REPORT FOR: CABINET

Date of Meeting: 15 December 2011

Subject: Strategic Performance Report (Q2)

Key Decision: No

Responsible Officer: Tom Whiting, Assistant Chief

Executive

Portfolio Holder: Councillor Graham Henson, Portfolio

Holder for Performance, Customer Services and Corporate Services

Exempt: No

Decision subject to

Call-in:

Yes

Enclosures: Appendix 1 – Strategic Performance

Report

Section 1 – Summary and Recommendations

This report summarises Council and service performance against key measures and draws attention to areas requiring action.

Recommendations:

- 1. Cabinet is asked to agree that one aspect of Priority Action 2.1, "Roll out a Tenants' Charter for Housing" is deferred until 2012/13.
- 2. Portfolio Holders to continue working with officers to achieve improvement against identified key challenges;
- 3. Cabinet is requested to note the report and identify any changes it wishes to see in future reports.



Reasons: (For recommendation)

1: Given the numerous changes in housing policy currently being explored and consulted upon it makes sense to delay production of the tenants' charter until decisions are made. This will mean the roll out will not commence until 2012/13 not in 2011/12 as per the current priority action.

2&3: To enable Cabinet to be informed of performance against key measures and to identify and assign corrective action where necessary.

Section 2 - Report

Introductory paragraph

Cabinet on 9 September 2004 agreed to sit in the role of Performance Board on a quarterly basis and to receive the Strategic Performance Report. The report helps members to monitor progress against the Council's vision and corporate priorities and identify corrective action where necessary.

The Quarter 2 report is at Appendix 1.

Options considered

None.

Financial Implications

The Financial Implications are set out in the report. The Financial Monitoring Report for quarter 2 is due to be reported to December Cabinet where any implications for the budget will be incorporated into the Draft budget and MTFS proposals also on the agenda.

Performance Issues

The report deals in detail with performance issues.

Environmental Impact

There are no direct environmental implications arising from this report. However, each of the projects referred to in the report will have some environmental impact and this should be assessed to ensure that any decisions, taken in response to this report, do not have a negative impact on the environment and, where possible, positively contribute towards the Council's climate change strategy.

Risk Management Implications

The risks arising from the Performance Report will be measured through the Council's Strategic Risk Register.

Equalities implications

Any decisions driven by the actions taken in response to this report will need to be assessed through an Equalities Impact Assessment.

Corporate Priorities

The report deals with the delivery of all Corporate Priorities.

Section 3 - Statutory Officer Clearance

Name	Jenny Hydari	√	on behalf of the Chief Financial Officer
Date:	24 November 2011		
Name:	Matthew Adams	√	on behalf of the Monitoring Officer
Date:	22 November 2011		

Section 4 - Performance Officer Clearance

Name:	Alex Dewsnap	\checkmark	Divisional Director Partnership, Development and Performance
Date:	24 November 2011		

Section 5 – Environmental Impact Officer Clearance

Name: Andrew Baker

On behalf of the
Divisional Director
(Environmental
Date: 18 November 2011 Services)

Section 6 - Contact Details and Background Papers

Contact: Martin Randall, Senior Professional, Corporate Performance and Planning, 020 8424 1815

Background Papers: Executive summaries, scorecards and Priority Action reports to Improvement Boards, Q2.

Call-In Waived by the Chairman of Overview and Scrutiny Committee **NOT APPLICABLE**

[Call-in applies]