE PLAN

EXEMPT INFORMATION

N/A

PURPOSE

To inform Cabinet of the contents of the Annual Review and Corporate Plan.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That Cabinet approves the Annual Review and Corporate Plan.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

As in previous years, the Annual Review and Corporate Plan have been combined to reflect the continuity of the Council's planning and business agenda and therefore make it easier for the public and other stakeholders to understand.

It is good practice for organisations to provide stakeholders with an annual review of activity and a plan of future activity and Tamworth Borough Council has subscribed to this view for many years. The Annual Review informs stakeholders (including politicians, staff, partners and the public at large) about the Council's past performance in relation to its plans. It is consistent with the Authority's policy to communicate effectively with the public, be open to public scrutiny and to share its performance with the community.

Furthermore, it is equally consistent with the Council's values and its commitment to openness and accountability. There is a requirement to produce a public statement describing the Council's intentions for the financial year ahead, the rationale for these and the means by which the Council will ensure success. The Corporate Plan element does this.

The Annual Review and Corporate Plan are set out at Appendix A.

Subject to Members' approval, the Annual Review and Corporate Plan will be posted on the Council's internet site for access on demand.

OPTIONS CONSIDERED

Not applicable

RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications directly arising from this report.

LEGAL/RISK IMPLICATIONS BACKGROUND

There are no legal or risk implications directly arising from this report.

SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

There are no sustainability implications directly arising from this report

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

REPORT AUTHOR

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LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

Not applicable

APPENDICES

Annual Review 2015/16 and Corporate Plan 2016 - 2020



MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE CABINET HELD ON 17th MARCH 2016

PRESENT: Councillors D Cook (Chair), R Pritchard (Vice-Chair), S Claymore, S Doyle and M Thurgood

VISITORS: Councillors A James and S Goodall

The following officers were present: Anthony E Goodwin (Chief Executive), John Wheatley (Executive Director Corporate Services), Michael Buckland (Head of Revenues), Joanne Sands (Neighbourhood Services Manager), John Day (Corporate Performance Officer) and Janice Clift (Democratic and Elections Officer)

117 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

None

118 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes of the meeting held on 18 February 2016 were approved and signed as a correct record.

(Moved by Councillor R Pritchard and seconded by Councillor M Thurgood)

119 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no Declarations of Interest.

120 QUESTION TIME:

None

121 MATTERS REFERRED TO THE CABINET IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PROCEDURE RULES

Councillor A James the Chair of Healthier and Safer Scrutiny Committee requested the Members to consider the following:

- The Healthier and Safer Committee propose that the Cabinet authorises that Tamworth Borough Council pursue dementia friendly status as part of a roadmap towards achieving dementia friendly community accreditation.
- The Healthier and Safer Scrutiny Committee propose that the Cabinet supports Tamworth Borough Council joining the local Dementia Action Alliance.
- The Healthier and Safer Scrutiny Committee propose that Tamworth Borough Council's Senior Management team, Customer Service team and elected members undertake dementia friendly training.

RESOLVED: That Cabinet accepted all recommendations in principle and that the Chief Executive is charged with pulling together an Action Plan to achieve Dementia Friendly status and who within the organisation needs training.

(Moved by Councillor D Cook and seconded by Councillor R Pritchard)

122 ANNUAL REVIEW & CORPORATE PLAN

The Leader of the Council informed Cabinet of the contents of the Annual Review and Corporate Plan.

RESOLVED: That Cabinet approved the Annual Review and Corporate Plan.

(Moved by Councillor D Cook and seconded by Councillor R Pritchard)

123 WRITE OFFS 01/04/15 - 31/12/15

The Portfolio Holder for Operations and Assets provided Members with details of write offs from 1st April 2015 to 31st December 2015.

RESOLVED: That Members endorsed the amount of debt written off for the period of 1st April 2015 to 31st December 2015

(Moved by Councillor R Pritchard and seconded by Councillor D Cook)

124 ASB, CRIME AND POLICING ACT 2014 - PUBLIC SPACE PROTECTION ORDER CONSIDERATION 2

The Portfolio Holder for Communities and Public Health requested members to consider the proposals for Public Space Protection Orders (PSPO) in relation to car cruising/boy racers and vehicle related nuisance

RESOLVED: That Cabinet approved the progression to public consultation and submission to the Healthier and Safer Scrutiny Committee on 21st April 2016 for a PSPO covering the whole of the Borough of Tamworth on land which the public have vehicular access (as per the PSPO process agreed by Cabinet in June 2015)

(Moved by Councillor S Doyle and seconded by Councillor R Pritchard)

Leader