

ENVIRONMENTAL & PUBLIC PROTECTION SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

1ST FEBRUARY 2021

HALF YEAR PERFORMANCE REPORT 2020/21 (1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER 2020) RELEVANT TO THIS SCRUTINY

To consider and comment on the following issues:

For information only

Reasons:

- Authorities are under a general duty to make arrangements to monitor performance
- We need to demonstrate to citizens, members and regulators how performance is managed, and appropriate interventions implemented

To be referred to the Executive Board / Council for decision: NO

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER PORTFOLIO HOLDER:-

Cllr. Hazel Evans (Environment)

Cllr. Philip Hughes (Public Protection)

Cllr. Cefin Campbell (Communities and Rural Affairs)

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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BRIEF SUMMARY OF PURPOSE OF REPORT

Note impact of COVID-19

1. This report is focused on the performance measures included in the Corporate Strategy.
2. The Departmental Business Plan Actions plans set for 2020/21 were blindsided due to COVID-19 and are currently not being monitored to allow services to focus on dealing with emergencies.
3. Instead of monitoring actions set before the pandemic we produced a half year COVID-19 Community Impact Assessment.
4. We will produce an Annual Report for 2020/21 on our Corporate Strategy Well-being Objectives.
5. Measures being reported for 2020/21: -
 - Target setting has been discretionary.
 - Some have set reduced targets due to disruption to services

DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED?

YES

IMPLICATIONS

I confirm that other than those implications which have been agreed with the appropriate Directors / Heads of Service and are referred to in detail below, there are no other implications associated with this report:

Signed:

Stephen Pilliner - Head of Highways & Transport

Jonathan Morgan - Head of Homes and Safer Communities

Ainsley Williams - Head of Waste & Environmental Services

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| Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities | Legal | Finance | ICT | Risk Management Issues | Staffing Implications | Physical Assets |
| YES | YES | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO |

1. Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities

The Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015 requires public bodies *to take all reasonable steps to meet their Well-being Objectives*.

2. Legal

In our published Well-being Statement, we are committed to monitor our Well-being Objective action plans.

CONSULTATIONS

I confirm that the appropriate consultations have taken in place and the outcomes are as detailed below

Signed:

Stephen Pilliner - Head of Highways & Transport

Jonathan Morgan - Head of Homes and Safer Communities

Ainsley Williams - Head of Waste & Environmental Services

1. Scrutiny Committee – N/A

2. Local Member(s) – N/A

3. Community / Town Council – N/A

4. Relevant Partners – N/A

6. Staff Side Representatives and other Organisations – All Departments have been consulted and have had the opportunity to provide comments on their performance and progress.

EXECUTIVE BOARD PORTFOLIO HOLDERS AWARE/CONSULTED

YES

Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information

List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report:

| Title of Document | Locations that the papers are available for public inspection |
|--|---|
| Corporate Strategy 2018-2023 (refreshed June 2019) | Corporate Strategy 2018-2023 |