

Monthly Management Report

September 2017

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- Slightly behind and requires improvement
- Not on track but taking corrective action
- Improving
- No change
- Declining
- Missing actual data
- Missing target
- Missing target and actual data

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Foreword

The purpose of the Management Report is to place on record each month, in a consistent format, our performance against priorities. Each month we attempt to give a full account of what is being done, what has been achieved and which areas require additional management attention to secure future achievements. The report gives some coverage to the effectiveness of our partnership working. Reporting on performance is always double-edged. We have high ambitions and targets which are set to stretch management and staff effort. So, there are areas where the need for greater management attention is highlighted.

The report focuses on the Council's performance in line with our corporate priorities, drawing data from performance indicators (PIs), project monitoring information, risk register assessments and financial reports.

Performance:

Performance is being reported for September 2017. There are 13 performance indicators (68% of the total) reported as green or amber against target, and 8 (42%) are showing an upward direction of travel. There are 6 performance indicators (33%) reported as red against target and 11 performance indicators (58%) which have a Red direction of travel. There are no indicators that have missing performance data.

Projects:

Projects are being reported for August 2017. There are no red projects this month.

Risks:

Risks are being reported for June 2017. There are seven red corporate risks - noncompliance with Health and Safety legislation; financial failure and inability to maintain service delivery within a balanced budget; loss of income to the Council; failure of child safeguarding arrangement; serious adult safeguarding concern; failure to maintain strategic asset and strategic programme to develop and implement transformational charge does not deliver. There are thirteen amber risks and one green risk.

Finance:

The financial forecasts for 2017/18 as at 31 August 2017 are as follows: There is a forecast overspend of £13.5m against the directorates' net general fund revenue budget. This compares to a final outturn of £7m for 2016/17 which resulted after applying £2.8m of funding for 'risks and other budget pressures' against the directorates' year-end overspend of £9.8m for that year. The Dedicated Schools Grant (DSG) is expected to balance at the year end. It is expected that there will be 12 schools that require to have a licensed deficit. The Housing Revenue Account (HRA) is currently projecting an additional surplus fo £0.6m

Executive Management Team, 10 October 2017

Overall Summary: Performance

Summary of performance indicators in this report.

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Performance

This report contains September 2017 performance data, and finds that 13 indicators are reported as green or amber against target which is the same as in the last report. In September 2017, 6 indicators are reported as red against target, which is also the same as in the last report. There are no indicators with missing data in August 2017, which again is the same as in the last report.

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Across all performance indicators in

this report

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Total

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Direction of Travel

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Direction of Travel

A total of 8 indicators are showing an upward trend in August 2017, which is the same as in the last report. There are 11 indicators with a red direction of travel, which is 1 more than the last report. No indicators have remained the same.

N.B. direction of travel is the change in performance and is measured against the previous year. Therefore changes to targets from one year to the next will affect this.

Areas for Management Attention

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Areas requiring management attention this	s month
Performance Indicators - Monthly Indica	
	DoT DoT Against Aug Aug Target 17 v 17 v Periods Red No. No. No. 17
LPZ941 % EHCPs issued under 20 weeks including exceptions to the rule	▲ 🔰 🖊 14 2 p14
NI064 Child protection plans lasting 2 years or more	▲ 🐪 🔻 5 7 p26
LPI202 Library visits per 1000 pop	▲ 1 2 9 p30
Performance Indicators - Monthly Indicators (reported	d 1 month behind)
	DoT DoT Against Jul Jul Consecutive Target 17 v 17 v periods Red Priority Page Jul 17 Mar Jun (last 12 No. No. 17 17
NI192 Percentage of household waste sent for reuse, recycling and composting	▲ 🔰 🔻 9 3 p17
Performance indicators - Quarterly indic	cators
	DoT DoT Consecutive Against Jun Jun periods Red Priority Page Target 17 v 17 v (last 12 No. No.

Areas of Good Performance

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Areas of Good Performance

Performance Indicators - Monthly indicators										
	Against Target Aug 17	DoT Aug 17 v Mar 17	DoT Aug 17 v Jul 17	Priority No.						
NI062 Stability of placements of looked after children: number of moves	*	>	>	7						
LPI265 2C (2) Delayed transfers of care from hospital which are attributable to ASC per 100,000 pop	*	>	→	8						
BV012b Days/shifts lost to sickness (excluding Schools)	*	>	1	10						
LPI031 NNDR collected	*	—	1	10						

	Performance Indicators - Monthly Indicators (reported 1	1 month behind)				
	◆ Against Target			DoT Jul 17 v Mar DoT Jul 17 v Jul Priority		
		ul 17	17	17	No.	
E	■ NI193 Percentage of municipal waste land filled	*	>	→	3	

Performance Indicators - Quaterly Indicators						
	Against Target	DoT Jun 17 v	DoT Jun 17 v	Priority		
	Jun 17	Mar 17	Mar 17	No.		
LPZ705 Number of homes made decent	*	7	X	6		

Programmes and Projects

Project Performance - September 2017

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	This month One month ago			Two months ago						
		Status		Status			Status			
A	0	*	Total		*	Total		*	Total	
0	9	5	1 4	0 9	5	1 4	0 9	5	1 4	

Estimated comple	etion dates
Project	Date
PMSCYP Developing 2 Year Old Childcare Provision	October 2017
PMSCUS Lewisham Homes Capital Programme	March 2018
PMSCUS New Homes, Better Places	Phase 2 completion - March 2018
PMSCYP Building Schools for the Future	April 2018
PMSRGN Sydenham Park Footbridge	October 2018
PMSCUS Beckenham Place Park Regeneration and Flood Scheme	June 2019
PMSCYP Pupil Places Programme	September 2019
PMSRGN Milford Towers Decant	2019
PMSCUS Bampton Estate Development	March 2020
PMSRGN Southern Site Housing - Deptf TC Prog	March 2021
PMSCUS Besson Street Development	March 2021
PMSCUS Excalibur Regeneration	Final Phase complete by February 2023
PMSRGN New Bermondsey Regeneration Scheme	2026
PMSRGN Catford Centre Redevelopment	2026

Movements in project status since July 2017

Upgrades:

None

Downgrades:

None

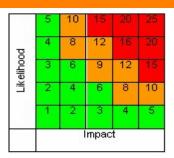
Removals:

None

Additions:

None

Overall Performance: Risk



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Risk can be defined as uncertainty of outcome due to an event or an action in the future that could adversely affect an organisation's ability to achieve its business objectives and meet its strategies.

