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Date of Meeting	Agenda Item	Summary of issue	Outcome/Resolution
<p>Wednesday, 3rd June 2020</p> <p>(Joint meeting with Overview and Scrutiny Performance and Value for Money Select Committee and Health Scrutiny Committee)</p>	Covid-19 – Scrutiny Briefing	To provide an update on the local response to the Covid-19 pandemic and allow scrutiny Members to ask questions relating to that response.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Members noted that it would be wrong not to acknowledge the work of Officers and of partner organisations in the local response to the Covid pandemic. • The Chair noted conclusion of the presentations and the question and answer session, suggesting it was necessary for the Joint Committee to meet further and collate information to be used to support lobbying of MPs and other parties. • Noted that some consideration of inequalities would need to be given at a future meeting. <p>The Equalities Strategy to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.</p>
Tuesday, 16 th June 2020	Place Based Integration	Update on Progress	<p>RESOLVED that -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. the update provided on Place Based Integration be noted; 2. the Board Task and Finish Group considering Place Based Integration be taken forward. <p>A Workshop and wider briefings for elected Members were held prior to further report to the Board in March 2021.</p>
	Poverty Task and Finish Group	Update	<p>RESOLVED – that</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. the Overview and Scrutiny Board Poverty Task and Finish Group assist in the update of the Council’s Poverty Strategy; 2. the terms of reference for the Poverty Task and Finish Group be reviewed in light of the forthcoming Workshop for senior Councillors, senior Officers and partners as reported to the Board by the Deputy Leader and Portfolio Holder for Covid-19 Response.

			The Task and Finish Group met and contributed to the report on Poverty considered by the Board in March 2021.
Wednesday, 22 nd July 2020	Statement of Community Involvement	Consultation	RESOLVED that the proposed policy and the comments made by the Overview and Scrutiny Board members be noted.
	Customer Services Strategy: Unreasonable Behaviour	Consultation	RESOLVED that: 1. The Unreasonable Behaviour Policy and updated Corporate Complaints Policy be noted. 2. The comments provided by members be noted. 3. The updated policies be circulated to members.
Tuesday, 8 th September 2020	Local Development Scheme	Policy Update	RESOLVED that the recommended revisions to the Local Development Scheme be supported and it be agreed that the go forward for approval.
	Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report	Annual reporting	RESOLVED that: 1. The Oldham Adults Safeguarding Board Annual Report and the tremendous work undertaken in the 12-month period be noted. 2. A Task and Finish Group be established to explore issues of ethnicity and safeguarding, the terms of reference for which to be considered by the Chair and Councillor Toor.
	Council Motions Update: Tax Relief for Public Transport	Motion referred from Council	RESOLVED that: 1. The Board would support asking the Chief Executive to write to the Prime Minister and the Chancellor of the Exchequer to request that the Government introduces a tax relief scheme on seasonal travel tickets (following the principles outlined in Mr. Johnson's Telegraph article in 2013), making this effective as soon as possible and to the Mayor of Greater Manchester saying that we all should support such a scheme. 2. The Pay and Reward Team report to the next meeting of the Board on matters relating to the offering of a Bike to Work Scheme.

	Youth Council: Employment and Apprenticeships	Motion referred from Council	RESOLVED that a workshop be convened with the Youth Council and relevant officers to address the resolutions in the Youth Council motions relating to the development of the digital sector in the town, the review of apprenticeships across Oldham and offering of digital apprenticeships by the Council.
Thursday, 24 th September 2020 (Joint meeting with Overview and Scrutiny Performance and Value for Money Select Committee and Health Scrutiny Committee)	Covid-19 – Scrutiny Briefing	To provide an update on the local response to the Covid-19 pandemic and allow scrutiny Members to ask questions relating to that response.	RESOLVED that: 1. The information provided be noted. 2. The questions and responses provided be noted.
Tuesday, 20 th October 2020	Get Oldham Working and Career Advancement Services (Work and Skills Strategy)	Update on the strategy	RESOLVED that: 1. The update be noted. 2. The recovery plan to be put in place for the next twelve months be brought to the Board for review. 3. The revised Strategy be brought to the Board. The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.
	Impact of Covid 19 on Unemployment, Including Young People and Care Leavers		RESOLVED that: 1. The update be noted. 2. The update on the Covid-19 recovery plan be brought to the Board at the earliest opportunity. The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.

	Community Safety and Cohesion Partnership	Policy Update	RESOLVED that: 1. The update be noted. 2. Once the draft plan had been put together, it would be circulated to Board Members for their comments.
	Update on Northern Roots	Update on Project	RESOLVED that: 1. The appointment of further Independent Directors be noted. 2. The appointment of an Independent Director as Chair be recommended. 3. An update be provided to the Board when charitable status was established. 4. The update be noted. The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.
	Salary Sacrifice Cycle to Work Scheme	Update on salary scheme	RESOLVED that: 1. The update be noted. 2. HR be requested to provide information on the timeline for the payroll system to be circulated to the Board.
	'Let's All Do Our Bit to Tackle Litter'	Council Motion Update	RESOLVED that: 1. The information contained in the report be noted. 2. The update as provided in the report be included in the next Council action update. 3. An update be received when available from Environmental Services related to Charity Bins.
	Amendment to United Nations Sustainable Development Goals	Council Motion Update	RESOLVED that the inclusion of the Amendment to the report not be agreed or commended to Council.
Thursday, 5 th November 2020	Greater Manchester Spatial Framework	Consultation on the proposed Spatial Framework	RESOLVED that: The following be recommended to Cabinet: 1. That the GMSF: Publication draft 2020, including site allocations and green belt boundary amendments, and reference to the potential use of compulsory purchase powers to assist with site assembly and the

