

# **BULWELLAND BULWELL FOREST AREA COMMITTEE (1)**

**18 MAY 2016**

<b>Title of paper:</b>	Nottingham City Homes Update and Approvals	
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<b>Date of consultation with Portfolio Holder(s) (if relevant)</b>	N/A	
<b>Relevant Council Plan Strategic Priority:</b>		
Cutting unemployment by a quarter		<input type="checkbox"/>
Cut crime and anti-social behaviour		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Ensure more school leavers get a job, training or further education than any other City		<input type="checkbox"/>
Your neighbourhood as clean as the City Centre		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Help keep your energy bills down		<input type="checkbox"/>
Good access to public transport		<input type="checkbox"/>
Nottingham has a good mix of housing		<input type="checkbox"/>
Nottingham is a good place to do business, invest and create jobs		<input type="checkbox"/>
Nottingham offers a wide range of leisure activities, parks and sporting events		<input type="checkbox"/>
Support early intervention activities		<input type="checkbox"/>
Deliver effective, value for money services to our citizens		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Summary of issues (including benefits to customers/service users):</b>		
<p>The report provides updates on key issues and themes which link back to local priorities and the strategic themes for Nottingham City Homes.</p> <p>The reports provide summary updates on the following key themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Capital Programme and major work;</li> <li>• area regeneration and environmental issues;</li> <li>• key messages from the Tenant and Leasehold Congress;</li> <li>• Tenant and Residents Associations updates;</li> <li>• area performance;</li> <li>• good news stories and positive publicity.</li> </ul>		
<b>Recommendation(s):</b>		
<b>1</b>	To note and comment on the update and performance information in Appendices 1 and 2.	
<b>2</b>	To note the allocation of funds for 2015/16, detailed in Appendix 3.	
<b>3</b>	To approve the Area Capital Programme funding request set out in Appendix 3.	

## **1. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS (INCLUDING OUTCOMES OF CONSULTATION)**

- 1.1 The Nottingham City Homes Update provides a descriptive and statistical picture of what is happening at an area level and invite community representatives to comment, debate, and challenge and identify how they can add value to improve their neighbourhoods.
- 1.2 The update also monitors progress in the wards and acts as a catalyst for debate about the key performance issues impacting upon the ward on a quarterly basis.

## **2 BACKGROUND (INCLUDING OUTCOMES OF CONSULTATION)**

- 2.1 Nottingham City Homes previously reported on performance at local Area Panels that sat below the respective Area Committees. These panels were attended by local residents, local Councillors and partner agencies.
- 2.2 Nottingham City Homes has a goal to 'create homes and places where people want to live' and to give tenants and leaseholders an input in shaping what happens in their area. The Nottingham City Homes Update and Performance Report is one of a number of initiatives that increases the transparency and accountability of the Company's performance.
- 2.3 Following the decision for Nottingham City Homes reps to attend Area Committee, it was decided to provide the Nottingham City Homes Update Report to Area Committee. Appendices 1 and 2 provide the latest performance position for the committee to note and comment on.
- 2.4 Appendix 3 outlines the capital budget for this area for noting and provides detail of the schemes that require approval by the Committee.
- 2.5 Appendix 4 provides the information as to which streets each Housing Patch Manager covers.

## **3 OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED IN MAKING RECOMMENDATIONS**

None

## **4 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS (INCLUDING VALUE FOR MONEY/VAT)**

Budgets are allocated on a yearly basis for each ward and there is an obligation on Nottingham City Homes to ensure that funds are allocated to projects within these budget requirements

## **5 RISK MANAGEMENT ISSUES (INCLUDING LEGAL IMPLICATIONS AND CRIME AND DISORDER ACT IMPLICATIONS)**

None

## **6 EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT (only include if required by NCH)**

- 6.1 Has the equality impact been assessed? No

7. **LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS OTHER THAN PUBLISHED WORKS OR THOSE DISCLOSING CONFIDENTIAL OR EXEMPT INFORMATION**

None

8. **PUBLISHED DOCUMENTS REFERRED TO IN COMPILING THIS REPORT**

None