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| Title | Comments of the Housing Select Committee on response to the Housing Select Committee on the low cost home ownership review | | |
| Contributor | Housing Select Committee | Item No. | |
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1. Summary

This report informs the Mayor and Cabinet of the comments and views of the Housing Select Committee, arising from discussions held on *the response to the Housing Select Committee on the low cost home ownership review*, considered at its meeting on 11 September 2013.

2. Recommendation

The Mayor is recommended to note the views of the Housing Select Committee as set out in section three of this referral and ask the Executive Director for Resources & Regeneration to respond.

3. Housing Select Committee views

- 3.1 On 11 September, the Housing Select Committee considered a report entitled response to the Housing Select Committee on the low cost home ownership review.
- 3.2 The Committee discussed the importance of ensuring that sufficient low cost homes are made available in the borough.
- 3.3 The Committee believes that all future feasibility work for the former Ladywell leisure centre site should thoroughly explore the potential to provide low cost housing.

4. Further implications

At this stage there are no specific financial, legal, environmental, equalities or crime and disorder implications to consider.

Background papers

Housing Select Committee: low cost home ownership review http://tinyurl.com/nourebn

Response to the Housing Select Committee on the low cost home ownership review: http://tinyurl.com/osq8a3l

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