Good risk management allows an organisation to have increased confidence in achieving its desired outcomes; effectively constrain threats to acceptable levels; and take informed decisions about exploiting opportunities. Good risk management also allows stakeholders to have increased confidence in the organisation's corporate governance and ability to deliver.

In accordance with the Council's current Risk Management Strategy, risk is monitored by way of risk registers. Risks are scored in terms of likelihood and impact, with a range from 1 to 5 (with 5 being the highest) and the result is plotted on a matrix (as shown) to produce the RAG rating. A target is also set and the risk registers contain action plans to manage the risks to target and these are subject to regular review by Directorate Management Teams. The risk registers are reported to the Executive Management Team and the Internal Control Board on a quarterly basis and quarterly updates are provided in this report. The previous quarter's data will be routinely carried forward until the next quarterly update is made, unless there are matters of significance that need to specifically be brought to management's attention.

The Corporate Risk register has been refreshed to ensure that all risks are more clearly defined and accurately reflect the underlying risks. All of the action plans within the registers now have clear deadlines for completion and these are being made more specific for 2017/18. There are 21 risks in total on the Corporate Risk register (7 Red, 13 Amber, and 1 Green).

The changes to status this quarter are depicted in the table below:-

Change this Qtr.	Ref.	Title	Previous Mar-17	Current June 17	Target	Score change
	1.B.3	Loss of Strategic Asset	9	16	6	7
Risk Changes	2.A.4	Election Efficiency	10	4	4	-6
Changes	3.A.1	Employee Relations	9	12	8	3

Alignment of directorate to corporate risks is regularly analysed and reported to the Internal Control Board. Analysis of the alignment of risks identified in business plans to the directorate registers will be strengthened following completion of the 2017/18 business planning process.

A Risk Maturity Assessment, undertaken by Internal Audit, reported in July 2016. It assesses the Council as 'Risk Managed'. This is the fourth highest of a five point scale. The definition of 'Risk Managed' is 'Enterprise-wide approach to risk management developed and communicated'.

There are six recommendations arising from the Assessment and an action plan is in place to implement these by the due dates. The Risk Management Strategy has been refreshed and was approved by the ICB in July 2017.

Overall Performance: Risk

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	Red (Corporate Register)	
Corporate priority	Risk name	Current status
10	1B.1. Non-compliance with Health & Safety Legislation	
10	1B.3. Loss of a strategic asset or premises through failure to maintain it in a safe and effective condition	
7	2A.2. Failure of child safeguarding arrangement	
10	2A.3. Strategic programme to develop and implement transformational change does not deliver	
8	2A.5. Serious Adult Safeguarding Concerns	
10	5A.1. Financial Failure and inability to maintain service delivery within a balanced budget	
10	5A.3. Loss of income to the Council	

Overall Performance: Risk

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Corporate Risk					
	Current Status	Current status against target	Source Date	Direction of Travel	Priority
1A.1. Information Governance failure.			Jun 17	→	10
1A.2 Governance failings in the implementation of service changes			Jun 17	→	10
1B.1. Non-compliance with Health & Safety Legislation			Jun 17	→	10
1B.2. Failure to anticipate and respond appropriately to legislative change.			Jun 17	→	10
1B.3. Loss of a strategic asset or premises through failure to maintain it in a safe and effective condition			Jun 17	1	10
2A.1. Adequacy of Internal Control.			Jun 17	→	10
2A.2. Failure of child safeguarding arrangement		*	Jun 17	7	7
2A.3. Strategic programme to develop and implement transformational change does not deliver			Jun 17	→	10
2A.4. Elections not conducted efficiently or effectively.	*	*	Jun 17	>	10
2A.5. Serious Adult Safeguarding Concerns		*	Jun 17	>	8
2B.1. ICT infrastructure is not fit for purpose and/or does not meet business needs			Jun 17	→	10
3A.1. Loss of constructive employee relations			Jun 17	1	10
3A.2. Failure to maintain sufficient management capacity & capability to deliver business as usual and implement transformational changes.		•	Jun 17	→	10
3B.1. Multi-agency governance failure leads to ineffective partnership working			Jun 17	→	10
3B.2. Failure to agree with partners integrated delivery models for local health and care services.			Jun 17	→	9
4A.1. Failure to manage strategic suppliers and related procurement programmes.			Jun 17	→	10
4B.1. Failure to manage performance leads to service failure.			Jun 17	→	10
5A.1. Financial Failure and inability to maintain service delivery within a balanced budget			Jun 17	→	10
5A.2. Lack of provision for unforeseen expenditure or loss of income in respect of Council's liabilities or funding streams.		•	Jun 17	→	10
5A.3. Loss of income to the Council			Jun 17	→	10
5B.1. Failure to effectively manage the impacts of an emergency affecting the public, business, environment and/or organisation.		*	Jun 17	→	10

Overall Performance: Finance

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Performance

	July 2017		August 2017	%
*	★ 1		1	10
	2	20	2	20
_	7	70	7	70
Totals	10	100	10	100

The financial forecasts for 2017/18 as at 31 August 2017 are as follows: There is a forecast overspend of £13.5m against the directorates' net general fund revenue budget. This compares to a final outturn of £7m for 2016/17 which resulted after applying £2.8m of funding for 'risks and other budget pressures' against the directorates' year-end overspend of £9.8m for that year. The Dedicated Schools Grant (DSG) is expected to balance at the year end. It is expected that there will be 12 schools that require to have a licensed deficit. The Housing Revenue Account (HRA) is currently projecting an additional surplus of £0.6m.

