Cabinet



Date of meeting: 14 August 2023

Title of Report: 100 Days of Action

Lead Member: Councillor Jemima Laing (Deputy Leader, Cabinet Member for

Children's Social Care, Culture, Events & Communications)

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Your Reference: 10023.140823

Key Decision: No

Confidentiality: Part I - Official

Purpose of Report

The 26 August 2023 will mark the end of the first 100 days of the new Labour administration. Changes are underway here in Plymouth as the Leader and Cabinet Members have come together with officers and partners to address the areas which are so important to the people who live and work in the city.

This report identifies the key activities which have been rolled out in the administration's first 81 days in power, and which are already improving the lives of residents.

Priorities

The Cabinet have identified six priority areas which will be delivered as a part of the Corporate Plan and have highlighted the importance of retaining a focus in all of our activities on Plymouth being a great place to grow up and grow old, and on minimising the impact of the cost of living crisis.

- Working with the Police to tackle crime and anti-social behaviour
- Fewer potholes, cleaner, greener streets and transport
- Build more homes for social rent and affordable ownership
- Green investment, jobs, skills and better education
- Working with the NHS to provide better access to health, care and dentistry
- Keeping children, adults and communities safe

The Corporate Plan also reflects the Council's focus not just on what it delivers, but also on the approach to delivery. The management of quality and performance, alongside value for money and good stewardship of public assets are highlighted as essential. The relationship with both our staff and our communities is a key measure of an effective Council, as is recognising the importance of prevention and early intervention in achieving positive change. The Council's ability to properly represent its communities both locally and nationally is also recognised.

Recommendations and Reasons

That Cabinet -

I. Agree to note the report

Alternative options considered and rejected

None – This report was produced to provide an update to Cabinet on the work undertaken.

Relevance to the Corporate Plan and/or the Plymouth Plan

Actions detailed within the report are aligned with the priorities set out in the Corporate Plan 2023-26 and illustrates the new administration's ambitions for the City and the Council.

Implications for the Medium Term Financial Plan and Resource Implications:

None as a result of this report.

Financial Risks

None as a result of this report.

Carbon Footprint (Environmental) Implications:

None as a result of this report.

Other Implications: e.g. Health and Safety, Risk Management, Child Poverty:

Key strategies, procedures and plans relating to health and safety, risk management and child poverty will be updated where necessary to reflect any relevant revisions to the Corporate Plan.

None as a result of this report.

Appendices

*Add rows as required to box below

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Background papers:

Please list all unpublished, background papers relevant to the decision in the table below. Background papers are <u>unpublished</u> works, relied on to a material extent in preparing the report, which disclose facts or matters on which the report or an important part of the work is based.

^{*} When considering these proposals members have a responsibility to ensure they give due regard to the Council's duty to promote equality of opportunity, eliminate unlawful discrimination and promote good relations between people who share protected characteristics under the Equalities Act and those who do not.

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Originating Senior Leadership Team member: Tracey Lee (Chief Executive)

Please confirm the Strategic Director(s) has agreed the report? Yes

Date agreed: 09/08/2023

Cabinet Member approval: Cllr Jemima Laing (Deputy Leader, Cabinet Member for Children's

Social Care, Culture, Events & Communications) approved via email

Date approved: 09/08/2023