Middlesbrough Council



AGENDA ITEM: 7

HEALTH SCRUTINY PANEL

7 SEPTEMBER 2005

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD UPDATE

PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1. To ensure that Members are aware of what took place at the Special Overview and Scrutiny Board on 3 August and the Overview and Scrutiny Board that took place on 9 August 2005.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LAST OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD

2. The following matters were discussed and considered necessary to feed back to the Panel.

Special OSB – 3 August

AGENDA ITEM TITLE	ACTION/COMMENTARY
Building Sustainable Communities – Inner	That the Executive should not be asked to re-consider the decisions taken at the meeting
Middlesbrough – Call in	held on 20 July 2005.
	That the observations of the Board as outlined be referred to the Executive.
	 That the Executive be asked to consider: the mechanisms for consultation and community engagement; that in the event of the bid being accepted and the scheme proceeding ensure that more detailed support and information be provided on the options available to assist those persons affected by the proposals; that the details of implementation including consultation mechanisms be presented to the Economic Regeneration and Scrutiny Panel.

Overview and Scrutiny Board – 9 August

AGENDA ITEM TITLE	ACTION/COMMENTARY
2004/05 4 th Quarter Revenue Budget	That the information provided be noted.
Out Turn	·
	That further detailed information be submitted
	in respect of the Streetscene outturn variances
	from budget.
2004.05 4 th Quarter Capital Budget	That the information contained with the report
Out-turn	was noted.
2004/05 Consolidated Performance	Overall performance is satisfactory with 62%
Report	of the BVPIs showing an improvement or
	remaining the same when compared to last
	years performance.
	That the information contained with the report was noted.
Audit Commission Comprehensive	The OSB were presented with the Corporate
Performance Assessment –	Assessment Report and were asked to
Corporate Assessment Report and	comment on the improvement plan.
Improvement Plan	That the information contained with the report
	was noted.
Audit Commission Report – LSP	The OSB were asked to consider the Action
Governance Arrangements	Plan which was developed in response to the
	Audit Commission's report into the LSP
	Governance arrangements.
	That the information contained with the report
	was noted.
Final Report of the Community Safety	The final report will be submitted to the next
and Leisure Scrutiny Panel – Active	appropriate Executive along with the service
Intelligence Mapping Executive's Forward Work	response. That the information contained with the report
Programme	was noted.
Scrutiny Review – Implementation of	That the information contained with the report
Recommendations Update	was noted.
Consideration of a Request for a	In a report of the Senior Scrutiny Officer
Scrutiny Review from a Member of	details were submitted of a request from a
the Public	member of the public for a scrutiny review in
	relation to concessionary bus fares for persons
	under 18 years old.
	It was agreed that the request be referred to
	the Head of Transport and Design Services
	with a view to exploring the feasibility of the
	request with the bus companies and that the applicant be advised accordingly.
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BACKGROUND PAPERS

The following background papers were used in the preparation of this report:-

(i) The agenda papers of the Overview and Scrutiny Board meetings of 3 August and 9 August 2005.

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