Finance by Priorities ('000s)								
Latest projected year								
	2017/18 Budget end variance as at % variance							
	Αι	ıg 17						
01. NI Community Leadership and Empowerment	4,890	60.00	1.23					
02. NI Young People's Achievement and Involvement	15,100	1,900.00	12.58					
03. NI Clean, Green and Liveable 18,500 2,300.00								
04. NI Safety, Security and Visible Presence	9,300	300.00	3.23					
05. NI Strengthening the Local Economy	2,500	-100.00	-4.00					
06. NI Decent Homes for All	5,600	200.00	3.57					
07. NI Protection of Children	37,600	5,600.00	14.89					
08. NI Caring for Adults and Older People	70,000	1,100.00	1.57					
09. NI Active, Healthy Citizens 2,710 40.00								
10. NI Inspiring Efficiency, Effectiveness, and Equity	66,546	2,100.00	3.16					
Corporate priorities	232,746	13,500.00	5.80					

Hot Topics

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Residents invited to join the Catford conversation

Team Catford, a group of residents who champion local views, is asking for those who live, work, socialise, commute through or run a business in Catford to give their views on the future of the town centre. These views will help inform our plans to regenerate the area. Give your views about Catford. Residents are invited to share their views about the future of Catford at a series of public events in the autumn:

- Wednesday 27 September, 1–5pm, Little Nan's Bar (foyer of the Broadway Theatre)
- Tuesday 3 October, 7–9pm, Rushey Green Local Assembly, Civic Suite, Lewisham Council
- Wednesday 18 October, 11am–2pm, Catford Library
- Saturday 21 October, 10am–2pm, Catford Library

People who live and work in Catford can also have their say about the area online or by using #CatfordConversation on Twitter. Improvements to Catford. Changes to the South Circular in Catford will begin a major programme of development which will result in:

- new retail space
- new homes across the town centre
- replacement of the Milford Towers
- pedestrian-friendly areas
- more open spaces
- new community facilities.

Councillor Alan Smith, Deputy Mayor and member for Catford South said: 'Team Catford is encouraging everyone to join in the Catford conversation. 1000 people have taken part so far, sharing their views about what they love about Catford and what they would like to change. 'So far, some of the most talked about issues have been the South Circular road that divides the town centre, the rundown space between Catford and Catford Bridge stations that's crying out for a commuter café and the iconic Catford Cat.' Comments received from Catford residents online or at the four public events will help us develop a plan to improve the town centre in 2018.

Council tax refund scam alert

We have been advised that some Lewisham residents have been contacted by companies claiming they were due a council tax refund or rebanding worth hundreds of pounds. Contact can be made by telephone, email or text. These companies charge for this service and will require bank or credit card details to deal with your case. The companies also use premium rate phone numbers to provide further information. Residents are reminded that the Valuation Office Agency offers information on rebanding for free and that we will never ask for your bank details in an email. If you want to apply for a council tax refund you can complete our online form. There is no fee for this service. If you think you have been approached by one of these companies please report it to Action Fraud. General advice for staying safe online is available on the Get Safe Online website.

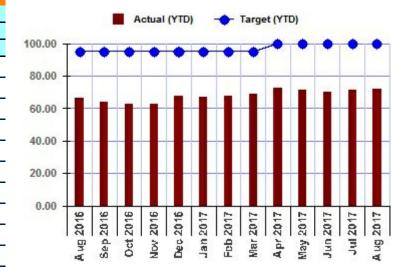
2. Young People's Achievement and Involvement Raising educational attainment and improving facilities for young people through partnership working

Priority 2 - Monthly Performance									
	Unit	YTD Aug 17	Target Aug 17	Against Target Aug 17	DoT Last year	Against Target Jul 17	Against Target Jun 17	16/17	
LPZ940 % EHCPs issued under 20 weeks excluding exceptions to the rule	Percentage	73.10	100.00	A	>	A	A		
LPZ941 % EHCPs issued under 20 weeks including exceptions to the rule	Percentage	71.90	100.00	A	1	A	A	A	

	Priority 2 - Projects	;		
	Directorate	Budget	Est. completion date	Current Status
PMSCYP Building Schools for the Future	CYP	£230m	April 2018	*
PMSCYP Developing 2 Year Old Childcare Provision	CYP	£2.562m	October 2017	
PMSCYP Pupil Places Programme	СҮР	Budget 2016 - 2019: £36 M	September 2019	

	Net Expenditure Priority 02 ('000s)								
	2017/18 Budget	Projected year-end variance as at Aug 17	Variance	% Variance	Comments				
02. NI Young People's Achievement and Involvement	15,100			12.58	Finance Overspend Schools' transport within partnership and targeted services overspend of £0.7m. The education psychologist's budget has seen an increase spending pressure due to the demand for EHCP, where the numbers issued has doubled this year. In addition the short break's budget is expected to overspend by £500k. Lastly, £0.7m, relates to unachieved previous years savings.				

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LPZ9	41 - %EHCPs issued und		•						
	LPZ941 % EHCPs issued under 20 weeks including exceptions to the rule Percentage								
	Actual (YTD)	Target (YTD)	Performance (YTD)						
Aug 2016	66.70								
Sep 2016	64.00	95.00	<u> </u>						
Oct 2016	62.60	95.00	<u> </u>						
Nov 2016	62.70	95.00	<u> </u>						
Dec 2016	67.80	95.00	A						
Jan 2017	66.90	95.00	<u> </u>						
Feb 2017	67.60	95.00	A						
Mar 2017	68.80	95.00	A						
Apr 2017	72.40	100.00	A						
May 2017	71.40	100.00	A						
Jun 2017	70.20	100.00	A						
Jul 2017	71.40	100.00	<u> </u>						
Aug 2017	71.90	100.00	A						



LPZ941 - comment

Performance Comments

Performance

The completion of the 20 week deadline for EHCPs remains vulnerable to changes within staffing across the whole system alongside the actual increase in demand which continues to add pressure. The SEN team is still having to manage the backlog which was created by the historic issues (IT and lack of staffing) and the backlog from related services. Since September 2016, when the SEN team was at full capacity two members of staff have left, we recruited to one of those posts last month and have just recruited to the remaining vacancy. The backlog caused by the lack of staffing capacity within the Educational Psychology will be addressed by the successful recruitment of additional staff, who are due to start in September 2017 once they have completed their training. However there remains a backlog of cases, despite the current recruitment of agency Educational Psychologists. Data published by the DfE in June 2017 (which does not include conversions) shows that 44.9% of EHCPs were completed on time in 2016 excluding exceptions (33.9% including exceptions) by Lewisham's statistical neighbours in Inner London boroughs (excluding City of London) It also shows that 8 out of the 13 boroughs observed a 50-300% increase in the number of EHCPs issued compared to 2015, with Lewisham reporting a 128.6% increase.

Action Plan Comments

Performance Action Plan

The performance of the SEN team is being monitored on a monthly basis. Additional alerts have been put in place (since October 2016) to support case officers to meet their PIs throughout the assessment process. These additional alerts help monitor the 20 week process and will support officers to keep on target. Unfortunately the backlog in the related services continues to impact on case officers being able to meet their 20 week deadline. Whilst additional locum and permanent EP staff have now been recruited the backlog will continue until September; this will impact on the performance against the 20 week target until the autumn term. Note: these comments will be reviewed upon completion of the SEND inspection.

