

Stronger Communities Select Committee

Work Programme 2022/23

Chairman: Cllr J Lea

Stronger Communities Corporate Programme Alignment focuses on People living longer, healthier and independent lives; Adult and Children were supported in times of need; and People and Communities achieve their potential.

No.	Item	Meeting	Progress and Comments		Owner (Officer)	Programme of Meetings
12 July 2022						
1.	Overarching Housing Strategy		EFDC's current Housing Strategy reaches end of life in March 2022. A revised strategy will need to be taken through governance structure ahead of formal adoption in August 2022.	Completed	J. Gould	July
		July 22	Considering the draft Strategy and make recommendations to Cabinet.			
2.	Sheltered Housing Refurbishment Programme	July 2022	Review of Frank Bretton Court and further recommendations.		D Fenton	
3.	Changing Landscape of Housing Paper 1 – Building Safety Bill & Fire Safety Bill & H&S Analysis	July 2022	To review the report on the new social housing regulation		D. Fenton	
4.	Cash paying customers at Debden Broadway	July 2022	To consider the report		S. Lewis	
5.	Transfer of services from the Broadway Housing Office	July 2022	To consider the proposed closure and re-provision of the service	D. Fenton		
20 September 2022						
6.	"What are our customers telling us?" and the		Update reporting on a 6-month basis		S. Lewis	September

	Customer Services Strategy			Completed		
7.	Six-month report on the work of the Council-funded Police Officers		Six-month update report		C. Wiggins	
8.	Sheltered Housing rebrand and support model		Introduction and approval to progress to Cabinet.		D. Fenton	
9.	Harveyfields		Report on the impact of the estate improvements at Harveyfields, Waltham Abbey. Creating great places where people want to live	Completed	R. Smith	
15 November 2022						
10.	Annual Lettings Report		To scrutinise allocations and lettings performance for 21/22	Completed	J. Gould	
11.	Domestic Abuse Act	An item to be placed in the members Bulletin	A briefing to members on the Act and the Strategy and impact on EFDC.		J Gould/C Wiggins	
12.	Museum collection rationalisation programme		To scrutinise the rationalisation programme of work that is reducing and consolidating the museum collection		J. Gould / F. Pellegrino	
13.	Epping Forest Health & Wellbeing Strategy 2022-2026		To be refreshed.		G Wallis	
17 January 2023 – Meeting cancelled (All items moved to 21 March 2023)						

2 March 2023						
14.	Community Safety Partnership annual report and review of the district Strategic Intelligence Assessment	2 March 2023	Annual Report		C. Wiggins	March
15.	Presentation from the District Commander for Epping Forest and Brentwood	2 March 2023	Annual report		C. Wiggins	
16.	Domestic Abuse Workplace Policies	2 March 2023			C. Wiggins	
21 March 2023						
17.	“What are our customers telling us?” and the Customer Services Strategy	21 March 2023	Update reporting on a 6-month basis		S. Lewis	March
18.	HRA Business Plan		Yearly Performance update		P. Wharfe	
19.	Resident Involvement Strategy	Moved due to further consultation /information sessions required.	Introduction and approval to progress to Cabinet.		P. Wharfe	
Next Municipal Year 2023/24						
20.	Tenant Satisfaction Measures Consultation				P. Wharfe	
21.	Review of caretaking in blocks		To review the proposal. (Links to TSM, residents will rate the cleaning in blocks)		P. Wharfe	
22.	Annual Housing performance report		Report on annual housing KPI's including compliance around the Building Safety Act.		P. Wharfe	
Date to be confirmed						

23.	O&S (3.11.22) Older Persons Services – To establish whether this should be an update in the members bulletin or whether this should be referred to the Committee for inclusion and a report to follow 2023/24.			D Pegler	
24.	That the Committee determines whether quantitative KPI performance data for housing repairs should be added to the work programme; (O&S 17.11.22)			P Wharfe	
25.	Customer Services (Overall satisfaction)		To receive a recovery plan on this failing KPI. This will be reported via O&S with the KPI's.	S Lewis	
26.	Unaffordable rents	Completed	To report on the numbers of social rents and affordable rents for properties being built under the Council Housebuilding programme and those being bought under right to buy receipts. (O&S 12.10.21)	completed	J. Gould/ D Fenton Verbal report at O&S 16.06.22 and written report attached to the minutes