



## THE FORWARD PLAN

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The Forward Plan is published 28 days before each Cabinet meeting.

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## **Tower Hamlets Council** **Forthcoming Decisions Plan**

### **What is this document?**

The Forthcoming Decisions Plan (or 'Forward Plan') contains information on significant decisions that the Council expects to take over the next few months.

As a minimum this will include notice of:

- All Key Decisions to be taken by the Mayor or Cabinet.
  - This could include decisions taken at public meetings or taken individually at other times.
- Budget and Policy Framework Decisions (for example the Budget Report itself and major policies to be agreed by Council as set out in the Constitution)

In addition the Council aims to publish all other decisions to be taken by the Mayor and/or Cabinet.

### **Key Decisions**

The Council is required to publish notice of all key decisions at least 28 days before they are taken by the Executive. Key decisions are all those decisions which involve major spending, or savings, or which have a significant impact on the local community. The precise definition of a key decision adopted by Tower Hamlets is contained in Section 3 of the [Constitution](#). Key Decisions can be taken by the Mayor, the Mayor in Cabinet or an officer if it has been expressly delegated.

### **Publication of Forthcoming Decisions**

Individual notices of new Key Decisions will be published on the website as they are known on the 'Forthcoming Decisions' page, whilst this 'Forthcoming Decisions Plan' collating these decisions will be published regularly, as a minimum at least, 28 days before each Cabinet meeting. The Plan will be published on the Council's website and will also be available to view at the Town Hall and Libraries, Ideas Centres and One Stop Shops if required.

### **Urgency**

If, due to reasons of urgency, a Key Decision has to be taken where 28 days' notice have not been given. Notice will be published (on the website) as early as possible and Urgency Procedures as set out in the Constitution have to be followed.

### **Make your views known**

The most effective way for the public to make their views known about a Forthcoming Decisions is to contact the lead officer, or Cabinet Member (where stated), listed. You can also view the Council's [Consultation Calendar](#), which lists all the issues on which the Council and its partners are consulting.

## Information about the Decision Makers

Further information on the Mayor and Members of the Cabinet can be found on the Council's [website](#).

## Notice of Intention to Conduct Business in Private

The Council is also required to give at least 28 days' notice if it wishes to consider any of the reports on the agenda of an Executive meeting (such as Cabinet) in private session. The last row of each item below will indicate any proposal to consider that item in private session. Should you wish to make any representations in relation to item being considered in private please contact Democratic Services on the contact details listed on the front page.

The notice may reference a paragraph of Section 12A of the 1972 Local Government Act. In summary those paragraphs refer to the following types of exempt information (more information is available in the Constitution):

1. Information relating to any individual
2. Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual
3. Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority handling the information)
4. Information relating to any consultations or negotiations, or contemplated consultations or negotiations, in connection with any labour relations matters arising between the authority or a Minister of the Crown and employees of, or office holders under, the authority.
5. Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.
6. Information which reveals that the authority proposes:-
  - a) to give under any enactment a notice under or by virtue of which requirements are imposed on a person; or
  - b) to make an order or direction under any enactment.
7. Information relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime.

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<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Annual Council Performance &amp; Delivery Report 2020/21</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? No
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This report provides the Mayor in Cabinet with an update on delivery of the council's Strategic Plan in 2020/21.		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 30/06/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Mayor
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	N/A None - this is a performance and delivery update
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	No
Contact details for comments or additional information	Sharon Godman (Director, Strategy, Improvement and Transformation) sharon.godman@towerhamlets.gov.uk
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	None
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted

<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Liveable Streets Bethnal Green - Warner Place/Squirries Street</b>	Ward Weavers	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This item seeks a decision on the next stages of the measures for Warner Place and Squirries St and the junction between on Gosset St which is part of the Liveable Streets project in Bethnal Green		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>

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<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Environment and Public Realm (Job Share) - Lead on Environment		
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	Public Key partners Other Directorates  As part of the project, a four-week consultation was held in October to November 2019		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	Yes, the EqIA has been updated based on the results of the consultation and recommendations. The EqIA will be updated as detailed design progresses		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Dan Jones (Divisional Director, Public Realm) dan.jones@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	Appendices included in the report pack		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>IT Recurring Contracts</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	The Council holds a large number of contracts for IT applications and other services where the cost of change is likely to exceed any saving from re-procurement and needs to agree an appropriate way of managing these following the end of its strategic partnership which previously managed these arrangements.		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 22/09/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A dynamic outcomes-based Council using digital innovation and partnership working</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Resources and the Voluntary Sector
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	Digital Portfolio Board  Discussion at Digital Portfolio Board
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the	No