3. Clean, Green & Liveable
Improving environmental management, the cleanliness and care of roads and pavements, and promoting a sustainable environment

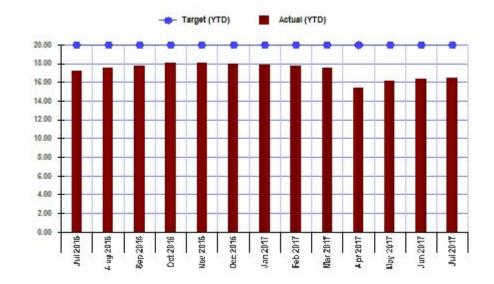
Priority 3 - Monthly Performance (reported one month in arrears)										
	Unit	YTD Jul 17	Target Jul 17	Against Target Jul 17	DoT Last year	Against Target Jun 17	Against Target May 17	16/17		
NI191 Residual household waste per household (KG)	Kg/Household	59.66	58.75		1			*		
NI192 Percentage of household waste sent for reuse, recycling and composting	Percentage	16.48	20.00	A	*	A	A	A		
NI193 Percentage of municipal waste land filled	Percentage	0.42	2.00	*	X	*	*	*		

3. Clean, Green & Liveable
Improving environmental management, the cleanliness and care of roads and pavements, and promoting a sustainable environment

Priority 3 Projects							
	Directorate	Budget	Est. completion date	Current Status			
PMSRGN Sydenham Park Footbridge	Resources & Regeneration	£775k	October 2018				
PMSCUS Beckenham Place Park Regeneration and Flood Scheme	Customer Services	£8.87M	June 2019	*			

			Р	riority 3 -	Finance Net Expenditure ('000s)
		Projected year-end variance as at Aug 17	Variance	% variance	Comments
03. NI Clean, Green and Liveable	18,500	2,300	•	12.43	Finance Overspend The Environment Division has a year-end overspend of £2.3m. £1m overspends are predicted for refuse services and £0.3m for strategic waste management. There is a £0.1m pressure on the civic amenities budget. The Passengers services are predicting an overspend of £0.5m for 2017/18. A saving of £1m was originally agreed to passenger services budgets by M&C over a 2 year period 2016/17 of £0.5m and 2017/18 of £0.5m. The Green scene budgets are projecting an overspend of £0.3m largely as a result of projected overspends on arboreal services. The Bereavement services are predicting £0.1m overspend arising from higher than expected expenditure on equipment.

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N1192 P	NI192 Percentage of household waste sent for reuse, recycling and composting								
	NI192 Percentage of household waste sent for reuse, recycling								
		and composting							
	Percentage								
	Actual (YTD)	Target (YTD)	Performance (YTD)						
Jul 16	17.21	20.00							
Aug 16	17.50	20.00	A						
Sep 16	17.72	20.00	A						
Oct 16	18.06	20.00	A						
Nov 16	18.06	20.00	A						
Dec 16	18.01	20.00	A						
Jan 17	17.89	20.00	A						
Feb 17	17.74	20.00	A						
Mar 17	17.59	20.00	A						
Apr 17	15.43	20.00	A						
May 17	16.15	20.00	<u> </u>						
Jun 17	16.39	20.00	<u> </u>						
Jul 17	16.48	20.00	<u> </u>						



	NI192 - com	nment
Responsible Officer	Performance Comments	Action Plan Comments
Head of Environment	waste sent to landfill has reduced from 0.55% in June (63.23 tonnes) to 0.35% in July (37.23 tonnes). The residential household waste per household has also reduced from 62.86 tonnes in June to 56.71 tonnes in July. The percentage of household waste sent for reuse, recycling and composting has reduced from 16.83% (1601.503 tonnes) in June to 16.76% (1447.0225 tonnes) in July.	Performance Action Plan A comprehensive communications plan is being developed which will be implemented when rolling out the new services in October. This will include a communications project to reduce the amount of residual waste. This will be through leaflets to all residents affected by the service change reminding them on what items can be placed in their recycling bin in addition to advising on how to use the new food waste service. New stickers will also be applied to recycling bins advising households what items can be recycled at the kerbside. The new service leaflets are in the process of being distributed to households. The delivery will be completed ahead of the new services starting at the beginning of October.

4. Safety, Security and Visible Presence Improving Partnership working with the police and others and using the Council's powers to combat anti-social behaviour

4.1 Performance

Improving - where smaller is better

The Inner London Average excludes Lewisham and the City of London, leaving eleven boroughs remaining. The Outer London Average is comprised of twenty boroughs.

> Declining - where smaller is better

	Violence with injury (MET figures)								
	Unit	Aug 17	Jul 17	Jun 17	May 17	Change since last month	Aug 16	Change since same period last year	
Lewisham	Number	472.00	521.00	530.00	524.00	↓	481.00	∵	
Inner London	Number	514.91	574.00	570.36	528.09	*	456.00	†×	
Outer London	Number	355.65	411.30	410.45	409.40	*	357.00	↓	

Robbery (MET figures)										
Unit Aug 17 Jul 17 Jun 17 May 17 Change since last month							Aug 16 Change since same period last year			
Lewisham	Number	103.00	85.00	103.00	112.00	†X	76.00	†X		
Inner London	Number	125.18	130.36	106.73	115.45	*	85.00	ŤΧ		
Outer London	Number	61.75	70.80	60.65	55.00	*	47.00	†×		

Sexual Offences (MET figures)									
	Unit Aug 17 Jul 17 Jun 17 May 17 Change since last month				Aug 16	Change since same period last year			
Lewisham	Number	54.00	69.00	61.00	69.00	*	60.00	*	
Inner London	Number	64.00	64.91	61.27	59.00	*	56.00	*X	
Outer London	Number	42.65	48.50	52.85	49.00	*	36.00	*x	

4. Safety, Security and Visible Presence Improving Partnership working with the police and others and using the Council's powers to combat anti-social behaviour

4.1 Performance

Improving - where smaller is better

The Inner London Average excludes Lewisham and the City of London, leaving eleven boroughs remaining. The Outer London Average is comprised of twenty boroughs.

