

Resources and Corporate Performance Scrutiny Committee action tracker 2022/ 2023

Meeting Date	Item	Action	Action by	Status
18 July 2022	CORPORATE PERFORMANCE REPORT QUARTER 4/END OF YEAR 2021-22	Concerned with the recent spike in positive COVID-19 cases, a Member asked whether Camden were replenishing stock of COVID-19 tests for staff. The Executive Director said that he would need to come back with a confirmed answer but tests were available for frontline staff.	The Executive Director Corporate Services	Camden is no longer supplied COVID-19 tests by central government. We still hold a supply of tests and these are available for frontline services and targeted to staff who work with our more vulnerable residents.
		Replying to a question about the purchasing of energy requirements, the Executive Director said Camden were unable to purchase energy requirements all at once and would bring the committee longer briefing after engaging with energy procurement consultants.	The Executive Director Corporate Services	Completed – a report on energy procurement came to the Committee as part of the November agenda
		A member asked a question in relation to the strategy around leisure facilities, the Executive Director said that leisure facilities sits within the remit of the Executive Director Supporting	The Executive Director Corporate Services and the Executive Director	The Executive Director Supporting Communities has been asked to provide an update to the Committee

		Communities so he would go to them to provide an update.	Supporting Communities	
	2022/23 UPDATE ON THE COUNCIL'S MEDIUM TERM FINANCIAL POSITION	Members asked if they could be given information on high, low and medium financial forecasts in more granularity.	The Head of Finance, Corporate Services	Completed – a briefing has been sent to Committee Members
	WORK PROGRAMME 2022/23	Members asked that the following be added to the work programme: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communicating with diverse communities and changes to Council contact systems. • The Cabinet Member response to the Community Investment Programme Scrutiny Panel. • An update on the Camden Green Bond. 	The Head of Corporate Strategy	Completed – these have been added to the Forward Plan for the Committee
		Members asked if the Chalcots settlement would be able to come to the Committee. They recognised it might be challenging due to the legal sensitivity of the settlement. The Executive director Corporate Services questioned whether this would be a topic that fell within the remit of the Resources and Corporate Performance Committee. He said he would	The Head of Corporate Strategy	Completed - The Borough Solicitor has provided advice on this to the Chair

		need to consult the Borough Solicitor for a legal response.		
		A Member asked if the performance of strategic partners and partnerships could be quantified more in reports so the success of them could be gauged.	The Head of Corporate Strategy	This will be addressed in an update to the Committee on We Make Camden activity
6 September 2022	BUSINESS RATES - RISKS AND CHALLENGES	The Director of Customer Services agreed to analyse the current financial risks to the hospitality sector in the borough.	The Director of Customer Services	The Director of Customer Services has shared a briefing with the committee.
	CAMDEN'S COMMUNITY INVESTMENT PROGRAMME: FUTURE STRATEGY	It was confirmed by officers there were no plans to consult with DMCs. Officers confirmed they would review options to involve DMCs in the CIP process.	The Director of Development	CIP consults widely with residents, local businesses and stakeholders. CIP presentations and reports have been taken to DMCs and DMCs can request further attendance in the future.
	WORK PROGRAMME 2022/23	A Member expressed interest in establishing a scrutiny panel themed on customer contracts. It was confirmed that officers would outline the process of setting up a scrutiny panel.	The Head of Corporate Strategy	Complete – information on establishing a scrutiny panel has been communicated to the Committee Members

12 December 2022	COUNCIL TAX SUPPORT 2023/2024	Officers agreed to circulate a demographic breakdown of Council Tax reduction by ward	Head of Council Tax, Business Rates, and Benefits	Complete – demographic breakdown by ward has been sent to Committee Services
	LONDON BOROUGH OF CAMDEN ANNUAL COMPLAINTS REPORT 2021/2022	Officers agreed to send the Committee a breakdown of service areas in which stage 2 complaints were upheld	Service Manager – Business Support	Complete
16 January 2023	COMMUNITY INVESTMENT PROGRAMME (CIP) – RESPONSE TO SCRUTINY PANEL RECOMMENDATIONS	Officers agreed to look at linking the CIP annual report more clearly in the CIP part of the website	Director of Development	Complete – the CIP Annual Report is accessible from www.cip.camden.gov.uk/facts-and-figures
	WORK PROGRAMME 2022/23	Officers agreed to circulate a briefing on LASER	Executive Director of Corporate Resources	The committee has agreed to receive an update at an appropriate point in the procurement process
21 February 2023	IMPROVING THE CITIZEN EXPERIENCE	Circulate information on the offer for members of the Committee to speak with the Strategy and Design Team for them to share insights into the resident journey within the Contact Centre	Director of Customer Services	Complete
	WORK PROGRAMME	Include reports on LASER and the Digital Strategy in the Committee's Work Programme	Head of Corporate Strategy	Complete