			<p>supporting background documents, for publication pursuant to Regulation 19 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 for a period for representations between 1 December 2020 and 26 January 2021 be approved.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. That the GMSF: Publication Draft 2020 be approved for submission to the Secretary of State for examination following the period for representations. 3. That delegation to Director of Economy authority to approve the relevant Statement of Common Ground(s) required pursuant to the National Planning Policy Framework 2018 be approved. 4. That delegation to the Greater Manchester Lead Chief Executive, Housing, Homelessness and Infrastructure, in consultation with Salford City Mayor, Paul Dennett the Portfolio Leader for Housing, Homelessness and Infrastructure to make minor or non-material amendments to the GMSF: Publication Draft 2020 and background documents prior to their publication be approved.
	GM2040 Transport Strategy	Update on matters related to the Strategy	<p>RESOLVED that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. It be noted that on the 9th November 2020, the Cabinet would be recommended to endorse the refreshed Greater Manchester Transport Strategy and the final version of Our Five-Year Delivery Plan for approval by GMCA and publication in December 2020, alongside Greater Manchester’s Plan for Homes, Jobs and the Environment (GMSF), subject to the correction of a small number of errors identified in Appendix D. 2. It be noted that on, 9th November 2020 the Cabinet would be recommended to approve the Oldham Local Implementation Plan for publication as an appendix to Our Five-Year Deliver Plan, acknowledging that this was a ‘live’ document and would be subject to regular review and update as appropriate. 3. It be noted that, on the 9th November 2020, the Cabinet would be recommended to delegate authority to the Leader and the Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods and Culture to approve future updates of the Oldham Local Implementation Plan. 4. An update be brought to the Board in six months. <p>The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.</p>

Tuesday, 1 st December 2020	Green New Deal Strategy and Generation Oldham	Update on the action plan and scheme	<p>RESOLVED that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The progress of a wide range of initiatives under the Oldham Green New Deal programme, despite the challenge of Covid-19, be noted. 2. The recognition of Oldham's pioneering Green New Deal approach be noted 3. The evolving approach to meeting the Council 2025 and Borough 2030 carbon neutrality targets be noted. 4. The range of funding streams being made available by the Government to support the low carbon transition be noted. 5. The payment of capital and interest by Oldham Community Power to its members, approved at the 2020 Annual General Meeting and the integration of its approach to a Phase 2 into wider community level Green New Deal initiatives be noted. 6. A further update on the Strategy and Funding be provide to the Overview and Scrutiny Board in March 2021. <p>The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.</p>
	Youth Justice Plan	Annual Report	<p>RESOLVED that the update and information provided on the Youth Justice Plan be noted.</p>
	Youth Offer	An update on the Council's Youth Offer	<p>RESOLVED that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The update and information provided on the Youth Offer be noted. 2. A meeting be organised for the Overview and Scrutiny Board members to meet with the Youth Council, Cabinet member and Head of the Youth Service to discuss how the Board could provide support.
	Opportunity Area Funding	Update on the Funds	<p>RESOLVED that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The update and information provided on the Opportunity Area Funding be noted. 2. A further update on the programme be provided to Overview and Scrutiny in September 2021. <p>The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.</p>

	Local Plan: Issues and Options	Update	RESOLVED that the information related to the Local Plan Issues and Options be noted.
Tuesday, 19 th January 2021	Covid-19 Recovery Plan	Consultation on the draft Plan	RESOLVED that: 1. The update and information provided on the Covid-19 Recovery Plan be noted. 2. A further update on the Recovery Plan be provided to Overview and Scrutiny in March 2021. The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.
	Homelessness Strategy 2021	Review of Strategy	RESOLVED that: 1. The update and information provided on the Homelessness Strategy 2021 be noted. 2. Questions from Members to be sent to Constitutional Services on the strategy by the end of the week. 3. A further update on the strategy be provided to Overview and Scrutiny at a future meeting. The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.
	Poverty	Report on an issue considered via a Board Task and Finish Group	RESOLVED that: 1. The presentation be noted. 2. The report be referred to Cabinet.
	Northern Care Alliance NHS Group - Employment Support and Local Recruitment		RESOLVED that: 1. The report be noted. 2. A future update be brought to the Board in May 2021. The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.
	Corporate Complaints Policy and the	Consultation on the reviews of the Policies	RESOLVED that the policies be endorsed by the Overview and Scrutiny Board.

	Unreasonable Behaviour Policy		
Tuesday, 9 th March 2021	GM Clean Air Plan	Update on development of the Plan	RESOLVED that the report be noted.
	Licensing Policy	Consultation on the review of the Policy	RESOLVED that <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. the report be noted; 2. subject to a consideration by the Trading Standards and Licensing Manager as to content relating to the provision of or signposting to training and to the display of certification or confirmation of training provided as discussed by the Committee, and the inclusion of content related to the proposed Protect duty, the adoption of the proposed Statement of Licensing Policy by the Council be endorsed
	Place Based Model	Update on development of the Place Based Model	RESOLVED that <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. the update on the development of the Place Based Model be noted; 2. a further update be provided in 12 months time <p>The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.</p>
	Thriving Communities	Update on the Programme	RESOLVED that <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. the progress made with delivery of the Thriving Communities programme to date and the proposal to bring the Programme together with the wider Communities strand of the Council's transformation programme be noted; 2. the Board receive the final Thriving Communities Programme evaluation report in March 2022. <p>The item to be included in the appropriate Committee work programme for 2021/22.</p>