

Overview & Scrutiny Committee held on 14 November 2023

Summary of Comments made on the Cabinet Agenda for Wednesday 15 November 2023

3 Participation in the West Midlands Investment Zone

The Overview & Scrutiny Committee supported the recommendations in the report and thanked Officers for their work on the report and also for ensuring that what is a complex matter was explained in understandable terms.

The Committee recognised the potential benefits to the District as a whole and its residents. The necessity of a no detriment provision on an ongoing basis throughout the lifetime of this arrangement was clearly understood and supported.

4 Future High Streets Fund Update

The Overview & Scrutiny Committee supported the recommendations in the report.

The Committee stressed the importance of pursuing a balanced eco system and offers that complimented each other through the Future High Streets Fund.

The remainder of the comment is in the confidential Summary of Comments document.

Urgent Item

Asset Compliance Committee & Resources

The Overview & Scrutiny Committee supported the recommendations in the report and thanked Officers for their hard work.

Recommendations

The Overview & Scrutiny Committee recommended to Cabinet that:

- an appraisal report explaining how the situation the Council now finds itself in arose is prepared before the end of the year and should be presented to Overview & Scrutiny Committee at the first opportunity; and
- 2. a more detailed Action Plan is progressed as soon as possible.

The Cabinet is required to vote on this because it forms a recommendation to it.

Members expressed some concern about deliverability of the work required and the potential impact on other services. The Committee has requested that a report is provided to it in the New Year to understand how the work will be effectively resourced and how the impact of this will be managed across the Council and its assets.