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result of this Assessment?			
Contact details for comments or additional information	Adrian Gorst (Divisional Director, IT) adrian.gorst@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	None		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	Fully Exempt (the whole report will be exempt)		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Report on the outcome of public representations received in response to the statutory Notice on the proposal to amalgamate Harry Roberts Nursery and Ben Jonson Primary School</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	<p>This report informs the council of the outcome of the four week period of public representation in response to the statutory notice on the proposal for the amalgamation (merger) of Harry Roberts Nursery and Ben Jonson Primary School from 1 January 2022.</p> <p>This would require the closure of Harry Roberts Nursery School and extending the age range of Ben Jonson Primary School, to establish a three form entry (3FE), all-through 3-11 Primary School with 60 FTE Nursery</p> <p>It recommends for the Mayor in cabinet to consider a decision on whether or not to formally proceed with plans for the schools' merger that would take effect from the 1st January 2022. Harry Roberts Nursery School would therefore officially close on 31st December 2021</p> <p>The report includes a summary of representations received and any responses made; risk and opportunities; officer's recommendations; decisions available to the Mayor in Cabinet</p>		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 22/09/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>TH Plan 1: A better deal for children and young people: aspiration, education and skills</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Deputy Mayor for Children, Youth Services and Education
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this	Along with the general public, the following stakeholders will be invited to make representations: Parents and carers, students, Roman Catholic and Church of England Dioceses,

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consultation take place	<p>Council of Mosques, Head Teachers, school staff, school governors, neighbouring Local Authorities, the National Education Union. Secretary of State for Education</p> <p>A stage one consultation held from 8th February to 19th March 2021, was followed by Cabinet on 28 April 2021 agreeing to publish a statutory notice and proposal, for a four week formal consultation in the Summer Term. During this statutory consultation period all interested stakeholders will be invited to send any comments and/or objections to the Council. The statutory notice will be published at the schools' and on the Council website and advertised in the Docklands &amp; East London Advertiser.</p>		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	EIA has been carried out		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Steve Nyakatawa (Director of Education) <a href="mailto:steve.nyakatawa@towerhamlets.gov.uk">steve.nyakatawa@towerhamlets.gov.uk</a>		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	EIA Carried out as per the FP1		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Tower Hamlets Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic Inequalities Commission Action Plan</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? No
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	<p>This report submits the action plan response to the findings of the Tower Hamlets Black, Asian &amp; Minority Ethnic Inequalities Commission.</p> <p>The Commission made 23 recommendations across areas of community leadership, health, education, and employment. The action plan details what the council, and the wider partnership, will do to respond to the recommendations and improve outcomes for the borough's Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic communities.</p>		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 22/09/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>All Priorities</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Statutory Deputy Mayor for Community Safety, Faith and Equalities

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Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	<p>Council services including: HR, SPP, Communications, Public Health, Procurement, Integrated Commissioning, Growth &amp; Economic Development, Education &amp; Partnership.</p> <p>Tower Hamlets Partnership Executive Group, Health &amp; Wellbeing Board, Children's &amp; Families Partnership, and Growth &amp; Economic Development Board,</p> <p>The actions set out in this plan are in response to evidence based recommendations made by the Commission. To provide an adequate, well rounded response services across the council and the wider Tower Hamlets Partnership Executive Group have been engaged to understand what actions can be delivered</p>		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	No		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Sharon Godman (Director, Strategy, Improvement and Transformation) sharon.godman@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	Tower Hamlets Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic Inequalities Commission Report		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Understanding the impact of Covid-19 in Tower Hamlets – follow-up</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? No
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This report identifies and quantifies the wider impact of Covid-19 pandemic on Tower Hamlets, looking at a number of key areas. It predicts the future impact on residents and businesses over the medium and long term, identifying challenges and opportunities going forward. This report is a follow-up to an impact assessment presented to Cabinet in July 2020.		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 22/09/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>All Priorities</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Adults, Health and Wellbeing

