

# Report to the Health and Public Protection Policy Development and Review Panel

Date 30 May 2017

Report of: Director of Planning and Regulation

Subject: REVIEW OF WORK PROGRAMME 2017/18

#### **SUMMARY**

At its meeting on 07 March 2017, the Health and Public Protection Policy Development and Review Panel agreed to a draft Work Programme for 2017/18. This programme was subsequently submitted to and endorsed by Council on 27 April 2017.

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Panel is now invited to review the Work Programme for the year 2017/18.

#### INTRODUCTION

- 1. At the last meeting of the Panel, on 07 March 2017, members agreed a Work Programme for 2017/18 which was submitted to the Council at its meeting on 27 April 2017. The Work Programme is attached as Appendix A to this report.
- 2. The progress on actions since the last meeting of the Panel is attached at Appendix B, for information.

#### **REVISIONS TO THE WORK PROGRAMME 2017/18**

- 3. Members are asked to note the following amendments to the 2017/18 Work Programme:
  - the renaming of the Panel as the Health and Public Protection Policy Development and Review Panel following the announcement made at annual Council on 11 May 2017 that responsibility for Health related matters will now fall under the remit of the Health and Public Protection portfolio; and
  - ii. the inclusion of a Health Update agenda item to all scheduled meetings of this panel.
  - iii. the postponement of the Update on the Fareham Town Centre Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) agenda item from the July meeting to the September meeting in order that there can be a full and proper report on the implementation of the PSPO and its impact over the summer months.

#### **RISK ASSESSMENT**

5. There are no significant risk considerations in relation to this report

#### CONCLUSION

- 6. The Panel is now invited to:-
  - (i). Confirm the programme of items as set out in Appendix A; and
  - (ii). Note the progress on actions since the last meeting as set out in Appendix B.

#### **Appendices**

Appendix A: Health and Public Protection PDR Work Programme 2017/18

Appendix B: Progress on actions since last meeting

#### **Background Papers:**

None

#### **Reference Papers:**

None

## **Enquiries:**

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Date	Subject
30 May 2017	Police Crime Panel Update
	Annual Update on Fareham & Gosport Environmental Health Partnership
	Health Update
	Review of Work Programme 2017/18
25 July 2017	Police Crime Panel Update
	Annual Report on Fareham Parking Enforcement Service
	Biennial Review of Fareham's Parking Enforcement Policy
	Health Update
	Review of Work Programme 2017/18
12 September 2017	Police Crime Panel Update
	Health Update
	Fareham Town Centre Public Spaces Protection Order - Update
	Review of Work Programme 2017/18
14 November 2017	Presentation by Hampshire Police
	Police Crime Panel Update
	Health Update
	Annual Health & Safety Performance 2016/17
	Review of Work Programme 2017/18
16 January 2018	Police Crime Panel Update
	Health Update
	Emergency Planning Update
	Preliminary review of Work Programme for 2017/18 and preliminary draft Work Programme for 2018/19
06 March 2018	Police Crime Panel
	Health Update
	Annual Update on Fareham Community Safety Partnership & Police Crime Panel
	Annual Update on Fareham Air Quality Action Plan
	Final Review of Work Programme for 2017/18 and draft Work Programme for 2018/19

### Health and Public Protection Policy Development and Review Panel – 07 March 2017 Progress on Actions Since Last Meeting of 2015/16

Date of				
Meeting Subject	Air Quality Action Plan Undata			
•	Air Quality Action Plan Update			
Type of Item	Report			
Action by Panel	The Panel considered a report by the Director of Planning and Regulation on Air Quality in the Borough which gave an update on the Air Quality Action Plan.			
	At the invitation of the Chairman, Councillor Cartwright, the Executive Member for Public Protection, addressed the Panel on this item.			
	In addition to the information provided in the report, Members were advised that whilst District Councils have responsibilities in respect of Air Quality, they have no control over the local road network that is the pre-dominant cause of exceedances of Air Quality targets. It was discussed and agreed that once the government has published the new Air Quality Action Plan for the UK and it is clearer what action Fareham needs to take in respect of Air Quality, it may be worth considering the possibility of re-establishing the Air Quality Steering Group to enable multi agency collaboration in tackling air quality issues in the Borough.			
	Members commented that the report provided was extremely informative and, given that Air Quality is such a topical issue at the moment, it would be useful to make the report available to all Members of the Council.			
	Members enquired whether the extended Air Quality Management Area outlined in Appendix C of the report encompasses Redlands Lane school. The Head of Environmental Health agreed to check whether this is the case and report back.			
	The Panel requested that information be made available regarding usage rates of the two electric vehicle charging points that have been installed in the Borough. The Head of Environmental Health agreed to provide a verbal update on this at the next meeting.			
	It was AGREED that the Panel notes:			

