Blackpool Council – Strategic Leisure Assets

Revenue summary - budget, actual and forecast:

	BUDGET	BUDGET EXPENDITURE VARIANCE			VARIANCE	
	2019/20					2018/19
FUNCTIONS OF THE SERVICE	ADJUSTED	EXPENDITURE	PROJECTED	FORECAST	F/CAST FULL	(UNDER)/OVER
	CASH LIMITED	APR-JUL	SPEND	OUTTURN	YEAR VAR.	SPEND B/FWD
	BUDGET				(UNDER) / OVER	
	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
STRATEGIC LEISURE ASSETS						
NET EXPENDITURE						
STRATEGIC LEISURE ASSETS	748	84	2,288	2,372	1,624	-
TOTALS	748	84	2,288	2,372	1,624	-

Commentary on the key issues:

Directorate Summary - basis

The Revenue summary (above) lists the outturn projection for the Service against its respective, currently approved, revenue budget. The forecast outturn is based upon actual financial performance for the first 4 months of 2019/20 together with predictions of performance, anticipated pressures and efficiencies in the remainder of the financial year, all of which have been agreed with the head of service.

Key Issues

The Leisure Asset portfolio projected outturn for 2019/20 is currently £1,624k, taking the forecast cumulative deficit as at 2019/20 year-end to £10,195k. This incorporates the increased debt financing costs associated with essential Tower steel structure renewal and other unplanned maintenance, together with increased marketing and insurance costs and a revised income profile.

The Leisure Asset portfolio is currently forecast to break-even, in-year, during 2021/22.

In accordance with the original decision for this programme by the Executive on 7th February 2011, the projected overspend on Strategic Leisure Assets will be carried forward and transferred to Earmarked Reserves.

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