

Report to:	RESILIENT COMMUNITIES AND CHILDREN'S SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
Relevant Officer:	Ruth Henshaw, Delivery Development Officer
Date of Meeting:	12 April 2018

KEY PRIORITY REPORT: COMMUNITY

1.0 Purpose of the report:

1.1 To present performance against the Community suite of indicators for the period 1 April 2017 to 31 December 2017.

2.0 Recommendation(s):

2.1 The Committee is asked to note the content of the report and highlight any areas for further scrutiny, which will be reported back to the Committee.

3.0 Reasons for recommendation(s):

3.1 To ensure constructive and robust scrutiny of performance against the Council Plan 2015-2020.

3.2a Is the recommendation contrary to a plan or strategy adopted or approved by the Council? No

3.2b Is the recommendation in accordance with the Council's approved budget? N/A

3.3 Other alternative options to be considered: N/A

4.0 Council Priority:

4.1 The relevant Council Priorities are:

- Communities – create stronger communities and increase resilience

5.0 Background information

5.1 Performance against the priorities in the Council Plan 2015 – 2020 is measured using a core set of key performance indicators, developed in consultation with the Corporate Leadership Team.

5.2 To allow for sufficient time and attention to be given to performance against the Council Plan 2015 – 2020, the Committee will consider a series of themed reports over the course of the year. The theme of this report is Community.

6.0 Overview of Community Performance

6.1 There are only two indicators within the performance basket for Community, both of which are reported on a quarterly basis.

6.2 In Quarter 3, performance for both indicators had improved compared with the same period in 2016/2017. Further information on these indicators can be found in Appendix 7(a) – Community Exception Reports.

Does the information submitted include any exempt information? No

List of Appendices:

Appendix 7(a): Community Exception Reports

7.0 Legal considerations:

7.1 None

8.0 Human Resources considerations:

8.1 None

9.0 Equalities considerations:

9.1 None

10.0 Financial considerations:

10.1 None

11.0 Risk management considerations:

11.1 None

12.0 Ethical considerations:

12.1 None

13.0 Internal/ External Consultation undertaken:

13.1 N/A

14.0 Background papers:

14.1 None