

Meeting: Overview and Scrutiny Committee

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Title: Report of the Community Engagement Sub-group

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Service: Governance Services

Directorate: Law and Governance

Wards affected: All

1. Purpose of Report

To introduce the report of the Community Engagement Sub-group.

2. Recommendations

The Committee are recommended to agree the report and refer it to Cabinet for consideration at its meeting on 14 October 2013.

3. Details

- 3.1 The Community Engagement Sub-group was established by Overview and Scrutiny Committee at its meeting in July 2013. The remit of the group was to contribute to the development of a new community engagement strategy that would replace area forums with a more ward-based approach to engagement.
- 3.2 The group met on a total of 5 occasions and identified a total of 11 recommendations for referral to Cabinet. A summary of recommendations can be found at Appendix A to the report.
- 3.3 The Overview and Scrutiny Committee is asked to agree the report and refer it to Cabinet for consideration.

4. Appendices (if any)

Appendix A – Report of the Community Engagement Sub-group