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Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	None None
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	No
Contact details for comments or additional information	Sharon Godman, Denise Radley (Director, Strategy, Improvement and Transformation) sharon.godman@towerhamlets.gov.uk, (Corporate Director, Health, Adults & Community) denise.radley@towerhamlets.gov.uk
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	n/a – the report will consist of a covering report and the Impact Assessment
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Contracts Forward Plan 2021/22 – Quarter Two</b>
	Ward All Wards
	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This report presents the contracts being procured during quarter two. The report also sets out the Contracts Forward Plan at Appendix 2 to the report. 2. The report asks for confirmation that all contracts can proceed to contract award after tender

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 22/09/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>All Priorities</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Resources and the Voluntary Sector
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	As above  Necessary consultation will be undertaken in accordance with the council's policies and procedures.  Where required, consultation with service users and stakeholders will be undertaken as part of the project and budget approval process
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the	No. Contact specific EQIA is expected to be completed by respective contract owners as part of the Directorate approval

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result of this Assessment?	
Contact details for comments or additional information	Hitesh Jolapara (Interim Divisional Director, Finance, Procurement & Audit) hitesh.jolapara@towerhamlets.gov.uk
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	Report and appendices include details of all contracts to be awarded
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Strategic delivery and performance reporting – Q1 2021/22</b>
	Ward All Wards
	Key Decision? No
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This report provides the Mayor in Cabinet with an update on the delivery and implementation of the council's Strategic Plan

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 22/09/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Mayor
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	N/A No
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	No
Contact details for comments or additional information	Sharon Godman (Director, Strategy, Improvement and Transformation) sharon.godman@towerhamlets.gov.uk
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	None
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so	No, Unrestricted

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why?			
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Service Action Plan – Environment Scrutiny Challenge Session, Recycling Behaviour Change</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This report sets out details of the Environment scrutiny challenge session, and the challenge session report, on how the council applies evidence and best practice to influence resident behaviour change to boost recycling and provides a service action plan for implementation.		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21		
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>		
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Environment and Public Realm (Job Share) - Lead on Environment, Cabinet Member for Environment and Public Realm (Job Share) - Lead on Public Realm		
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	N/A N/A		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	N/A		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Dan Jones (Divisional Director, Public Realm) dan.jones@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	N/A		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Adoption of the South Poplar Masterplan SPD</b>	Ward Blackwall & Cubitt Town; Canary Wharf; Island Gardens; Poplar	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	The South Poplar Masterplan SPD project seeks to provide guidance on the implementation of policies in the Tower Hamlets Local Plan 2031. The SPD will		

also aim to align with the recommendations contained within the Mayor of London’s Isle of Dogs and South Poplar Opportunity Area Planning Framework (adopted October 2019).

Once adopted, the document will have weight as a material planning consideration setting out the Council’s expectations for planning submissions. In this respect, the document will be a key reference point for developments within the area. Overall, it is intended for South Poplar to share in the benefits of good growth, improved transport capacity and connectivity, be provided with social infrastructure alongside development, benefit from joined up development across different land ownership and be protected against the construction impacts of future developments. The masterplan will optimise land around a transport hub and provide more certainty within the development management process

The SPD masterplan area is primarily informed by Local Plan Site allocations as well as adjacent sites considered integral to the delivery of important spatial goals. In particular, the masterplan area contains the North Quay, Billingsgate Market and Aspen Way site allocations. The SPD study area is located to the northern part of the Isle of Dogs and south of Poplar High Street. The Masterplan will cover an area included within the Poplar and Canary Wharf Council wards.

Within the South Poplar area, there are a number of development sites that have come forward, signalling the developer interest in the area. Each of the sites within the masterplan are at varying stages of the development process, however are likely to come forward in the very near future. To respond to the various challenges presented on each development site, this masterplan seeks to provide high quality, sustainable, deliverable guidance and strategies to ensure future development is delivered in accordance with the adopted Local Plan. The SPD will support priority 1 - People are aspirational, independent and have equal access to opportunities -and 2 - A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in- of the Mayor’s Strategic Plan.

