# Agenda Item 7



### **Policy and Scrutiny**

Open Report on behalf of Andrew Crookham,
Executive Director - Resources

Report to: Overview and Scrutiny Management Board

Date: **26 September 2019** 

Subject: Revenue Budget Monitoring Report 2019/20

# **Summary:**

This report invites the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board to consider a report on Revenue Budget Monitoring 2019/20 which is being presented to the Executive on 1 October 2019. The views of the Board will be reported to the Executive as part of its consideration of this item.

It compares our projected expenditure with the approved budget for 2019/20 and provides explanations for any significant over or under spending. It also includes commentary on our achievement to date of savings built into the 2019/20 revenue budget, as well as an assessment of the impact of the current budget monitoring position on our financial resilience.

#### **Actions Required:**

The Overview and Scrutiny Management Board is invited to

- 1) consider the attached report and to determine whether the Board supports the recommendation(s) to the Executive as set out in the report.
- 2) agree any additional comments to be passed to the Executive in relation to this item.

#### 1. Background

The Executive is due to consider a report on Revenue Budget Monitoring 2019/20 at its meeting on 1 October 2019.

The Executive report attached at Appendix 1 is the first budget monitoring report for financial year 2019/20. It compares projected expenditure with the approved budget and provides explanations for any significant over or under-spending.

It also includes commentary on our achievement to date of savings built into the 2019/20 revenue budget, as well as an assessment of the impact of the current budget monitoring position on our financial resilience.

#### 2. Conclusion

Following consideration of the attached report, the Board is requested to consider whether it supports the recommendation(s) in the report and whether it wishes to make any additional comments to the Executive. Comments from the Board will be reported to the Executive at its meeting on 1 October 2019.

#### 3. Consultation

a) Have Risks and Impact Analysis been carried out?

No

b) Risks and Impact Analysis

N/A

## 4. Appendices

These are liste	ed below and attached at the back of the report
Appendix 1	Report on Revenue Budget Monitoring 2019/20 to be presented
	to the Executive at its meeting on 1 October 2019.

# 5. Background Papers

The details of the budget set for financial year 2019/20 is within the document Budget Book 2019/20 which can be found in the Council's website by following this link

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