Notice of:	EXECUTIVE
Decision Number:	EX47/2015
Relevant Officer:	Steve Thompson, Director of Resources
Relevant Cabinet Member:	Councillor Simon Blackburn, Leader of the Council
Date of Meeting:	23rd November 2015

# FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE MONITORING AS AT MONTH 6 2015-16

# **1.0** Purpose of the report:

1.1 The level of spending against the Council's Revenue and Capital budgets for the first 6 months to 30th September 2015.

# 2.0 Recommendation(s):

- 2.1 To note the report.
- 2.2 To require the respective Directors and Director of Resources to continue to closely monitor and manage financial and operational performances, particularly in Children's Services, Adult Services, Property Services, Concessionary Fares, Parking Services, Community and Environmental Services, and Places.

# 3.0 Reasons for recommendation(s):

3.1 To ensure financial performance against the Council's Revenue and Capital Budget is kept under review by members.

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?	Yes

3.3 Other alternative options to be considered:

None

#### 4.0 Council Priority:

#### 4.1 The relevant Council Priority is:

"Deliver quality services through a professional, well-rewarded and motivated workforce"

#### 5.0 Background Information

- 5.1 See reports and appendices circulated to members under separate cover.
- 5.2 Does the information submitted include any exempt information?

No

# 5.3 List of Appendices:

Report Appendix 1- Revenue Summary Appendix 2- Schedule of Service forecast overspendings Appendix 3a- Chief Executive Appendix 3b- Deputy Chief Executive Appendix 3c- Governance and Regulatory Services Appendix 3d- Ward Budgets Appendix 3e- Resources Appendix 3f- Places Appendix 3g- Strategic Leisure Assets Appendix 3h- Community and Environmental Services Appendix 3i- Adult Services Appendix 3j- Children's Services Appendix 3k- Public Health Appendix 3I- Budgets Outside the Cash Limit Appendix 4- Capital Monitoring Appendix 5- Cash Summary Appendix 6- Balance Sheet

All circulated to members under separate cover

#### 6.0 Legal considerations:

6.1 None

#### 7.0 Human Resources considerations:

7.1 See reports and appendices circulated to members under separate cover.

#### 8.0 Equalities considerations:

8.1 An Equalities Impact Assessment was produced as a part of the budget setting process and remains relevant.

#### 9.0 Financial considerations:

9.1 See reports and appendices circulated to members under separate cover.

#### 10.0 Risk management considerations:

10.1 Impact of financial performance on Council balances. Financial performance against approved Revenue and Capital budgets.

#### **11.0** Ethical considerations:

- 11.1 None
- **12.0** Internal/ External Consultation undertaken:
- 12.1 None
- **13.0** Background papers:
- 13.1 None
- 14.0 Key decision information:
- 14.1 Is this a key decision? No
  14.2 If so, Forward Plan reference number:
  14.3 If a key decision, is the decision required in less than five days? N/A
  14.4 If **yes**, please describe the reason for urgency:

# 15.0 Call-in information:

15.1 Are there any grounds for urgency, which would cause this decision to be exempt from the call-in process?

#### 15.2 If **yes**, please give reason:

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#### 16.0 Scrutiny Committee Chairman (where appropriate):

Date informed:	N/A	Date approved:	N/A
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#### **17.0** Declarations of interest (if applicable):

17.1 None

#### 18.0 Executive decision:

# 18.1 The Executive agreed the recommendations as outlined above namely:

1. To note the report.

2. To require the respective Directors and Director of Resources to continue to closely monitor and manage financial and operational performances, particularly in Children's Services, Adult Services, Property Services, Concessionary Fares, Parking Services, Community and Environmental Services, and Places.

#### 18.2 Date of Decision:

23<sup>rd</sup> November 2015

# 19.0 Reason(s) for decision:

To ensure financial performance against the Council's Revenue and Capital Budget is kept under review by members.

#### 19.1 **Date Decision published:**

24<sup>th</sup> November 2015

# 20.0 Executive Members in attendance:

20.1 Councillor Blackburn, in the Chair

Councillors Cain, Collett, Jackson, Kirkland, Smith and Wright

- 21.0 Call-in:
- 21.1
- 22.0 Notes:
- 22.1 Also in attendance: Councillor Singleton