

OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY BUSINESS PANEL

Report Title	Decisions made by Mayor and Cabinet at the on 15 March 2018		
Key Decision			Item No. 2
Ward	All		
Contributors	Chief Executive/Head of Business and Committee		
Class	Part 1	Date: 20 March 2018	

1. Recommendation

To consider key decisions made by the Mayor and Cabinet on 15 March 2018 which will come in to force on 21 March 2018.

2. Background

2.1 The Mayor and Cabinet considered the following key decisions on 15 March 2018.

2.2 The notice of the decision made in respect of the report is attached as an Appendix. Under the provisions of Standing Orders Part IV E 14, members may call in an executive decision within 7 days. If this report is not called in they will come into force on 21 March 2018

- i. Gypsy and Traveller Site Local Plan Update
- ii. New Homes Programme Update – Home Park



NOTICE OF DECISIONS MADE AT THE MAYOR & CABINET

The Mayor made the following decisions 15 March 2018. These decisions will become effective on 21 March 2018 unless called in by the Overview & Scrutiny Business Panel on 20 March 2018.

1. **Gypsy and Traveller Site(s) Local Plan Update**

Having considered an open and a confidential officer report, 3 tabled written representations and presentations by a Bellingham Ward Member and by the Deputy Mayor, Councillor Alan Smith, the Mayor agreed that:

(1) the contents of the Consultation Statement (October 2017), including the main issues raised and officer response to them and the findings of the Integrated Impact Assessment (March 2018) be noted;

(2) the commercially sensitive information contained in Part 2 in relation to the comparative costs of providing six pitches on the potential Pool Court and New Cross Sites be noted;

(3) the Pool Court site as the preferred location for a residential traveller site be approved;

(4) Approve the following documents be approved for statutory public consultation:

- GTSLP Preferred Site Consultation Report (Appendix 3)
- Integrated Impact Assessment (March 2018) (Appendix 2).

(5) officers be instructed to seek the acquisition of the eastern land parcel from Network Rail.

(6) the assistance that the Council could give to the existing business to help it relocate to a suitable alternative site be noted; and

(7) the Council be requested to approve the two documents specified above for public consultation.

2. **New Homes Programme Update**

Having considered an officer report and a presentation by the Cabinet Member for Housing, Councillor Damien Egan, the Mayor agreed that:

(1) the progress made on the New Homes, Better Places Programme be noted;

(2) the design development and consultation carried out on the proposed development at Home Park (31 homes), as summarised, be noted;

(3) having considered the responses to the consultation, Lewisham Homes should proceed to submit planning applications to deliver 31 new Council homes at Home Park; and

(4) the Councils New Homes Programme contain 501 new council homes, all projected to start on site during 2018.

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