

## Decisions of the Regeneration and Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee on Tuesday, 2 October 2018

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Decisions

### 1 IMPROVING HEALTH AND WELLBEING THROUGH GREEN SPACE AND GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE

Resolved –

- (1) That a further progress report be presented in 12 months which focuses on engagement with communities in deprived areas relating to access to Green Space.
- (2) That officers support Friends of Groups and other community groups in identifying sources of funding to develop patches of land into Green Space.
- (3) That officers explore "mean while" use of land be explored with partners, including but not limited to In-communities, health and schools.

ACTION: Strategic Director, Public Health and Wellbeing

#### 2 WATER MANAGEMENT SCRUTINY REVIEW- PROGRESS OF RECOMMENDATIONS

Resolved –

- (1) That the information contained in Document "M" be noted.
- (2) That a report be received before the end of October 2019 which monitors progress against the recommendations contained within the Water Management Scrutiny Review.

ACTION: Strategic Director, Place

#### 3 IMPACT OF CHANGES TO THE LIBRARY SERVICE OVER THE PAST TWO YEARS AND ROLE OF MUSEUMS & LIBRARIES IN BRADFORD'S COMMUNITIES

Resolved –

That a detailed report be presented to the Regeneration and Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee by the end of January 2019 which specifically focuses on the future role of the Libraries and Museums Service including options for future service delivery.

ACTION: Strategic Director, Place

#### 4 UPDATE ON THE COUNCIL'S INVOLVEMENT IN RESIDENTIAL HIGH RISE BUILDINGS FOLLOWING THE GRENFELL TOWER DISASTER

Resolved –

- (1) That the detailed information contained in Document "O" be welcomed.
- (2) That an update report be presented to the Regeneration and Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee on the work relating to high rise residential buildings in 12 months time.

ACTION: Strategic Director, Place

#### 5 WASTE MANAGEMENT FINANCES

Resolved –

- (1) That the breadth and complexity of activities that go into delivering a comprehensive Waste Collection and Disposal Service to the Bradford District be welcomed.
- (2) That the significant work that has been undertaken thus far to deliver and embed an Alternate Weekly collection Service for residual and recycled materials be welcomed.
- (3) That the efforts of households within the district who recycle as much as possible of their household waste be recognised and urges all households to redouble their efforts in recycling.
- (4) That the Regeneration and Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee recognises the contamination of recyclates is an area that must improve and officers be supported in undertaking all possible steps to support the public in recycling more whilst utilising appropriate enforcement where necessary.

- (5) That officers be supported in identifying and implementing options as quickly as possible to take the most cost effective control of the district's recyclates and reduce the pressures on the Council's Waste Budget.
- (6) That officers encourage the recruitment of recycling Ambassadors and representatives of communities.
- (7) That Richard Longcake, Principal Officer be thanked for his work with Councillors and the Overview and Scrutiny Committee over the years and wish him a happy retirement.

ACTION: Strategic Director, Place

#### 6 REGENERATION AND ENVIRONMENT OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PROGRAMME 2018-19

Resolved -

That the 2018/19 Work Programme continues to be regularly reviewed during the year.

**ACTION: Overview and Scrutiny Lead** 

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