

## Minutes

### Corporate Services and Partnerships Policy Overview Committee

Thursday 10 March 2016

Meeting held at Committee Room 5 - Civic  
Centre, High Street, Uxbridge UB8 1UW



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LONDON

	<p><b>Members Present:</b> Councillors Richard Lewis (Chairman), Richard Mills (Vice-Chairman), Wayne Bridges, Tony Burles, Nick Denys, Narinder Garg, Raymond Graham, Henry Higgins and Robin Sansarpuri.</p> <p><b>Officers:</b> James Rodger (Head of Planning and Enforcement), Perry Scott (Deputy Director of Residents Services, Development &amp; Assets) and Khalid Ahmed (Democratic Services Manager).</p>
43.	<p><b>MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 2 FEBRUARY 2016</b></p> <p>Agreed as an accurate record.</p>
44.	<p><b>EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC</b></p> <p>It was agreed that all items of business would be considered in public.</p>
45.	<p><b>CONSULTATION WITH PARTNERS (PUBLIC UTILITIES) ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS</b></p> <p>Members were provided with a presentation from the Head of Planning and Enforcement on the consultation which takes place with partners (Public Utilities) on planning applications.</p> <p>Reference was made to the Council's Strategic Infrastructure Plan (SIP) which looked at the energy, waste and utilities requirements to underpin identified growth in the Local Plan Part 1. This Plan provided information for developers on how to consult with Public Utilities.</p> <p>The Committee was informed that Public Utilities were not statutory consultees, therefore, it was a matter of local discretion as to whom and how Hillingdon chose to consult on planning applications.</p> <p>Discussion took place on the relationship this Council had with its partners and officers were asked to look at the possibility of</p>

	<p>looking at the relationship the Council had with Transport for London. Members asked that consideration be given to this Committee looking at this relationship as a possible review.</p> <p><b>RESOLVED –</b></p> <p><b>1. That the information provided by the Head of Planning and Enforcement be noted and officers be asked to investigate the possibility of the Committee looking at the relationship of the Council with Transport for London as a possible review topic.</b></p>	
46.	<p><b>PROCUREMENT IN THE COUNCIL</b></p> <p>The Deputy Director of Residents Services, Development and Assets, attended the meeting and provided the Committee with a presentation on the changes in the Council's Procurement and Commissioning functions which had resulted in savings to the Council.</p> <p><b>RESOLVED –</b></p> <p><b>1. That the information provided by the Deputy Director of Residents Services, Development and Assets be noted.</b></p>	
47.	<p><b>CABINET FORWARD PLAN</b></p> <p>Noted.</p>	
48.	<p><b>WORK PROGRAMME</b></p> <p>The Committee asked, subject to the responses being received to the Committee's enquiries in relation to Business Rates at Heathrow Airport, an update be provided at the next meeting of the Committee.</p> <p>Noted.</p>	
	<p><b>Meeting commenced at 7.30pm and closed at 8.30pm</b>  <b>Next meeting: 26 April 2016 at 7.30pm</b></p>	

These are the minutes of the above meeting. For more information on any of the resolutions please contact Khalid Ahmed on 01895 250833. These minutes are circulated to Councillors, Officers, the Press and Members of the Public.