

BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

LEARNING, CULTURE AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY, 10 OCTOBER 2018 AT 13:30 HOURS
IN COMMITTEE ROOMS 3 & 4, COUNCIL HOUSE, VICTORIA
SQUARE, BIRMINGHAM, B1 1BB

A G E N D A

1 NOTICE OF RECORDING/WEBCAST

The Chairman to advise/meeting to note that this meeting will be webcast for live or subsequent broadcast via the Council's Internet site (www.civico.net/birmingham) and that members of the press/public may record and take photographs except where there are confidential or exempt items.

2 APPOINTMENT OF NEW MEMBER ON THE COMMITTEE

To note the appointment of Councillor Mike Sharpe in place of Councillor Baber Baz as a Member on the Sub-Committee.

3 APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies.

4 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

Members are reminded that they must declare all relevant pecuniary and non pecuniary interests arising from any business to be discussed at this meeting. If a disclosable pecuniary interest is declared a Member must not speak or take part in that agenda item. Any declarations will be recorded in the minutes of the meeting.

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5 ACTION NOTES

To confirm the action notes of the meeting held on the 5th September 2018.

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6 COMMONWEALTH GAMES 2022

Cllr Ian Ward, Leader, Neil Carney, Project Director and Andrew Slattery, Commonwealth Games Programme Manager in attendance.

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7 **CABINET MEMBER FOR EDUCATION, SKILLS AND CULTURE**

Councillor Jayne Francis, Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and Culture in attendance.

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8 **WORK PROGRAMME**

For discussion.

9 **DATE OF FUTURE MEETINGS**

To note the dates of future meetings on the following Wednesdays at 1330 hours in the Council House, committee Rooms 3 & 4 as follows:-

14 November, 2018
5 December, 2018
9 January, 2019
6 February, 2019
6 March, 2019
17 April, 2019

10 **REQUEST(S) FOR CALL IN/COUNCILLOR CALL FOR ACTION/PETITIONS RECEIVED (IF ANY)**

To consider any request for call in/councillor call for action/petitions (if received).

11 **OTHER URGENT BUSINESS**

To consider any items of business by reason of special circumstances (to be specified) that in the opinion of the Chairman are matters of urgency.

12 **AUTHORITY TO CHAIRMAN AND OFFICERS**

Chairman to move:-

'In an urgent situation between meetings, the Chairman jointly with the relevant Chief Officer has authority to act on behalf of the Committee'.

BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

LEARNING, CULTURE AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY (O&S)

COMMITTEE – PUBLIC MEETING

13:30 hours on Wednesday 5th September 2018, Committee Rooms 3 & 4 – Actions

Present:

Councillor Mariam Khan (Chair)

Councillors: Alex Aitken, Mary Locke, Kath Scott, Gary Sambrook, Ron Storer and Martin Straker Welds.

Other Voting Representatives: Rabia Shami, Parent Governor and Sarah Smith, Church of England Diocese Representative

Also Present:

Anne Ainsworth, Acting Corporate Director, Children and Young People

Jaswinder Didially, Head of Service, Education Infrastructure

Erin Docherty, Senior Nurse Lead, Forward Thinking Birmingham, Birmingham

Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust

Karen Hansford, Head of Universal Children's Services 5-19, Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust

Dave Marlow, School Place Planning Lead Officer

Joanne Thurston, Chief Operating Officer, Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust

1. NOTICE OF RECORDING

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2. APOLOGIES

Apologies were submitted on behalf of Cllr Baber Baz and Adam Hardy, Roman Catholic Diocese Representative.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

Councillor Mary Locke declared that she works for Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust.

Councillor Kath Scott declared that she is a treasurer for a group of girls with autism called Somewhere over the Spectrum.

4. ACTION NOTES

(See document 1)

The Chair advised that the letter to the DfE regarding concerns with the lack of legislation will be forwarded to Members. Also the dates of the meetings on the agenda and work programme are correct.

The action notes of the meeting held on the 25th July 2018 were confirmed.

5. YOUNG PEOPLE AND MENTAL HEALTH

The Chair advised that this was to be a broad discussion on young people and mental health as requested at the previous meeting.

