

PREVENTING HOMELESSNESS TASK GROUP

Relevant Portfolio Holder	Councillor Kit Taylor
Portfolio Holder Consulted	Councillor Taylor was consulted during the review.
Relevant Head of Service for Overview and Scrutiny	Claire Felton – Head of Legal, Equalities and Democratic Services
Ward Councillor Consulted	All Ward Councillors were invited to join the Task Group.
Non-Key Decision	

1. SUMMARY OF PROPOSALS

The purpose of this report is to allow Cabinet to consider the findings and recommendations of the attached Overview and Scrutiny Board report.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 The Cabinet is requested to:

- (a) consider the attached Overview and Scrutiny Board report (Appendix 1) and the recommendations contained within it;**
- (b) to either agree, amend or reject each of the recommendations contained in the report;**
- (c) provide an Executive Response to the Overview and Scrutiny Board report and recommendations, which may include an Action Plan to summarise how and when each of the agreed recommendations will be implemented.**
- (d) request the relevant Portfolio Holder in consultation with appropriate officers to indicate the expected implementation dates, as appropriate.**

3. KEY ISSUES

Financial Implications

- 3.1 The estimated Financial and Resource implications of the recommendations are detailed in the Summary of Recommendations of the appended report.

Legal Implications

- 3.2 These are detailed within the attached report.

Service/Operation Implications

- 3.3 The Overview and Scrutiny board agreed to launch a short sharp review of Homelessness in Bromsgrove. At the agreement of the Board the timescale of the Group was extended and the title amended to Preventing Homelessness in Bromsgrove Task Group.
- 3.4 Full details of the Task Group's investigations are detailed in the attached report.
- 3.5 The report and recommendations were agreed by the Overview and Scrutiny Board at its meeting on 19th September 2016 and referred to Cabinet for consideration.

Customer / Equalities and Diversity Implications

- 3.6 N/A

4. RISK MANAGEMENT

N/A

5. APPENDICES

Appendix 1 – Preventing Homelessness Task Group final report

6. BACKGROUND PAPERS

See attached report for details.

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