

**REPORT TO:** Employment Learning and Skills and Community

**DATE:** 29 January 2024

**REPORTING OFFICER:** Executive Director – Environment and Regeneration

**PORTFOLIO:** Employment, Learning and Skills and Community

**SUBJECT:** Presentation Community & Greenspace Department

**WARD(S)** Borough-wide

**1.0 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

1.1 To receive a presentation from the Operational Director of Community & Greenspace on developments that have taken place within that department over the last two years.

**2.0 RECOMMENDATION: That:**

- i) The Board notes the presentation and the information contained therein.

**3.0 SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

3.1 Members will receive an update from the Operational Director of Community & Greenspace on the developments that have taken place within that department over the last two years and how they are contributing to the Council's strategic aims.

3.2 The presentation will cover several areas of interest including how the structural changes that have been made have aligned services to the various Member portfolios and streamlined management arrangements. All for the purpose of creating a more focused service delivery.

**4.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

4.1 There are no further policy implications.

**5.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

5.1 There are no financial implications.

6.0 **IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCIL'S PRIORITIES**

6.1 The work of the Community & Greenspace department complements a wide range of the Council's priorities, and is an important contributor to the borough's economic regeneration and growth agenda.

7.0 **RISK ANALYSIS**

7.1 There are no risks identified.

8.0 **EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES**

8.1 There are no equality and diversity issues directly related to the presentation.

9.0 **CLIMATE CHANGE IMPLICATIONS**

9.1 There are no climate change implications.

10.0 **LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS UNDER SECTION 100D OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**

10.1 None under the meaning of the Act.