

# **Service Delivery Committee**

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Matter for Information

Report Title: Corporate Performance Update (Q2 2023/24)

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| Purpose of Report:   | To provide an update on progress during Quarter 2 of the 2023/24 Financial Year towards achieving the priorities of the Oadby and Wigston Borough Council's Strategic Objectives as agreed in the Corporate Plan 2019 - 2024. The report updates Members on the Council's key performance indicators with appendices for information on service updates, items of note from working groups and future events. |
| Report Summary:  | This report contains KPIs which relate to continuous improvement in line with our Corporate Plan 2019 – 2024 and statutory KPIs that have to be delivered as 'business as usual'.   |
|  | There are 31 Continuous Improvement Key Performance Indicators from our Corporate Plan 2019-2024. 24 are to be reported on in this Quarter 2 2023-2024.   |
|  | There are 36 statutory Key Performance Indicators. 31 are to be reported for Quarter 2 2023-2024.   |
|  | For both continuous improvement and statutory reporting the Key Performance Indicators are categorised by each objective and service delivery arm.  |
|  | Each target has been graded using the Red/Amber/Green status ranking system. There are two other ranks, a "blue" ranking for indicators where work has yet to begin and a "white" ranking system where it is outside the control of the Council for delivery, and therefore cannot be ranked.   |
| Recommendation(s):   | That the performance of the Council against its Corporate Objectives in delivering services be noted.   |
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| Strategic Objectives:  | Our Council (SO1)   |
| Vision and Values:   | "Our Borough - The Place To Be" (Vision) Customer & Community Focused (V1) Proud of Everything We Do (V2)   |

|   | Collaborative & Creative (V3)<br>Resourceful & Resilient (V4)   |
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| Report Implications:-                         |   |
| Legal:  | There are no implications arising from this report.   |
| Financial:                                    | There are no implications arising from this report.   |
| Corporate Risk<br>Management:                 | Reputation Damage (CR4) Organisational / Transformational Change (CR8)  |
| Equalities and Equalities<br>Assessment (EA): | There are no implications arising from this report. EA not applicable   |
| Human Rights:                                 | There are no implications arising from this report.   |
| Health and Safety:                            | There are no implications arising from this report.   |
| Statutory Officers' Comm                      | nents:-   |
| Head of Paid Service:                         | The report is satisfactory.   |
| Chief Finance Officer:                        | The report is satisfactory.   |
| Monitoring Officer:                           | The report is satisfactory.   |
| Consultees:                                   | None.   |
| Background Papers:                            | Corporate Plan (2019-2024)  |
| Appendices:                                   | Appendix 1 - Operational Update (Q2 2023/24) Appendix 2 - Customer Service Statistical Analysis (Q2 2023/24) Appendix 3 - Bi-Annual Complaints Report (April 2023-September 2023) Appendix 4 - Working Groups Update Appendix 5 - OWBC Event Calendar (2023/24) |

#### 1. Introduction

- 1.1 In January 2022 the LGA conducted a Peer Review. Two of the key recommendations were for a new vision and corporate plan to be created by Members. The vision was signed off in September 2022 and the new corporate plan is in development.
- 1.2 As a transition to the above Members agreed a new reporting approach on the Council's performance which was presented at the June 2022 Service Delivery Committee.
- 1.3 As part of the Council's ongoing development to service performance management and reporting, we report on KPIs in two different ways. Firstly, continuous improvement in line with our Corporate Plan 2019 2024 and statutory KPIs that have to be delivered as part of legislative or legal duty as a Council (alongside the standard Finance Framework).
- 1.4 The Council has produced 31 new Continuous Improvement Key Performance Measures for 2023/24, and these measures relate to each of the Council's three Corporate Objectives as part of the Council's five-year Corporate Plan (2019-2024).

- 1.5 The Council has produced 36 Statutory Improvement Key Performance Measures for 2023/2024, and these measures relate to each of the Council's three Corporate Objectives as part of the Council's five-year Corporate Plan (2019-2024). Statutory KPIs refer to those that the Council has to report and measure from a legislative or legal need or need to report to a particular body.
- 1.6 These measures are "outcome" based measures, meaning that they identify key deliverables for the authority that actively work towards meeting the Corporate Objectives, and will allow for greater accountability and transparency. This will mean that the public, Members and Officers can clearly see how the Council is performing against its objectives, and if it isn't, then why it isn't.

#### 2.0 Corporate Performance

- 2.1 The following report provides analysis and statistics on the performance of the indicators used to monitor our progress against the Council's Corporate Objectives as set out in the Corporate Plan (2019-2024).
- 2.2 There are three main objectives, with these being:
  - Building, Protecting and Empowering Communities
  - Growing the Borough Economically
  - Providing Excellent Services
- 2.3 There are Key Performance Indicators for our Corporate Plan Objectives. These are categorised by each objective and service delivery arm. Each target has been graded using the Red/Amber/Green status ranking system.