> Declining - where smaller is better

	Domestic Violence (MOPAC figures)								
	Unit	Year ended Jun 17	Year ended Mar 17	Change since last quarter	Year ended Jun 16 Change since same period last year				
Lewisham	Number	6,210.00	6,162.00	↓	6,425.00	↓			
Overall London	Number	4,575.06	4,612.00	*	4,689.00	↓			

	Serious Youth Crime (MOPAC figures)									
	Unit	Year ended Jul 17	Year ended Jun 17	Change since last month	Year ended Jul 16	Change since same period last year				
Lewisham	Number	315.00	318.00	†x	236.00	†x				
Inner London	Number	266.91	263.00	†x	203.00	†x				
Outer London	Number	232.45	230.90	†x	199.00	†x				

	Knife Crime, offenders aged under 25 years (MOPAC figures)									
Unit Year ended Jul 17 Year ended Jun 17 (Year ended Jun 17	Change since last month	Year ended Jul 16	Change since same period last year				
Lewisham	Number	84.00	82.00	† X	77.00	* ×				
Inner London	Number	78.18	79.55	*	66.00	*×				
Outer London	Number	54.35	54.25	ŤΧ	47.00	*×				

	Gun Crime, offenders aged under 25 years (MOPAC figures)									
Unit Year ended Jul 17 Year ended Jun 17			Year ended Jun 17	Change since last month	Year ended Jul 16	Change since same period last year				
Lewisham	Number	7.00	8.00	*	10.00	↓				
Inner London	Number	7.23	7.23	*	10.00	↓				
Outer London	Number	9.50	9.10	*x	8.00	*x				

4. Safety, Security and Visible Presence Improving Partnership working with the police and others and using the Council's powers to combat anti-social behaviour

		Priority 4 -	Finance N	let Expen	diture ('000s)
		Projected year-end variance as at Aug 17	Variance	% variance	Comments
04. NI Safety, Security and Visible Presence	9,300	300	A	3.23	Finance Overspend An overspend of £0.3m is projected on crime reduction and supporting people. There are 2 separate budget pressures within the youth offending service which total £0.5m - these pressures are partially offset by managed underspends of £0.2m across the rest of the Division. This overspend relates to two separate budget pressures within the youth offending services. There are as follows: There is a projected overspend of £0.3 on the budget for secure remand placements which has resulted from a combination of a reduction in government grant funding coupled with a significant upturn in the level of remand placements required. Secondly, following the adverse service inspection by the Youth Justice Board, a new staffing structure has been put into place to address the issues raised. This is expected to create a £0.2m pressures on the core budget for the youth offending service in 2017/18.

5. Strengthening the Local Economy Gaining resources to regenerate key localities, strengthen employment skills and promote public transport

Priority 5 - Monthly Contextual Performance							
	Unit	YTD Aug 17	YTD Jul 17	YTD Jun 17	YTD May 17	YTD Apr 17	16/17
LPI472 Job Seekers Allowance claimant rate	Percentage	2.50	2.50	2.60	2.60	2.60	2.50
LPI474 The no.of JSA claimants aged 18-24yrs	Number	790	775	810	825	825	800
LPI475 Average house price(Lewisham)	£	?	416,848.00	409,282.00	409,119.00	407,182.00	410,416.00

Priority 5 - Quarterly Contextual Performance								
	Unit	YTD Jun 17	YTD Mar 17	YTD Dec 16	YTD Sep 16	YTD Jun 16 1	16/17	
LPI423 Local employment rate	Percentage	?	77.40	74.80	73.50	73.40	77.40	

Priority 5 Projects						
	Directorate	Budget	Est. completion date	Current Status		
PMSRGN Catford Centre Redevelopment	Resources & Regeneration	£350m	2026			
PMSRGN New Bermondsey Regeneration Scheme	Resources & Regeneration	£500m	2026	•		

6. Decent Homes for All
Investment in social and affordable housing to achieve the Decent Homes standard, tackle homelessness and supply key worker housing

Priority 6 - Monthly Indicators (contextual)					
	Aug 17	Jul 17	Jun 17	May 17	Apr 17
NI156 Number of households living in Temporary Accommodation	1,959	1,930	1,929	1,900	1,867
LPI794 Number of families in non self contained nightly paid accommodation for more than 6 weeks	34	25	0	19	20

Priority 6 - Quarterly Indicator								
	YTD Jun 17	Target Jun 17	Against target Jun 17	DoT Last year	Against Target Mar 17	Against Target Dec 16	16/17	
LPZ705 Number of homes made decent	86.00	81.00	*	7				354.00

6. Decent Homes for All
Investment in social and affordable housing to achieve the Decent Homes standard, tackle homelessness and supply key worker housing

		Priority 6 Proje	cts	
	Directorate	Budget	Est. completion date	Current Status
PMSCUS New Homes, Better Places	Customer Services	£1.5m	Phase 2 completion - March 2018	*
PMSCUS Lewisham Homes Capital Programme	Customer Services	£49m	March 2018	*
PMSCUS Besson Street Development	Customer Services	£1.02M	March 2021	*
PMSCUS Bampton Estate Development	Customer Services	£300k	March 2020	•
PMSCUS Excalibur Regeneration	Customer Services	£2.011m	Final Phase complete by February 2025	
PMSRGN Milford Towers Decant	Resources & Regeneration	£6m	2019	•
PMSRGN Southern Site Housing - Deptf TC Prog	Resources & Regeneration	£1m	March 2021	•

	Priority 6 - Finance Net Expenditure (?000s)							
2017/18 Projected year-end % Variance as at Aug Variance Variance Variance								
06. NI Decent Homes for All	5,600	200	3.57	Finance Overspend The strategic housing service is projecting an overspend of £0.2m. There is a £0.2m overspend projected on the staffing budget for the no recourse to public funds team.				

