BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL / REDDITCH BOROUGH COUNCIL

Cabinet 31st March

2021

Equalities Task Group Final Report

| Relevant Portfolio Holder | | Councillor G Denaro | | |
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| Portfolio Holder Consulted | | No | | |
| Relevant Head of Service | | Head of Transformation, | | |
| | | Organisational Development & Digital | | |
| | | Strategy | | |
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| Wards Affected | | All | | |
| Ward Councillor(s) consulted | | No | | |
| Relevant Strategic Purpose(s) | | An Effective and Sustainable Council | | |
| Non-Key Decision | | | | |
| If you have any questions about this report, please contact the report author in | | | | |
| advance of the meeting. | | | | |

1. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

The Cabinet is asked to RESOLVE that:-

(a) the report and the recommendations attached at Appendix 1 be approved;

2. BACKGROUND

3. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 Any financial implications are detailed within the main body of the report.

4. **LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

4.1 Any legal implications are detailed within the main body of the report.

5. <u>STRATEGIC PURPOSES - IMPLICATIONS</u>

Relevant Strategic Purpose

5.1 This report would come under An Effective and Sustainable Council, which relates to all things corporate.

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Climate Change Implications

5.2 There are no Climate Change Implications arising from this report.

6. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

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Equalities and Diversity Implications

6.1 The Policy Team have been involved in the Task Group and are aware of the recommendations arising from the final report.

Operational Implications

6.2 There would be some resource implications arising from approval of the recommendations which have been highlighted to the relevant Head of Service.

7. RISK MANAGEMENT

7.1 Overview and scrutiny is a key part of the Council's democratic decision making process and enables non-executive Members of the Council to put forward recommendations for policy development, policy review and service improvement.

8. <u>APPENDICES and BACKGROUND PAPERS</u>

Appendix 1 – Equalities Task Group Report

(Background papers are listed within the main report.)

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9. REPORT SIGN OFF

| Department | Name and Job Title | Date |
|---|--|---------------|
| Portfolio Holder | Portfolio Holder for Finance and Enabling is aware of the report. | February 2021 |
| Lead Director / Head of Service | Head of Business Transformation, Organisational Development and Digital Strategy | January 2021 |
| Financial Services | No direct financial implications | |
| Legal Services | Rachel Martin – Team Leader, Contracts & Commercial | January 2021 |
| Policy Team (if equalities implications apply) | Rebecca Green – Policy Manager | January 2021 |
| Climate Change Officer (if climate change implications apply) | N/A | |