	(a) the content of the report and the progress that has been made to date in respect of Local Air Quality Management; and			
	(b) that a report will be presented to the Executive regarding the new UK Air Quality Action Plan and its implications to Fareham when more detail about it is known.			
Outcome	Report to be presented to the Executive regarding the new UK Air Quality Action Plan and its implications to Fareham when more detail about it is known.			
Link Officer	Ian Rickman			
Subject	Annual Update on Fareham Community Safety Partnership & Police Crime Panel			
Type of Item	Report			
Action by Panel	The Panel considered a report by the Director of Planning and Regulation which gave an overview of the work undertaken by Fareham's Community Safety Partnership and provided an update on the Partnership's performance to date.			
	At the invitation of the Chairman, Council T M Cartwright addressed the Panel on this item.			
	Members commented on the very successful Community Safety initiatives that take place across the Borough and commended the excellent work of the Partnership Action Group.			
	Councillor Cartwright reported on Hampshire Constabulary's HMIC Inspection. It is part three of their 2016 PEEL Inspection process. For the previous two (efficiency and legitimacy) Hampshire Constabulary was graded as 'good'. This one focuses on effectiveness and was conducted in Autumn 2016, just prior to the Joint Inspection (JTAI) conducted in Hampshire on Domestic Abuse. The report talks a lot about the positive work Hampshire Constabulary is doing in terms of its commitment to neighbourhood policing, taking on organised criminals, and a good response to tackling anti-social behaviour. Hampshire Constabulary are also pleased that their officers are listening to the views of victims and that 'without exception' their staff and officers have good knowledge of vulnerability including child sexual exploitation, modern slavery and domestic abuse. Areas for improvement focus on the Force's response to domestic abuse. Councillor Cartwright advised that the Chief Inspector is already taking steps to improve performance in this area.			
	Councillor Cartwright also provided a brief update on the Police Crime Panel, advising that the Delivery Plan has now been received by the Panel but, disappointingly, it does not provide any clarity on how achievements will be measured. The Police Crime Commissioner has now agreed the precept for this year which has been increased due to a reduction in government funding. The Finance Working Group will probe what the additional money will be spent on.			

	It was AGREED that the Panel note the performance and progress made by Fareham's Community Safety Partnership and the risks and challenges it faces in the future.			
Outcome	complete			
Link Officer	Narinder Bains			
Subject	Final review of annual Work Programme for 2016/17 and final consideration of draft Work Programme for 2017/18			
Type of Item	Report			
Action by Panel	The Panel considered a report by the Director of Planning and Regulation which gave a final review of the Work Programme for 2016/17 and the draft Work Programme for 2017/18.			
	The Director of Planning and Regulation drew the Panel's attention to Appendix C of the report which sets out details of the proposed items for consideration during 2017/18. Members requested that an update regarding the recently implemented Public Spaces Protection Order be added to the July meeting of the Work Programme.			
	It was AGREED that Members:-			
	(a) reviewed the Panel's Work Programme for the current year 2016/17;			
	(b) agreed a proposed Work Programme for 2017/18, subject to the inclusion of an update on the recently implemented Public Spaces Protection Order at the July 2017 meeting; and			
	(c) submit the proposed Work Programme for 2017/18 to the Council for endorsement.			
Outcome	Agreed Draft Work Programme 2017/18 to be endorsed by Council on 27 April 2017			
Link Officer	Richard Jolley			