7. Protection of Children Better safe-guarding and joined-up services for children at risk

Prio	rity 7 - Mont	hly Perfo	ormance					
	Unit	YTD Aug 17	_	Against Target Aug 17	DoT Last year		Against Target Jun 17	16/17
NI062 Stability of placements of looked after children: number of moves	Percentage	9.70	10.00	*	7	*	•	*
NI063 Stability of placements of looked after children: length of placement	Percentage	78.30	77.00	*	*	*	*	*
NI064 Child protection plans lasting 2 years or more	Percentage	7.10	4.00	A	1		A	*

	Priority 7 -	Contextual P	erformance						
	Unit	England 14/15	Statistical Neighbours 14/15	Aug 17	Jul 17	Jun 17	May 17	Apr 17	16/17
LPI302 No. of LAC 'as at'	Number	386.00	445.00	465.00	461.00	459.00	467.00	469.00	459.00
LPI309a Number of Referrals per month	Number	294.00	252.00	223.00	255.00	260.00	293.00	189.00	289.00

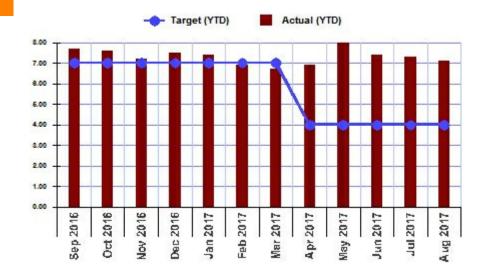
		Prio	rity 7 - Finance	Net Expenditure	e ('000s)
	2017/18 Budget	Projected year end variance as at Aug 17	Variance	% variance	Comments
07. NI Protection of Children	37,600	5,600	•		Finance Overspend The Children's Social Care has overspent by £5.6m which are in the following areas: the placement budget for looked after children has overspent of approx. £2.1m; Additional pressure on the section 17 unrelated to no recourse to public funds of £0.8m and on salaries and wages which show a forecast overspend of £1.2m; a total investment of £0.6m has been made in the 'new front door' service which will bring costs down in the future; the underachieved savings across the directorate amount to £1.6m.

7. Protection of Children

Better safe-guarding and joined-up services for children at risk

			Risk		
	Current Status	Current Status against target	Direction of Trave	What are we planning to do?	When is it going to be completed
2A.2. Failure of child safeguarding arrangement Corporate		*	Jun 17 🥕	Risk - What are we planning to do? Implement improvement plans for CSC and LSCB, particularly Front Door/MASH and quality assurance strategy. Data information and performance management regularly reviewed at Children's Social Care Service Management Team in light of OFSTED Action Plan Implement Early Help Strategy Case Study Approach at CYP DMT Comprehensive workforce strategy is being launched, focussing on sufficiency, skills and performance of the workforce. Actions for OFSTED implementation plan.	Risk - When is it going to be completed? • 30/9/17 • Monthly basis • At each DMT • Ongoing monthly basis

	NI064- Child prote	ction plans lasting 2 v	years or more						
	NI064 Child protectio	n plans lasting 2 year	rs or more						
	Percentage								
	Actual (YTD)	Target (YTD)	Performance (YTD)						
Aug 2016	6.50	7.00	*						
Sep 2016	7.70	7.00	A						
Oct 2016	7.60	7.00	A						
Nov 2016	7.20	7.00							
Dec 2016	7.50	7.00	A						
Jan 2017	7.40	7.00	A						
Feb 2017	6.90	7.00	*						
Mar 2017	6.70	7.00	*						
Apr 2017	6.90	4.00	A						
May 2017	8.00	4.00	A						
Jun 2017	7.40	4.00	A						
Jul 2017	7.30	4.00	A						
Aug 2017	7.10	4.00	A						



	NI064 - comment	
Responsil Officer	Performance Comments	Action Plan Comments
Director (Children's Social Ca	occasions when the number of children who had been on Plans for more than two	Performance Action Plan Targeted action continues to be taken to progress to Child in Need step-down or escalation to Care Proceedings for children on CP Plans. This will prevent drift and extended periods on CP Plans and should also result in this indicator meeting its target by March 2018.

8. Caring for Adults and Older People Working with Health Services to support older people and adults in need of care

	Prior	ity 8 - Mo	onthly Indic	ators				
	Unit	YTD Aug 17	Target Aug 17	Against Target Aug 17	DoT Last year	Against Target Jul 17	Against Target Jun 17	16/17
LPI254 1C (2) % people using social care who receive direct payments	Percentage	32.99	32.00	*	*	*	*	*

Priority	8 - Monthly inc	licators r	eported or	ne month in arre	ars			
	Unit	YTD Jul 17	Target Jul 17	Against Target Jul 17	DoT Last year	Against Target Jun 17	Against Target May 17	16/17
LPI264 2C (1) Delayed transfers of care from hospital per 100,000 population (NHS only)	Number per 100,000	4.28	4.40	*	1	A	*	*
LPI265 2C (2) Delayed transfers of care from hospital which are attributable to ASC per 100,000 pop	Number per 100,000	0.43	0.80	*	*	*	*	A

Priority 8 - Monthly Cor	ntextual Performan	ce					
	Unit	Aug 17	Jul 17	Jun 17	May 17	Apr 17	16/17
LPI250 ASC total service users	Number	3,106.00	3,121.00	3,122.00	3,117.00	3,121.00	3,137

	Priority 8 - Finance Net Expenditure ('000s)								
	2017/18 Budget	Projected year-end variance as at Aug 17	Variance	% variance	Comments				
08. NI Caring for Adults and Older People	70,000	1,100	A		Finance Overspend The Adult Services Division is forecast to overspend by £1.2m. The main variance relate to placement budgets where existing pressures are compounded by the cost of new transition cases of £0.9m and by the difficulty in achieving the £4.5m savings required for 2017/18. This has been offset by an underspend in strategy and performance on £.1m.				

8. Caring for Adults and Older People

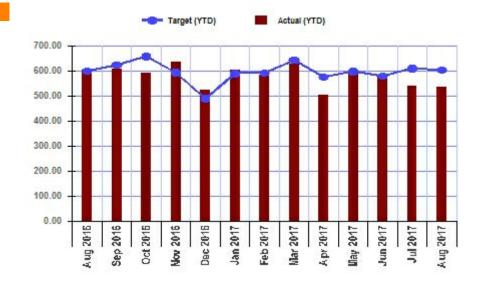
Developing opportunities for the active participation and engagement of people in the life of the community

				Risk			
	Curr Stat		Current Status against target		Direction of Travel	What are we planning to do?	When is it going to be completed
2A.5. Serious Adult Safeguarding Corp	orate	A	*	Jun 17	×	Risk - What are we planning to do? • LSAB chair to confirm parameters of performance data for regular review. • Safeguarding Adult Review (SAR) Board established to monitor safeguarding incidents and identify trends and potential risks. Actions from SAR to be presented to SHB and Safer Stronger Partnership Board.	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Aug 17

9. Active, Healthy Citizens Leisure, sporting, learning and creative activities for everyone

Priority 9 - Monthly Performance											
	Unit	YTD Aug 17		Against Target Aug 17	DoT Last year	Against Target Jul 17	Against Target Jun 17	16/17			
	Number per 1000	533.05	602.00		1		*				

