Indicative Timeline of Key Milestones

When	What/who	How
20 September 2023	TFG agrees scope	Formal public meeting
October – December 2023	Evidence from the council and local providers re local policy, provision and participation	Written requests and informal evidence sessions
October 2023 – January 2024	Visits to youth services within Lewisham	Physical visits
November 2023 – February 2024	Evidence from external experts re the benefits youth provision can deliver, how it should be planned, coordinated, delivered and evaluated and who stands to benefit the most from participation	Secondary research Written requests and informal evidence sessions
November 2023 – February 2024	Understanding views, aspirations and needs of young people	Primary and secondary research (primary methodology TBC)
November 2023 – February 2024	Public call for evidence	Promoted webpage
February – April 2024	Evidence from other local authorities and non- Lewisham providers re providing sufficient and effective youth services	Secondary research Written requests, informal evidence sessions and site visits
April 2024	Exploration of any further lines of enquiry	Written requests and informal evidence sessions
April or May 2024	Wash-up session with council executive	Informal evidence session
May – June 2024	Development of recommendations and report	Informal
June 2024	Agreement of final report and recommendations	Formal public meeting

Note: desk-based research will be undertaken to address certain lines of enquiry and so that the TFG is briefed prior to evidence sessions.