The South Poplar Masterplan SPD has been through an extensive preparation process. This includes a baseline analysis and early engagement carried out during August-December 2020, such as mapping; site analysis, opportunities and constraints; structural analysis, initial consultation with stakeholders; an online survey and online exhibition.

Preparation of a draft document was carried out between December 2020 and March 2021. Public consultation was then carried out during 09 March-20 April 2021. A wide range of community groups, residents, landowners and other stakeholders engaged with the SPD and made formal responses as part of the consultation process.

It is now necessary to adopt the South Poplar Masterplan SPD to further enable clear and robust guidance to inform and be implemented in development proposals. The SPD will allow the delivery of a shared vision, which will ensure that existing character is respected and enhanced; and the new developments are of the highest quality in accordance with corporate and Council objectives and the Development Plan (Local Plan and London Plan).

<b>Decision maker</b>	<b>Cabinet</b>
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Date of decision	28/07/21		
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>		
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Planning and Social Inclusion (Job Share) - Lead on Planning, Cabinet Member for Planning and Social Inclusion (Job Share) - Lead on Social Inclusion		
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	<p>Please find detailed list of consultees in Appendix 2 – Consultation and Engagement Report.</p> <p>The South Poplar Masterplan SPD ran a public consultation between 6 March to 20 April 2021. This extended beyond the required four-week consultation period. Due to the coronavirus pandemic, no in-person events could be held during the consultation period, but a series of online meetings with internal and statutory consultees were held, as well as an online public ‘open invite meeting’. A survey was placed online with links to the draft document and statutory consultees were contacted.</p> <p>A copy of the SPD was made available on the council’s Let’s Talk Tower Hamlets website. Details of the consultation activities (including activities undertaken at earlier stages of the SPD development process) can be found in Appendix 2 – Consultation and Engagement Report.</p>		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	no further assessment needed		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Jennifer Peters (Divisional Director, Planning and Building Control, Place) Jennifer.Peters@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	Appendix 1 – South Poplar Masterplan SPD Appendix 2 – Consultation and Engagement Report Appendix 3 - SEA/HRA Screening Determination Letter Appendix 4 - Equalities Impact Assessment Screening		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Adoption of the Queen Mary University London SPD</b>	Ward Bethnal Green; Bow West	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	<p>The QMUL Mile End Campus Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) is a masterplan document which provides guidance to inform the future growth and development of the Queen Mary University London (QMUL) Mile End Campus.</p> <p>It is the aim of the SPD to ensure that future development on this campus is considered in the context of a site-wide masterplan in order to enhance the</p>		

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quality of the estate while strengthening the public realm; providing appropriate building mass and height; improving pedestrian and cycle connectivity; enhancing the setting of heritage assets; integrating the campus more successfully with its surroundings; and creating a more welcoming campus environment. The SPD also considers how the growth of the campus can maximise community benefits, biodiversity opportunities and environmental sustainability.

Taking into account the above, the SPD includes a series of site-specific development principles for five key development areas. Each development area is supported by illustrative massing sketches, or 'case studies' to give an indication of how development might look.

The SPD supports the vision, objective and policies of the Tower Hamlets Local Plan 2031. This includes the vision for the Local Plan's 'Central Area', and the objective to 'support the expansion of Queen Mary University of London and associated uses, while ensuring good integration with surrounding areas'.

The document will provide material weight in planning decisions; and will therefore help the council to evaluate individual planning applications on the campus to assess whether they are in line with the coherent growth strategy set out within the SPD. The SPD will therefore provide more certainty within the development management process as individual sites come forward.

In total, the SPD masterplan creates the total addition of c. 60,000 sqm of non-residential floorspace and the net reduction of c. 175 student bedrooms.

The QMUL Mile End Campus SPD has been through an extensive preparation process. This includes evidence-base gathering and early masterplanning carried out during July-September 2020, such as mapping; site visits; initial consultation with stakeholders; public realm analysis; and transport evidence.

Preparation of a draft document was carried out between September 2020 and February 2021. Public consultation was then carried out during February-March 2021. A wide range of community groups, residents, landowners, university staff and other stakeholders engaged with the SPD and made formal responses as part of the consultation process.