There is also a "blue" ranking and this is for indicators where work has yet to begin, and therefore cannot be ranked.

Finally, there is a "white" rating where the indicator cannot be met due to circumstances outside of the Council's control. The scoring system has been applied using the following definitions:

**Green** Target fully achieved or currently on track to achieve target

Amber Indicator is in danger of falling behind target

**Red** Indicator is off target or has been completed behind the deadline target.

2.4 **Continuous Improvement Key Performance Indicators** - Out of the 31 indicators, 24 were due for reporting as at the end of Quarter 2 (2023-2024).

Of the **24**:

22 were Green status

2 were Amber status

0 was Red status

This equates to 92% Green, 8% Amber and 0% Red status.

In comparison the first quarter of 2023-2024 (April, May, June) percentages were as follows: 96% Green, 0% Amber and 4% Red status.

The following table identifies the Council's performance, by objective and service delivery section.

## Performance Chart One – Continuous Improvement - Corporate and by Objective

|                                     | Green  |              | Amber                   |            | Red                     |            |
|-------------------------------------|--|--------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|
| Quarter Two 2023/24                 | Number of<br>Indicators  | Percentage   | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage |
| Overall Performance                 |  |              |                         |            |                         |            |
| All Targets Due                     | 22   | 92%          | 2                       | 8%         | 0                       | 0%         |
| Corporate Priority                  |  |              |                         |            |                         |            |
|                                     |  |              |                         |            |                         |            |
|                                     |  |              |                         |            |                         |            |
| Building, Protecting and Empowering | Name of the last o | 100%         |                         | 09/        |                         | 00/        |
|                                     | 3  | 100%         | 0                       | 0%         | 0                       | 0%         |
| Building, Protecting and Empowering | 3  | 100%<br>100% | 0                       | 0%         | 0                       | 0%         |

#### Performance Chart Two - Continuous Improvement - By Service Area

|                               | Green                   |   | Amber                   |            | Red                     |            |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|
| Quarter Two 2023/24           | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage                                | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage |
| Overall Performance           |                         |   |                         |            |                         |            |
| All Targets Due               | 22                      | 92%                                       | 2                       | 8%         | 0                       | 0%         |
|                               |                         |   |                         |            |                         |            |
| Department                    |                         |   |                         |            |                         |            |
| Department  Built Environment | 5                       | 100%                                      | 0                       | 0%         | 0                       | 0%         |
|                               | 5                       | 100%<br>100%                              | 0                       | 0%         | 0                       | 0%         |
| Built Environment             | 5<br>7<br>6             | C-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12- | 275                     |            | 0 0                     |            |

## 2.5 **Statutory Key Performance Indicators**

Out of the 36 indicators, 31 were due for reporting as at the end of Quarter 2 2023-2024. Of the 31:

28 were Green status

**3** were Amber status

**0** were Red status

This equates to 90% Green, 10% Amber and 0% Red status.

In comparison the first quarter of 2023-2024 (April, May, June) percentages were as follows: 94% Green, 6% Amber and 0% Red status.

The following table identifies the Council's performance, by objective and service delivery section.

# Performance Chart One - Statutory Key Performance Indicators - Corporate and Objective

|                                     | Green                   |            | Amber                   |            | Red                     |            |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|
| Quarter Two 2023/24                 | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage |
| Overall Performance                 |                         |            |                         |            |                         |            |
| All Targets Due                     | 28                      | 90%        | 3                       | 10%        | 0                       | 0%         |
| Corporate Priority                  | ,                       |            |                         |            |                         |            |
| Corporate Priority                  |                         |            |                         |            |                         |            |
| Building, Protecting and Empowering |                         |            |                         |            |                         |            |
| Communities                         | 19                      | 95%        | 1                       | 5%         | 0                       | 0%         |
| Growing the Borough Economically    | 0                       | 0%         | 0                       | 0%         | 0                       | 0%         |
| Providing Excellent Services        | 9                       | 82%        | 2                       | 18%        | 0                       | 0%         |

