

Overview and Scrutiny Management Board



27 July 2022

Report of: Overview and Scrutiny Management Board

Title: Liveable Neighbourhoods Inquiry Day: Scrutiny Report

Ward: N/A

Presenting Report: Councillor Tony Dyer, OSMB Chair

Recommendations:

For OSMB Members to

- a. Note the contents of the Report
- b. Approve the recommendations of the Report
- c. Approve the report for submission to Cabinet

The Significant Issues in the Report

As set out in the report.



1. Policy

N/A

2. Consultation

N/A

3. Context

A Scrutiny Inquiry Day was held by OSMB on 20th June 2022 to consider Liveable Neighbourhoods in light of the Bristol Labour manifesto commitment to test Liveable Neighbourhoods in Bristol, and the concurrent development of a Liveable Neighbourhoods Handbook for local use.

The ultimate objectives of the Liveable Neighbourhoods Inquiry Day were to support Members to understand the aims and purposes of Liveable Neighbourhoods, and to influence the Bristol approach by providing feedback and input on the draft Liveable Neighbourhoods Handbook.

A report of the event has now been completed and submitted to OSMB.

4. Proposal

OSMB is asked to:

a. **Note the contents of the Report**

The report contains contextual information on the subject of Liveable Neighbourhoods, a summary of presentations delivered by local and national experts, and the outcomes of a workshop considering the draft Liveable Neighbourhoods Handbook.

b. **Approve the recommendations of the Report**

The Report makes the following recommendations:

- **Additional document.** Bristol City Council to consider and implement the feedback provided by Members on the Draft Liveable Neighbourhoods Handbook regarding the format of the Handbook, specifically to develop the existing Draft Liveable Neighbourhoods Handbook into two separate documents.
- **Additions to content.** Bristol City Council to consider and implement the feedback provided by Members on the Draft Liveable Neighbourhoods Handbook regarding the content of the Handbook. This should include reference to:
 - Parking management
 - Health and wellbeing
 - Application across Bristol
 - Funding
- **Engagement approach.** Bristol City Council to consider and implement the feedback provided by Members on the Draft Liveable Neighbourhoods Handbook regarding the approach to engagement with Bristol communities.

c. **Approve the report for submission to Cabinet.**

5. Other Options Considered

N/A

6. Risk Assessment

N/A

7. Public Sector Equality Duties

N/A

8. Legal and Resource Implications

N/A

Appendices:

Appendix A	Liveable Neighbourhoods Inquiry Day Report
Appendix B	Liveable Neighbourhoods Inquiry Day: Programme

Please note: The Liveable Neighbourhoods Inquiry Day: Scrutiny Report refers to additional appendices including the draft Liveable Neighbourhoods Handbook and Speaker Presentations. These will be circulated to members as appropriate.