


Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee: Holding the Executive to Account

Scrutiny Monitoring – 12 October 2023

Date	Portfolio	Title	Action proposed	Action Taken	Progress Status
14/09/23	Adults, Health & Housing	Holcroft House Options	1) That, for the Cabinet meeting on 19 September, clarity is provided around the specific works that have been identified as being required that have necessitated the increase in both the costs of the project and the timescales involved.		
			2) That the questions raised by Unite relating to Holcroft House are circulated to the Committee.	Circulated by Scrutiny Manager – 15/09/23	Completed
			3) That the Committee are provided with written clarification with regards to the suggestion that resources may have been transferred from the Holcroft House budget to support the maintenance of the Glen Lee building.		
			4) That the Committee are provided with an audit trail of the decision made by the Cabinet Member to halt the fire safety remediation works in January 2023. The audit trail should include the forum for the decision, and how the decision was made.		
14/09/23	Environment & Transport	Draft Climate Change Strategy	1) That, to improve understanding and potentially raise revenue, consideration is given to offering Carbon Literacy Training to Green City Charter partners.	The current training programme has a council focus therefore would be unsuitable for businesses in its current form, however we will continue to develop the training programme and will seek opportunities in the future to add value by disseminating to a wider audience. The Economic Development team are currently running training specifically targeting local SMEs (Net Zero	Completed

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				<p>360) Net Zero 360 SBSS (evolutive.co.uk)</p> 	
			<p>2) That, to change behaviours, consideration is given to opportunities to discuss sustainable transport options with religious leaders in the city.</p>	<p>The Sustainable Transport team have previously undertaken small scale funded projects working with certain demographics – for example engagement with Muslim women to develop cycle skills sessions that meet their needs. However, this has been more cultural considerations not solely religious ones.</p> <p>The team agree that the idea of engaging with travel behaviours through religious leaders is a sound one, for example through working on sustainable travel plans through the Eco Church network. As part of their future Communities Programme, they will explore opportunities to engage with these communities, including funding and resource options.</p>	<p>Completed</p>