# Performance Chart Two - Statutory Key Performance Indicators — By Service Area

|                                   | Green                   |            | Amber                   |            | Red                     |            |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|
| Quarter Two 2023/24               | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage | Number of<br>Indicators | Percentage |
| Overall Performance               | Overall Performance     |            |                         |            |                         |            |
| All Targets Due                   | 28                      | 90%        | 3                       | 10%        | 0                       | 0%         |
|                                   |                         |            |                         |            |                         |            |
| Department                        |                         |            |                         |            |                         |            |
| Built Environment                 | 18                      | 95%        | 1                       | 5%         | 0                       | 0%         |
| Customer Service & Transformation | 4                       | 100%       | 0                       | 0%         | 0                       | 0%         |
| Finance & Resources               | 3                       | 60%        | 2                       | 40%        | 0                       | 0%         |
| Law & Democracy                   | 3                       | 100%       | 0                       | 0%         | 0                       | 0%         |

# 3.0 **Built Environment Update**

## 3.1 Exception Reporting – Built Environment

<u>Continuous Improvement Key Performance Indicators</u> There is no exception reporting for Quarter 2 2023 – 2024.

## Statutory Key Performance Indicators

| Corporate<br>Objective | Measure<br>Activity  | Target | Quarter 2<br>Commentary  | Forecast |
|------------------------|--|--------|--|----------|
| BPE 20 (s)             | Ensure all HRA Council buildings are compliant with electrical safety in terms of a valid electrical certificate | 100%   | 84.26% The team has completed work on upgrading the electrical installation to the 17 communal blocks at Boulter Crescent. The programme will shortly be suspended for the winter until the Spring 2024. The primary reason for this is because of the cold weather and shorter daylight hours would mean it is not appropriate to disrupt | Amber    |

|  | tenant's electrical supply in |  |
|--|-------------------------------|--|
|  | the winter months.            |  |

### 4.0 Finance Update

# 4.1 **Exception Report – Finance**

In order to highlight potential areas for improvement, this section details the targets that have been given a "Red" or "Amber" Status for the Finance section.

#### Continuous Improvement Key Performance Indicators

There is no exception reporting for Quarter 2 2023 – 2024.

# Statutory Key Performance Indicators

| Corporate<br>Objective | Measure<br>Activity               | Target              | Quarter 2<br>Commentary   | Forecast |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---|----------|
| PES 10 (s)             | Council Tax<br>Collection<br>rate | 97.5%<br>(end year) | Below target of 57.31% at 55.98% work continues to focus on this so annual target can be met. | Amber    |
| PES 11 (s)             | NNDR<br>Collection<br>rate        | 96.4%<br>(end year) | Slightly below target of 55.92% at 55.90%   | Amber    |

# 5.0 Customer Service & Transformation Update

### **5.1 Exception Reporting of Customer Service and Transformation**

In order to highlight potential areas for improvement, this section details the targets that have been given a 'Red' or 'Amber' status for Customer Service and Transformation.

# Continuous Improvement Key Performance Indicators

There is no exception reporting for Quarter 2 2023 – 2024.

#### Statutory Key Performance Indicators

There is no exception reporting for Quarter 2 2023 – 2024.

#### 6.0 Law and Democracy Update

#### 6.1 Exception Reporting – Law and Democracy

In order to highlight potential areas for improvement, this section details the targets that have been given a 'Red' or 'Amber' status for Law and Democracy.

# Continuous Improvement Key Performance Indicators

| Corporate<br>Objective | Measure<br>Activity   | Target  | Quarter 2<br>Commentary   | Forecast |
|------------------------|---|---|---|----------|
| PES 19                 | Installation and continued optimisation of fit-for-purpose audio-visual and tech equipment for meetings at Brocks Hill complementing the Council's agile working arrangement s and integrating, onboarding and maximising Members' ICT offer/equipment etc. | Continue to optimise the audio, visual and tech equipment in Brocks Hill's Civic Suite (with our appointed supplier) and integrating, onboarding and maximising functionality and training to Members' on the ICT offer/equipment in a targeted and bespoke manner to cater to all Member levels and abilities etc. | During the Q2 cycle of committee meetings, technical teething difficulties with the embedding of the new audio-visual-technology (AVT) in the Civic Suite after install arose which are currently being examined by the supplier.   | Amber    |
| PES 20                 | Scoping out, implementin g and training relevant officers on a new, streamlined internal reports and decision making-process to make forward planning more effective and efficient.   | Implementa tion of new reports and decision-making workflow process within the existing mod.gov software, to include periodic/reg ular onboarding and refresher training sessions on how to best  | During the Q2 cycle of committee meetings, a review of the efficacy new internal Forward Plan document and processes was undertaken. This has resulted in 4 regular/periodic onboarding and refresher training for report authors and reviews on how to use mod.gov being arranged over the next 12-months. | Amber    |

| use the    |  |
|------------|--|
| redesigned |  |
| system.    |  |

<u>Statutory Key Performance Indicators</u> There is no exception reporting for Quarter 2 2023 – 2024.