

<b>MAYOR AND CABINET</b>		
<b>Report Title</b>	Report Back on Matters Raised by the Overview and Scrutiny Business Panel	
<b>Key Decision</b>	No	Item No.3
<b>Ward</b>		
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<b>Class</b>	Part 1	Date: 15 February 2017

## **1. Purpose of Report**

To report back on matters raised by the Overview & Scrutiny Business Panel following their consideration of a report at their meeting on 14 February 2017.

### **Animal Welfare Charter**

- 1.1** Following discussion at the Overview and Scrutiny Business Panel, Panel Members welcomed the updated Charter, and agreed to make the following comments to Mayor and Cabinet:
- i. The Business Panel believe that the fact that this policy was not reviewed for many years shows that the Council should have a policy tracking system in place to ensure timely and regular reviews of all policies.
  - ii. Whilst welcoming the new Animal Welfare policy the Business Panel would like officers to explore signing up Council partners, particularly Lewisham Homes and RSL.