

Policy and Strategy

Corporate Strategy 2018 - 2023

Cabinet Report – 23/01/2018

Appendix C – Engagement with Scrutiny

Summary

The draft Corporate Strategy 2018 – 2023 has undergone public consultation and was dispatched to all councillors on 6 November 2017.

Prior to this the Chair of Overview and Scrutiny Management Board was approached informally and indicated that Scrutiny engagement would be best placed during this consultation period rather than during formation of the draft document.

At its <u>meeting on 7 November 2017</u>, OSMB had opportunity to comment on the draft Corporate Strategy as part of an item entitled '<u>Budget Consultation</u>', to which it was <u>appended</u>. The meeting was attended by the Head of Policy and Strategy (interim). For clarity Cabinet are advised to note that the report did not explicitly ask for comments on the Corporate Strategy itself, but the 'budget consultation' of which the Corporate Strategy was part. No comments on the Corporate Strategy were made.

At the time of writing OSMB has been approached to consider the final draft of the Corporate Strategy 2018 – 2023 which is being submitted to Cabinet. The Chair has asked that it be brought to OSMB's 22 January meeting appended as background context for the meeting's item scrutinising on 2018/19 budget proposals.

Any comments arising from this meeting will be made available to Cabinet at its meeting on 23 January.

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