

<b>REPORT TO:</b>	<b>CABINET</b> <b>16 November 2022</b>
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	<b>Scrutiny Stage 2 Responses to Recommendations arising from:</b> <b>Scrutiny Streets, Environment and Homes Sub-Committee on 20 July 2022 and</b> <b>Scrutiny and Overview Committee on 21 July 2022</b>
<b>LEAD OFFICER:</b>	<b>Stephen Lawrence-Orumwense (Monitoring Officer)</b> <b>Adrian May – Interim Head of Democratic Services</b>
<b>CABINET MEMBERS:</b>	Executive Mayor Cllr Hale, Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Homes Cllr Roche, Cabinet Member for Streets and Environment Cllr Bains, Cabinet Member for Planning and Regeneration Cllr Cummings, Cabinet Member for Finance
<b>WARDS:</b>	<b>All</b>
<b>FINANCIAL IMPACT</b> The recommendations in the appendices to this report may have financial implications and as each recommendation accepted is developed, the financial implication will be explored and approved.	
<b>FORWARD PLAN KEY DECISION REFERENCE NO:</b> This is not a key decision.	

The Executive Mayor, in Cabinet, has the power to make the decisions set out in the recommendation below:

**1. RECOMMENDATION**

1.1 To approve the response and action plans attached to this report at Appendix 1, 2, 3, and 4 and that these be reported to the Scrutiny and Overview Committee or relevant Sub-Committees.

**2. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

2.1 This report invites the Cabinet to approve the full response reports arising from the Stage 1 reports presented to the Cabinet meeting held on 21 September 2022, including:

- Action plans for the implementation of agreed recommendations, or
- Reasons for partially accepting or rejecting the recommendations

and that these be reported to the Scrutiny and Overview Committee or relevant

Sub-Committees.

- 2.2 The Constitution requires that in accepting a recommendation, with or without amendment, from a Scrutiny and Overview Committee or Sub-Committee, the Cabinet shall agree an action plan for the implementation of the agreed recommendations and shall delegate responsibility to an identified officer to report back to the Scrutiny and Overview Committee or Sub-Committee, within a specified period, on progress in implementing the action plan.

### **3. SCRUTINY RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 3.1 The Scrutiny recommendations are contained in the schedule in the appendix to this report.
- 3.2 The detailed responses, including reasons for rejected recommendations and action plans for the implementation of agreed recommendations are also contained in the appendix.

### **4. CONSULTATION**

- 4.1 The recommendations have been developed from the deliberations of either the Scrutiny and Overview Committee or one of its Sub-Committees.
- 4.2 The recommendations in the appendix to this report may involve further consultation and as each recommendation is developed, these implications will be explored and approved.

### **5 PRE-DECISION SCRUTINY**

- 5.1 The recommendations in the appendix to this report are the result of Pre-Decision Scrutiny.

### **6. FINANCIAL AND RISK ASSESSMENT CONSIDERATIONS**

- 6.1 The recommendations in this report may have a financial implication. Those recommendations that have been initially accepted will need to be further assessed in terms of affordability, before progressing to possible decision and implementation.

### **7. LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS**

- 7.1 The Constitution requires that Cabinet both receives recommendations from Scrutiny Committees and responds to the recommendations within two months of their receipt.

### **8. HUMAN RESOURCES IMPACT**

- 8.1 The recommendations in the appendix to this report may have a Human Resources impact and as each recommendation is developed these implications will be explored and approved.

## **9. EQUALITIES IMPACT**

9.1 The recommendations in the appendix to this report may have an Equalities impact and as each recommendation is developed, these implications will be explored and approved.

## **10. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT**

10.1 The recommendations in the appendix to this report may have an Environmental impact and as each recommendation is developed, these implications will be explored and approved.

## **11. CRIME AND DISORDER REDUCTION IMPACT**

11.1 The recommendations in the appendix to this report may have a Crime and Disorder reduction impact and as each recommendation is developed, these implications will be explored and approved.

## **12. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS/PROPOSED DECISION**

12.1 These are contained in the appendix to this report.

## **13. OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED**

13.1 These are contained in the appendix to this report.

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### **APPENDICES:**

Appendix 1: Sustainable Communities, Regen & Econ Recovery Directorate Overview  
Appendix 2: Revocation of Croydon Suburban Design Guide Supp. Planning Doc 2  
Appendix 3: Housing Directorate Overview  
Appendix 4: Opening the Books Review

### **BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS:**

Report to Streets Environment & Homes Committee on 20 July 2022  
<https://democracy.croydon.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=170&MId=3206&Ver=4>

Report to Scrutiny & Overview Committee on 21 July 2022  
<https://democracy.croydon.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=166&MId=3213&Ver=4>