It is now necessary to adopt the QMUL Mile End Campus SPD to further enable clear and robust guidance to inform and be implemented in development proposals a comprehensive campus-wide masterplan and vision, which will ensure that existing character is respected and enhanced; and the new developments are of the highest quality in accordance with corporate and Council objectives and the Development Plan (Local Plan and London Plan).

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Planning and Social Inclusion (Job Share) - Lead on Planning, Cabinet Member for Planning and Social Inclusion (Job Share) - Lead on Social Inclusion

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<p>Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place</p>	<p>Please find detailed list of consultees in Appendix 2 – Consultation Statement</p> <p>The QMUL Mile End Campus SPD ran a public consultation between 3 February to 17 March 2021. This extended beyond the required four-week consultation period. Due to the coronavirus pandemic, no in-person events could be held during the consultation period, but a series of online meetings with internal and statutory consultees were held, as well as an online community meeting. A map and ‘ideas board’ were set up on the consultation page, as well as letter drops to local residents announcing the consultation, and the statutory consultees were contacted.</p> <p>A copy of the SPD was made available on the council’s Let’s Talk Tower Hamlets website. Details of the consultation activities (including activities undertaken at earlier stages of the SPD development process) can be found in Appendix 2 – Consultation Statement.</p>		
<p>Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?</p>	<p>Screening Tool at the end of this form, no further assessment needed</p>		
<p>Contact details for comments or additional information</p>	<p>Jennifer Peters (Divisional Director, Planning and Building Control, Place) Jennifer.Peters@towerhamlets.gov.uk</p>		
<p>What supporting documents or other information will be available?</p>	<p>Appendix 1 – QMUL Mile End Campus SPD Appendix 2 – Consultation and Engagement Report Appendix 3 – SEA/HRA Screening Appendix 4 – Equalities Impact Assessment Screening</p>		
<p>Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?</p>	<p>No, Unrestricted</p>		
<p><b>Title of Report</b></p>	<p><b>Adoption of the Central Area Good Growth Supplementary Planning Document</b></p>	<p>Ward Bethnal Green; Bow East; Bow West; Bromley North; Bromley South; Lansbury; Limehouse; Mile End; Shadwell; St Dunstan's; St Katharine's &amp; Wapping; St Peter's; Stepney Green</p>	<p>Key Decision? Yes</p>
<p><b>Summary of Decision</b></p>	<p>The Central Area Good Growth SPD provides supplementary guidance on the design of residential developments on small sites that respect and enhance the well-established character of the Central Area, as set out in the Tower Hamlets Local Plan 2031 (adopted January 2020), in particular policies S.DH1- Delivering High Quality Design, S.H1: Meeting housing needs and D.H3:</p>		

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	<p>Housing standards and quality. The SPD also provides supplementary guidance on achieving the vision set out by the Local Plan for the sub-area: Central. Furthermore, the SPD seeks to help to deliver the Mayor's manifesto pledges to improve the quality and fairness of housing and make development work for local people.</p> <p>The Central Area Good Growth SPD has been through an extensive preparation process that included evidence-base gathering - including mapping and compilation of existing small sites in the Central Area, early-stage online survey, workshops With Council services and industry professionals –(July-December 2020); preparation of draft document (March 2020-December 2020) and public consultation (January-February 2021). A wide range of community groups, residents, architects, developers and other stakeholders engaged with the Central Area Good Growth SPD and made formal responses as part of the consultation process.</p> <p>It is now necessary to adopt the Central Area Good Growth SPD to further enable clear and robust guidance to inform and be implemented in development proposals which will ensure that existing character is respected and enhanced and by new residential developments and that these have high-quality standards to meet existing and future needs in accordance with corporate and Council objectives and the development Plan (Local Plan and London Plan).</p>
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<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Planning and Social Inclusion (Job Share) - Lead on Planning, Cabinet Member for Planning and Social Inclusion (Job Share) - Lead on Social Inclusion
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	See Appendix 2  The Central Area Good Growth SPD ran a public consultation between 11th January and 21st February 2021. This extended beyond the required four-week consultation period. Due to the coronavirus pandemic, no in-person events could be held during the consultation period, but a series of online workshops and Q&A sessions were held, an online survey and interactive map were set up on the consultation page, as well as leaflets announcing the consultation were delivered to every household within the Central Area, and the statutory consultees were contacted. A copy of the SPD was made available on the council's Let's Talk Tower Hamlets website, and printed copies were made available in Idea Stores. Details of the consultation activities (including activities undertaken at earlier stages of the SPD development process) can be found in Appendix 2 – Consultation Statement.
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	Screening Tool carried out 03/03 and repeated at the end of this form, no further assessment needed