	LPI202 - Lib	rary visits p	er 1000 pop
	LPI202 Library	visits per 1000 p	ор
	Number per 100	00	
	Actual (YTD)	Target (YTD)	Performance (YTD)
Aug 2016	600.85	600.00	*
Sep 2016	604.92	623.00	
Oct 2016	590.97	657.00	A
Nov 2016	635.77	593.00	*
Dec 2016	522.53	489.00	*
Jan 2017	603.92	589.00	*
Feb 2017	583.91	590.00	
Mar 2017	628.49	642.00	
Apr 2017	502.33	575.00	A
May 2017	590.32	597.00	
Jun 2017	579.17	579.00	*
Jul 2017	540.47	609.00	<u> </u>
Aug 2017	533.05	602.00	<u> </u>



	LPI202 - comme	nt
Responsible Officer	Performance Comments	Action Plan Comments
Head of Culture and Community Development	The Summer months see a reduction in visits. However, in spite of the performance being lower than expected, we note that the ratio of books borrowed against visits has moved from 23.8% in June to 32.3% in July to 35.1% in August. This demonstrates that a higher proportion of visitors left the buildings with a book than in any of	to the Summer Reading Challenge. Management will continue to develop and deliver successful book promotions. The Catford effect

9. Active, Healthy Citizens

Developing opportunities for the active participation and engagement of people in the life of the community

				Risk			
			Current Status against target		Direction of Travel	What are we planning to do?	When is it going to be completed
3B.2. Failure to agree with partners integrated delivery models for local health and care services.	Corporate	•	A	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? • Continued focus form ASICP on savings through pathway review and service restructure • Continue to support statutory and partnership boards • Engage with L&G NHS trust in "ready for discharge" planning and execution.	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Monthly by ASICP Monthly by HSCIB

Priority 10 - Monthly Performance											
•	Unit	YTD Aug 17	Target Aug 17	Against Target Aug 17	DoT Last year	Against Target Jul 17	Against Target Jun 1	7 16/17			
BV008 Invoices paid within 30 days	Percentage	88.55	100.00		7						
BV012b Days/shifts lost to sickness (excluding Schools)	Number	7.36	7.50	*	*	*	*				
LPI031 NNDR collected	Percentage	111.82	99.00	*	7	★	★				
LPI032 Council Tax collected	Percentage	94.31	96.00		1						
LPI755 % of customers with appointments arriving on time seen within 10min of their appointed time		92.27	95.00	•	1	•	•	*			
NI181 Time taken to process Housing Benefit/Council Tax Benefit new claims and change events	Days	7.01	7.50	*	1	*	*	*			

Priority 10 - Quarterly (contextual)										
	Unit	YTD Jun 17	YTD Mar 17	YTD Dec 16	YTD Sep 16	Mar 17				
LPI556 Number of reported RIDDOR incidents on non-school sites	Number	4.00	8.00	7.00	3.00	n/a				

Priority 10 - Finance Net Expenditure (?000s)									
	2017/18 Budget	Projected year-end variance as at Aug 17	Variance (% variance [']	Comments				
10. NI Inspiring Efficiency, Effectiveness, and Equity	66,546	2,100	•	3.16	Finance Overspend An overspend of £2.1m is predicted. This is made up as follows: £1.0m overspend by the public services division. Some £0.3m of this is in the revenue service, principally in the central debtors' team and on the IMT budget for collection of council tax. The housing benefits is expected to overspend by £0.1m due to grant reduction from DWP. The service point is projected to overspend by £0.4m due to a combination of income shortfalls and need for building works in the registrar's service and staffing overspend on the business support service. The technology and Change Division is forecasting an overspend of £1.2m. A reduction in the team's budget combined with a new pressure from software licenses is resulting in this overspend. The Regeneration and place division is forecasting an overspend of £0.5m The overspends above have been netted off against the following underspends; Corporate Policy and Governance (£300k), Human Resources ((£100k) and Strategy (RNR)(£200k)				

			ı	Risk		
		 Current Status against target	•	Direction of Travel	What are we planning to do?	When is it going to be completed
1A.1. Information Governance failure.	Corporate		Jur 17		 Risk - What are we planning to do? Continue audits/close gaps identified. Paper for EMT on new GDPR following which working party will be set up. SAR improvement plan to include rigorous monitoring FOI, DAP, compliance with GDPR audits currently ongoing. Change the way data breaches are managed following recent IG Board. Align IT policies with Brent with Information Governance policies to follow. 	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Next review date October 2017.
1A.2 Governance failings in the implementation of service changes	Corporate	A	Jur 17		Risk - What are we planning to do? Manage early savings process for 18/19 budget.	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Sept 17

					Ris	k	
			Current Status against target	•	Direction of Trave	What are we planning to do?	When is it going to be completed
1B.1. Non-compliance with Health & Safety Legislation	Corporate	A	A	Jun 17	→	 Risk - What are we planning to do? Refresh H&S training offer for managers. All DMTs to have H&S discussion and raise awareness of H&S requirements. 	Risk - When is it going to be completed? • Dec 17 • Oct 17
1B.2. Failure to anticipate and respond appropriately to legislative change.	Corporate	•	•	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? Reports to Council on changes necessary to reflect legislation. Significant work ongoing to access the impact of Dilnott, Care Act and Better Care Fund for further integration of social care work with health. Responding to Govt consultations and lobbying in various areas of political change (e.g. business rates, school funding, improved better care fund, London devolution).	Risk - When is it going to be completed? • Quarterly for CWP • Quarterly for H&WB • As dictated by Government agenda
1B.3. Loss of a strategic asset or premises through failure to maintain it in a safe and effective condition	Corporate	A	A	Jun 17	¥	Risk - What are we planning to do? Review building management H&S governance arrangements post Grenfell.	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Oct 17

					Risk		
			Current Status against target		When is it going to be completed		
2A.1. Adequacy of Internal Control.	Corporate	•	•	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? Complete non-system actions for core financial internal audit recommendations	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Oct 17
2A.3. Strategic programme to develop and implement transformational change does not deliver	Corporate	A	•	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? Finalise monitoring and benefits realisation tracking arrangements to account for invest to save and align with savings work	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Jul 17
2A.4. Elections not conducted efficiently or effectively.	Corporate	*	*	Jun 17	×	Risk - What are we planning to do? Monitor resourcing for May 18 local elections	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Oct 17
2B.1. ICT infrastructure is not fit for purpose and/or does not meet business needs	Corporate	•	•	Jun 17	→	 Risk - What are we planning to do? Ongoing monitoring of the IT support arrangements through the shared management board. Review of shared governance arrangements with Brent and Southwark in Feb 18. 	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Feb 18

