ANNUAL REPORT OF THE AUDIT, CRIME & DISORDER AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE 2019/20

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Wards affected: (All Wards);

Urgent Decision?(yes/no) No

If yes, reason urgent decision

required:

Appendices (attached): Appendix 1: Annual Report of the Audit, Crime

& Disorder and Scrutiny Committee 2019/20

Summary

This report presents the Annual Report of the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee 2019/20 in accordance with the requirements of Article 6 of the Council's Constitution.

Recommendation (s)

The Council is asked to:

(1) receive the Annual Report of the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee 2019/20.

1 Reason for Recommendation

- 1.1 Under Article 6 of Part 2 of the Constitution the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee is required to report annually to the Council on its work and make recommendations for future work programmes and amended working methods, if appropriate.
- 1.2 This report presents Council with the Annual Report of the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee 2019/20. The recommendation asks Council to receive the report.

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2 Background

- 2.1 In previous years the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee has presented its Annual Report to Council in April each year. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and lockdown earlier this year, the Committee's consideration of its Annual Report 2019/20 has been delayed.
- 2.2 The Committee approved its Annual Report 2019/20, attached at Appendix 1, at its meeting held on 19 November 2020. The report sets out an overview of the work undertaken by the Committee at its three meetings held during 2019/20.

3 Risk Assessment

Legal or other duties

- 3.1 Impact Assessment
 - 3.1.1 None for the purposes of this report.
- 3.2 Crime & Disorder
 - 3.2.1 None for the purposes of this report.
- 3.3 Safeguarding
 - 3.3.1 None for the purposes of this report.
- 3.4 Dependencies
 - 3.4.1 None.
- 3.5 Other
 - 3.5.1 None for the purposes of this report.

4 Financial Implications

- 4.1 There are no financial implications within this report.
- 4.2 **Section 151 Officer's comments**: None arising from the contents of this report.

5 Legal Implications

- 5.1 There are no legal implications within this report.
- 5.2 **Monitoring Officer's comments**: None arising from the contents of this report.

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6 Policies, Plans & Partnerships

- 6.1 **Council's Key Priorities**: The following Key Priorities are engaged:
 - 6.1.1 Green & Vibrant A better place to live where people enjoy their surroundings
 - 6.1.2 Safe & Well A place where people feel safe, secure and lead healthy, fulfilling lives
 - 6.1.3 Opportunity & Prosperity A successful place with a strong, dynamic local economy where people can thrive
 - 6.1.4 Smart & Connected Alive and connected socially, economically, geographically and digitally
 - 6.1.5 Cultural & Creative A centre for cultural and creative excellence and inspiration
 - 6.1.6 Effective Council Engaging, responsive and resilient Council
- 6.2 **Service Plans**: The matter is not included within the current Service Delivery Plan.
- 6.3 Climate & Environmental Impact of recommendations: no specific implications.
- 6.4 **Sustainability Policy & Community Safety Implications**: no specific implications.
- 6.5 **Partnerships**: The Committee has a responsibility to review the work of the local Community Safety Partnership each year. It undertook a review of the work of the East Surrey Community Safety Partnership, of which the Council is a key statutory partner, in June 2019.

7 Background papers

7.1 The documents referred to in compiling this report are as follows:

Previous reports:

 Annual Report 2019/20, Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee 19 November 2020

Other papers:

None