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Contact details for comments or additional information	Jennifer Peters (Divisional Director, Planning and Building Control, Place) Jennifer.Peters@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	Appendix 1 – Central Area Good Growth SPD Appendix 2 – Consultation and Engagement Report Appendix 3 – SEA/HRA Screening Determination Letter Appendix 4 – Equalities Impact Assessment Screening		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Adoption of Reuse, Recycling and Waste SPD</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	<p>The Reuse, Recycle and Waste Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) sets out guidance for developers on how waste management should be addressed in proposals for new residential and mixed-use development. The SPD covers the entire borough and aims to re-examine and improve the way in which waste is produced and managed.</p> <p>The SPD supports the implementation of the Tower Hamlets Local Plan policies on waste and recycling management by providing guidance on the implementation of effective waste management systems in a high-density setting. This overall strategic objective is to improve management of resources, including significant targets on levels of recycling, food waste, and use of landfill.</p> <p>Preparation of a draft document was carried out between September 2020 and February 2021. Public consultation was then carried out during February-March 2021. A wide range of community groups, residents, industry professionals and other stakeholders engaged with the SPD and made formal responses as part of the consultation process. These responses have been reviewed and implemented where necessary.</p> <p>It is now necessary to adopt the Reuse, Recycle and Waste SPD to enable the implementation of this guidance in development proposals. This will ensure that new residential developments implement best practice recycling and waste management systems in line with corporate and Council objectives and the development Plan (Local Plan and London Plan).</p>		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Planning and Social Inclusion (Job Share) - Lead on Planning, Cabinet Member for Planning and Social Inclusion (Job Share) - Lead on Social Inclusion

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<p>Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place</p>	<p>Please find detailed list of consultees in Appendix 2 – Consultation Statement</p> <p>Completed Consultation: Residents, Industry Participants, Internal LBTH Stakeholders, Other Local Authorities</p> <p>No further consultation before Cabinet.</p> <p>Consultation Exercises:</p> <p>Prior to draft:</p> <p>Industry and Professionals Workshops Internal LBTH workshops – Public Realm, Planning, Highways Written questionnaires to Local Authorities</p> <p>Formal Consultation</p> <p>Publication on Council Lets Talk Page – Survey Questions Published on Council Social Media Channels Residents Q&amp;A Session Industry Q&amp;A Session Internal LBTH Sessions</p>		
<p>Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?</p>	<p>No</p>		
<p>Contact details for comments or additional information</p>	<p>Dan Jones, Jennifer Peters (Divisional Director, Public Realm) dan.jones@towerhamlets.gov.uk, (Divisional Director, Planning and Building Control, Place) Jennifer.Peters@towerhamlets.gov.uk</p>		
<p>What supporting documents or other information will be available?</p>	<p>Appendix 1 – Reuse Recycle Waste SPD Appendix 2 – Consultation and Engagement Report Appendix 3 – SEA/HRA Screening Appendix 4 – Equalities Impact Assessment Screening</p>		
<p>Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?</p>	<p>No, Unrestricted</p>		
<p><b>Title of Report</b></p>	<p><b>Report on outcome of the public representations received in response to the statutory Notice on the proposal to establish an Autistic Spectrum Condition (ASC) provision at Hermitage Primary School</b></p>	<p>Ward All Wards</p>	<p>Key Decision? Yes</p>