		What are we planning to do?	When is it going to be completed				
3A.1. Loss of constructive employee relations	Corporate	•	target	Jun 17	*	Risk - What are we planning to do? Implement actions from talkback survey Rollout manager training suite Continue to explore forum to improve collaborative work in support of culture changes - starting with Heads of Service	Risk - When is it going to be completed? • July 17 • Sep 17 • Jul 17
3A.2. Failure to maintain sufficient management capacity & capability to deliver business as usual and implement transformational changes.	Corporate	•	•	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? Agency review to EMT See also risk re financial savings & gap for management & corporate overheads.	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Sep 17
3B.1. Multi-agency governance failure leads to ineffective partnership working	Corporate	•	A	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? Adult Integrated Care Programme to improve services and provide better value for money.	Risk - When is it going to be completed? 4 Year programme to 2017/18

Risk											
		Current Status	Current Status against target		Direction of Travel	What are we planning to do?	When is it going to be completed				
4A.1. Failure to manage strategic suppliers and related procurement programmes.	Corporate	•	A	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? • Refresh contract register arrangements • Meet requirements of transparency code	Risk - When is it going to be completed? • Jul 17 • Jul 17				
4B.1. Failure to manage performance leads to service failure.	Corporate	•	A	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? • Following creation of a single corporate policy and performance team, revisit service data and performance priorities and update performance reports and quality assurance practices. • Service Planning	Risk - When is it going to be completed? • Sep 17 • Sep 17				

Risk											
		Current Status	Current Status against target		Direction of Trave	n What are we planning to do?	When is it going to be completed				
5A.1. Financial Failure and inability to maintain service delivery within a balanced budget	Corporate	A	A	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? Lewisham Future Programme to bring forward further savings proposals with the draft budget for 18/19	Risk - When is it going to be completed?				
5A.2. Lack of provision for unforeseen expenditure or loss of income in respect of Council's liabilities or funding streams.	Corporate	•		Jun 17	→	 Risk - What are we planning to do? Review of Council Tax Reduction Scheme. Prepare for 100% Business Rates devolution - respond to consultations. Review insurance risk valuations for OGDEN impact. 	Risk - When is it going to be completed? • Sep 17 • As per Government timetable • Oct 17				
5A.3. Loss of income to the Council	Corporate	A	A	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? New AIMS programme and FISCAL reporting tool implemented to support income collection activities. Independent review of accounts payable and receivable and wider financial control environment to maximise efficiency and efficacy of processes and procedures for using the Council's systems (part of Oracle work)	Risk - When is it going to be completed? • Jun 17 • Dec 17				
5B.1. Failure to effectively manage the impacts of an emergency affecting the public, business, environment and/or organisation.	Corporate	•	*	Jun 17	→	Risk - What are we planning to do? Lessons learnt database under development to capture and monitor the implementation of learning arising from incidents and exercises. In light of recent events we will review our emergency capabilities	Risk - When is it going to be completed? Jun 17				

Appendix A - Performance Scoring Methodology

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Performance

Performance can be measured using two methods. Firstly, current performance is appraised against past performance to assess "direction of travel" – is it improving or worsening? Secondly, performance can be measured against a norm, standard or target.

Areas for management attention are determined by considering performance against the following 2 elements - Against target and Direction of Travel (DoT) against the previous years outturn (in this case March 2017). If both of these elements are red we consider that the indicator should be flagged as an area for management attention.

The Council has aims and objectives as an organisation responsible for securing local public services. But it also has wider aims to work in partnership with other organisations (in the public, private and community sectors) to improve Lewisham as a place to live. It is therefore essential that our Pls not only measure our organisational and service performance against the Council's corporate priorities but also evaluate our efforts to achieve improvements through partnership working. These wider aims are described in Lewisham's Sustainable Community Strategy. A summary on performance can be found in the 'Overall Summary: Performance' at front of the Executive Summary report.

Data Quality Policy

The Council has a Data Quality Policy which is adhered to and sets out the corporate data quality objectives. Directorates also have a statement of data quality and a data quality action plan.

Appendix B - Projects, Risk & Finance Scoring Methodology

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Projects

Project status is recorded using a red / amber / green traffic light reporting system.

Red: Projects considered to be at significant risk of late delivery, of overspending or of not achieving their primary objectives. Project likely to be facing issues or uncertainties e.g. funding concerns, lack of clarity over scope / costs, other significant risks not yet under effective control. Sheer scale of a project, its complexity and overall risk level can also attract a red rating.

Amber: Projects considered to be at moderate risk of late delivery, of overspending or of not achieving some objectives. Issues may have been escalated outside the project team, but likely that these can be resolved e.g. resources will be identified to deal with moderate changes to costs or scope.

Green: Project considered to be on time, on budget, with current risks being managed effectively within the project structure.

Risk

Risks are scored in terms of likelihood and impact, with a range from 1 to 5 (with 5 being the highest) and the result is plotted on a matrix (as shown on the Overall Performance: Risk page) to produce the RAG rating. A target is also set and the risk registers contain action plans to manage the risks to target and these are subject to regular review by Directorate Management Teams. The risk registers are reported to Heads of Service and Internal Control Board on a quarterly basis and quarterly updates are provided in this report.

Finance

Financial monitoring is recorded using a red/amber/green traffic light reporting system.

Net expenditure on the priority is forecast to vary from budget by either:-

Red - more than £0.5m or 2.5% overspent or more than £10m or 50% underspent

Amber - more than £0.1m and less than £0.5m or by more than 1% and less than 2.5% overspent or more than £5m and less than £10m or by more than 25% and less than 50% underspent

Green - up to £0.1m or up to 1% overspent or up to £5m or up to 25% underspent

The Executive Management Team will take into account:-

- (i)The performance of the housing part of the Capital Programme in assessing the traffic light for Decent Homes;
- (ii) The overall financial position on revenue and capital in assessing the traffic light for 'Inspiring Efficiency, Effectiveness & Equity'.

The methodologies for Projects, Risk and Finance outlined above will be reviewed annually at the end of the financial year as part of the review of this report and the target setting process for performance indicators. The text above will be subject to change at this point.