

Audit, Crime and Disorder and Scrutiny  
Committee  
15 June 2021

## **ANNUAL REPORT 2020/21**

<b>Head of Service:</b>	Gillian McTaggart, Head of Policy, Performance & Governance
<b>Wards affected:</b>	(All Wards);
<b>Urgent Decision?(yes/no)</b>	No
<b>If yes, reason urgent decision required:</b>	
<b>Appendices (attached):</b>	<b>Appendix 1 – Annual Report 2020/21</b>

### **Summary**

This report presents the Annual Report of the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee for 2020/21.

### **Recommendation (s)**

#### **The Committee is asked to:**

- (1) Approve the Annual Report 2020/21 attached at Appendix 1 and to present the Annual Report to the next meeting of Council.**

## **1 Reason for Recommendation**

- 1.1 Article 6 within Part 2 of the Constitution requires the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee to report annually to the Council on its workings and make recommendations for future work programmes and amended working methods if appropriate.

## **2 Background**

- 2.1 Attached at Appendix 1 is the draft Annual Report 2020/21 which looks back across the year and which notes the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the work of the Committee. Two meetings of the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee (June 2020 and February 2021) were cancelled during the year. A Special meeting was held in September 2020.
- 2.2 On approval, the Annual Report 2020/21 will be presented to the next meeting of Council.

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## 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 Scrutiny of the Community Safety Partnership is a responsibility of this committee.

### 3.3 Safeguarding

3.3.1 None for the purposes of this report.

### 3.4 Dependencies

3.4.1 None for the purposes of this report.

### 3.5 Other

3.5.1 None for the purposes of this report.

## 4 Financial Implications

4.1 There are no financial implications for the purpose of 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 for the purpose of this report.

5.2 **Monitoring Officer's comments** None arising from the contents of this report.

5.3

## 6 Policies, Plans & Partnerships

6.1 **Council's Key Priorities:** The following Key Priorities are engaged:

6.1.1 Effective Council – Engaging, responsive and resilient Council

6.1.2 Safe & Well – A place where people feel safe, secure and lead healthy, fulfilling lives

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- 6.2 **Service Plans:** The matter is not included within the current Service Delivery Plan.
- 6.3 **Climate & Environmental Impact of recommendations:** no relevance for the purpose of this report.
- 6.4 **Sustainability Policy & Community Safety Implications:** no relevance for the purpose of this report.
- 6.5 **Partnerships:** Not applicable.

## 7 Background papers

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

### **Previous reports:**

- Agenda and Minutes of the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee 17 September 2020
- Agenda and Minutes of the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee 19 November 2020
- Agenda and Minutes of the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee 8 April 2021

### **Other papers:**

- None.