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Name and date of Committee	FINANCE AND MANAGEMENT OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE – WEDNESDAY 29 JANUARY 2020
Report Number	AGENDA ITEM No. 5
Subject	MAIN POINTS FROM THE LAST MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE AND FOLLOW UP ACTION
Wards affected	All
Accountable member	Cllr Derek Cotterill Chairman Finance and Management Overview and Scrutiny Committee Email: derek.cotterill@westoxon.gov.uk
Accountable officer	Not applicable
Summary/Purpose	To consider the main points arising from the meeting held on 27 November 2019 and to update the Committee on the follow-up action which has been taken.
Annexes	None
Recommendation	That the report be noted.
Corporate priorities	To advise the Committee of the follow-up action taken since the last meeting in support of the Council's priorities to protect the environment whilst supporting the local economy, to meet the current and future needs of residents and to provide efficient and value for money services, whilst delivering quality front line services.
Key Decision	No
Exempt	No
Consultees/ Consultation	None

I. BACKGROUND

- 1.1. At the meeting of the Committee held on 27 November, 2019, consideration was given to eight substantive items of business.

Main Points of the Last Meeting

- 1.2. The Committee noted the report of the Chairman, which gave details of the main points arising from its meeting held on 2 October, 2019.

Committee Work Programme

- 1.3. The Committee considered an update report on its approved Work Programme for 2019/2020.

Cabinet Work Programme

- 1.4. The Committee noted the contents of the full Cabinet Work Programme published on 15 November 2019.

Notice of Motion – Live Streaming

- 1.5. The Committee considered the Notice of Motion regarding live streaming of Council and Committee meetings following its referral to them by Council. They recommended to Council that further study was required into the various methods and cost implications. The Committee's comments form part of the Council agenda to be considered on 22 January 2020.

Budget

- 1.6. The Committee gave consideration to the report and, following a robust discussion, noted its content.

Revised Medium Term Financial Strategy 2020-2029

- 1.7. The Committee gave consideration to Revised MTFS 2020-2029 and passed its comments to Cabinet.

Service Performance 2019/2020 – Quarter 2

- 1.8. The Committee noted the report of the Group Manager, Strategic Support which provided information on the Council's service performance at the end of Quarter 2 of 2019/2020.

Members' Questions

- 1.9. In response to a question from Councillor Cooper, Officers advised that the issue of providing Parish & Town Council's with hard copies of planning applications was still under consideration.

2. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 2.1. There are no financial implications arising directly from this report.

3. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

- 3.1. None

4. RISK ASSESSMENT

- 4.1. Not applicable

5. CLIMATE CHANGE IMPLICATIONS

- 5.1. Whilst there may be climate change implications arising from specific items, there are none arising directly from this report.

6. ALTERNATIVES/OPTIONS

6.1. Not applicable, the report is submitted for information only.

7. BACKGROUND PAPERS

7.1. None