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<b>Summary of Decision</b>	<p>This report presents the outcome of the stage one consultation, and the public representations received in response to the statutory Notice on the proposal to establish an Autistic Spectrum Condition (ASC) provision at Hermitage Primary School.</p> <p>The report explains the background and reasons for the proposal; it details the consultations undertaken; the responses received with the views of parents, pupils, staff and the general public. It recommends for the Mayor in Cabinet to consider the decision on whether or not the council should agree the proposal and formally proceed with plans to establish an Autistic Spectrum Condition (ASC) provision at Hermitage Primary School from 1st September 2021</p> <p>The report will also include equalities impact assessment; risk and opportunities; officer's recommendations; decisions available to the Mayor in Cabinet.</p>
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<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>TH Plan 1: A better deal for children and young people: aspiration, education and skills</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Deputy Mayor for Children, Youth Services and Education
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	<p>Along with the general public, the following stakeholders were invited to make representations: Parents and carers, students, Roman Catholic and Church of England Dioceses, Council of Mosques, Head Teachers, school staff, school governors, community groups, neighbouring Local Authorities, the National Education Union, local Members of Parliament. Secretary of State for Education.</p> <p>A stage one public consultation was held between 15th February and 19th March, the feedback from this has informed this report to cabinet and the recommendations herein. This was followed by Cabinet on 28 April 2021, agreeing to publish a statutory notice and proposal, for a four week formal consultation in the summer term 2021. During this statutory consultation period, all interested stakeholders were given an opportunity to send objections or comments to the council.</p> <p>The statutory notice was published at the schools' and on the Council website and advertised in the Docklands &amp; East London Advertiser.</p>
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	EIA has been carried out.
Contact details for comments or additional information	Steve Nyakatawa (Director of Education) <a href="mailto:steve.nyakatawa@towerhamlets.gov.uk">steve.nyakatawa@towerhamlets.gov.uk</a>

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What supporting documents or other information will be available?	Assessment has been carried out as per FP1		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Corporate Parenting Board Annual Report 2020</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? No
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	The Corporate Parenting Board Annual Report 2020 – 2021 aims to provide information about progress the board has achieved over the last year, including the work undertaken with the Foster Carers and the Children Living in Care Council, and the impact this has had.		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Council</b> 21/07/21		
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>All Priorities</b>		
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Deputy Mayor for Children, Youth Services and Education		
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	None None		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	No		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Richard Baldwin (Divisional Director, Children's Social Care) richard.baldwin@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	NA		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>RIPA POLICY</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? No
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This reports details proposed amendments to the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act ("RIPA") Policies for directed surveillance and the use of covert		

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	human intelligence sources (“CHIS”) which currently accompany the Council’s Enforcement Policy . It is proposed to introduce a RIPA Social Media Policy.
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<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 30/06/21		
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>		
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Environment and Public Realm (Job Share) - Lead on Environment		
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	Consulted with various directorates and officers that would be involved in undertaking investigations that could result in directed surveillance being undertaken ie. PLACE Directorate, HAC  Internal consultation has taken place via email		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	Yes .To follow prior to MAB. Any impact should be minimal		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Agnes Adrien (Head of Litigation, Legal Services) agnes.adrien@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	RIPA Policy, Covert Human Intelligence Source (“CHIS”) Policy and Social Media Policy		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Additions to the Approved Capital Programme 2021-22 to 2023-24</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	<p>Further to the approval of the £627.566m capital programme for the period 2021-2024 by the Mayor in Cabinet on 26th January 2021, additional capital projects which support the Council’s strategic priorities have been identified and, where funding sources are available for allocation, have been progressed through the capital governance process.</p> <p>This report seeks approval by Cabinet for schemes that have been considered by the Capital Strategy Board for inclusion into the 2021-24 Approved Capital Programme and for those where formal changes to the agreed budget or scheme detail is required at the earliest opportunity, to ensure that the pace of delivery is maintained.</p> <p>This report will include detail of the schemes which form part of the first 1,000</p>		

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council homes programme, for which a budget of £232.768m has been approved, including individual scheme budgets, and progress in delivering the next phase of the new council homes programme.

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 30/06/21		
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>		
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Adults, Health and Wellbeing		
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	None  Targeted consultation has been undertaken in accordance with the information provided in the PIDs.		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	Initial EIAs form part of the PID approval process for individual capital programme areas		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Jane Abraham (Interim Head of Capital Delivery) jane.abraham@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	None		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Covid Recovery Fund</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This report provides a summary of the projects that will be supported by the Covid Recovery Fund which aims to support our community to recover from the impact of the pandemic.		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 30/06/21		
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>		
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Mayor, Statutory Deputy Mayor for Community Safety, Faith and Equalities		
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this	None  Resident feedback through Covid Impact Survey, consultations, engagement		

