

Harrow Strategic Partnership Board

CPA Report

14th June 2007

The HSP Board is asked to receive:

The Executive Summary of the Comprehensive Performance Assessment report

Background

- 1. The Council and its Partnership activities have been the subject of a Comprehensive Performance Assessment. The final report has now been published and is available on the Audit Commission's and the Council's websites.
- 2. The report identifies the strength of the strategic partnership and the other less formal partnership relationships. Within the areas for improvement, there is reference to the need to identify clearly the key issues that are most important in delivering longer-term ambitions and this is, in part, being undertaken by the Management Groups working up delivery plans for the Sustainable Community Plan's medium –term ambitions. The report does, however, find a lack of clarity in the longer-term vision for Harrow, which it suggests is not distinctive or building on the areas special characteristics.
- 3. The Executive Summary of the report is attached and the full report is available electronically.

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