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consultation take place	with key partners, review of data etc		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	Yes		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Sharon Godman (Director, Strategy, Improvement and Transformation) sharon.godman@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	None		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Contracts Forward Plan 2021/22 – Quarter One</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This report presents the contracts being procured during quarter one. The report also sets out the Contracts Forward Plan at Appendix 2 to the report. 2. The report asks for confirmation that all contracts can proceed to contract award after tender		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>All Priorities</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Resources and the Voluntary Sector
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	As above  Necessary consultation will be undertaken in accordance with the council's policies and procedures.  Where required, consultation with service users and stakeholders will be undertaken as part of the project and budget approval process
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	No. Contact specific EQIA is expected to be completed by respective contract owners as part of the Directorate approval
Contact details for comments or additional	Hitesh Jolapara (Interim Divisional Director, Finance, Procurement & Audit)

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information	hitesh.jolapara@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	Report and appendices include details of all contracts to be awarded		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Tower Hamlets Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report 2020-21</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? No
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	The Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report describes what the Board has done over 2020-21 to achieve its main objectives in tackling adult abuse and neglect. It provides information on safeguarding activity and the achievements of the Board, sub-groups and partner agencies. It gives an overview of safeguarding adult reviews published over 2020-21 and learning from these.		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>People are aspirational, independent and have equal access to opportunities</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Adults, Health and Wellbeing
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	NA NA
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	No
Contact details for comments or additional information	Shohel Ahmed, Claudia Brown (Joint Safeguarding Adults Strategy and Governance Manager) Shohel.Ahmed@towerhamlets.gov.uk, (Divisional Director of Adults Social Care) Claudia.Brown@towerhamlets.gov.uk
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	n/a – the report will consist of a covering report and the Annual Report as Appendix I.
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so	No, Unrestricted

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why?			
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Tower Hamlets Safeguarding Children Partnership Annual Report 2020-21</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? No
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	The report demonstrates the activity of the Tower Hamlets Children's Partnership within the last financial year. Which includes the setting of priorities, sub-groups, data sharing and the impact on children within the borough.		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21		
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>		
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Deputy Mayor for Children, Youth Services and Education		
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	None None		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	No		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Richard Baldwin (Divisional Director, Children's Social Care) richard.baldwin@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	NA		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Revised LIF Programme Implementation 2020/21-2022/23</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? Yes
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	The report sets out the revised Local Infrastructure Fund (LIF) programme implementation arrangements for the years 2020/21 – 22/23 for approval.		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 28/07/21		
<b>Community Plan</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>		

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<b>Theme</b>			
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Planning and Social Inclusion (Job Share) - Lead on Planning		
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this consultation take place	N/A N/A		
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	N/A		
Contact details for comments or additional information	Jennifer Peters (Divisional Director, Planning and Building Control, Place) Jennifer.Peters@towerhamlets.gov.uk		
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	LIF Programme 3 Allocations Report		
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted		
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Response to Overview and Scrutiny's Challenge Session on 'Examining Council's Revised Approach to Idea Stores and Library Services</b>	Ward All Wards	Key Decision? No
<b>Summary of Decision</b>	This report formalises the service's response to the overview and scrutiny's challenge session recommendations on the council's revised approach to Idea stores and library services. In practice the challenge session formed part of the consultation process that fed into the final report on the revised approach to Idea Stores taken to cabinet on 3rd March 21		

<b>Decision maker</b> Date of decision	<b>Cabinet</b> 30/06/21
<b>Community Plan Theme</b>	<b>A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	Cabinet Member for Culture, Arts and Brexit
Who will be consulted before decision is made and how will this	See report taken to cabinet on 3rd March for full details of this See report taken to cabinet on 3rd March for full details of this

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consultation take place	
Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out and if so the result of this Assessment?	No
Contact details for comments or additional information	Sergio Dogliani, Teresa Heaney Deputy Head of Idea Store, (Interim Customer Services Programme Director) teresa.heaney@towerhamlets.gov.uk
What supporting documents or other information will be available?	Appendix 1: Overview and Scrutiny Challenge Session Report on 'Examining the council's approach to Idea Stores and Library Services' Appendix 2: Service Action Plan (Response to Scrutiny Recommendations)
Is there an intention to consider this report in private session and if so why?	No, Unrestricted