(See document 2)

Erin Docherty, Senior Nurse Lead, Forward Thinking Birmingham, Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust gave the presentation. The following were among the main points raised:

- Forward Thinking Birmingham is the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (CAMHS) provision commissioned in Birmingham.
- They are partnered with Beacon UK, the Children's Society and Priory Group.
- There is a brand new school offer – STICK (Screening, Training, Intervention, Consultation and Knowledge) Team. The Team is small and will make available training to anyone within the schools that wants this. They are also working in partnership with The Children's Trust and Birmingham Education Partnership (BEP).
- People can call the Patient Advice and Liaison Service (PALS) if there are concerns regarding not being referred to CAMHS.
- Young people are impacted more than ever by social media and some are living within that reality 24 hours a day. There is some research on this.
- Winston's Wish is a charity that specialises in bereavement support and provides courses
- Measuring success is difficult and they work towards goal based outcomes.
- The soft capturing information can be forwarded to the Committee.
- Pause, the drop in centre in Digbeth, is run by The Children's Society and Members may wish to visit this.
- The Chair requested whether case studies could be shared with the Committee.

(See document 3)

Joanne Thurston, Chief Operating Officer and Karen Hansford, Head of Universal Children's Services 5-19, Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust presented the paper. The following were among the main points raised:

- The Birmingham School Health Advisory Service (BSHAS) currently provides emotional health support to children and young people as part of its current contract with the City Council. However, they are currently in the middle of a procurement process and the new tender specification excludes any involvement in emotional health and well-being for the service.
- Every school in Birmingham has a named school nurse and these are based in health centres across the city rather than in the schools (<https://bit.ly/2CNtSMW>).
- There are about 100 school nurses / support staff within five teams.
- School Nurses offer up to six care planned interventions if required, then they will refer them on to other services if need be.
- The service uses ChatHealth whereby pupils can text a dedicated number between 9 – 5, Monday – Friday (excluding Bank Holidays) regarding any health concerns they have. Information including the number of text messages can be provided to the committee.
- The school nurses would input into Education, Health and Care Plans (EHCP) if requested.

(See document 4)

The Chair advised Members that there was also a paper that provided background information. This includes the Child Well Being Survey 2016–17 and if Members had any questions then these can be e-mailed to scrutiny. There is also a contribution from a member of the Youth Parliament. In addition, there is information on the Educational Psychology Service. Unfortunately, the officer who leads on this is on leave today and the Committee may wish to invite them to the November committee meeting.

RESOLVED:

- Forward Thinking Birmingham to provide the soft capturing information and case studies.
- Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust to provide further information on ChatHealth.
- The updates were noted and the next steps were discussed under the work programme item.

6. SCHOOL PLACE PLANNING

(See documents 5 and 6)

Anne Ainsworth, Acting Corporate Director, Children and Young People; Jaswinder Didially, Head of Service, Education Infrastructure and Dave Marlow, School Place

Planning Lead Officer gave the presentation and answered questions. The following were among the main points raised:

- There are 445 schools in Birmingham.
- They report annually to DfE on school capacity and this drives basic needs funding.
- 1,600 children travel to schools outside of Birmingham and 665 children travel into Birmingham. Therefore we are a net exporter.
- There has been extensive growth in primary school places since 2010. However, the birth rate is slowing down and schools at risk have been identified and they are working with them so they remain financially viable. A decommissioning strategy is being developed.
- Secondary school needs are growing and two thirds of secondary schools are academies so the Council has the role of commissioner.
- They are starting to create a toolkit for surplus places to ascertain whether they are removable places or not.
- Schools manage the in-year admissions themselves.
- Multi Academy Trusts (MATs) are autonomous and can expand outside sufficiency requirements and they have their own admissions criteria. However, there is a duty to co-ordinate with the local authority and the Council can make representations to the Regional Schools Commissioner (RSC) if there are issues.
- In most local authorities, planning areas and political areas are not aligned. Currently the Council's planning areas are aligned to old political boundaries and there are new political areas that don't have schools within them. This is a piece of work that they are looking at and they need to let the DfE know by April 2019.
- Schools Special Educational Needs and/or Disability (SEND) admissions criteria needs to align to the Local Authorities. If schools change this then they need to go through a consultation. Officers are looking at all the admissions criteria and are currently concentrating on SEND and will challenge where they need to.
- Officers can look at the best ways of reaching parents so they are aware of school expansions. However, there are a host of factors that can affect the radius of school places being offered, so this will need to be caveated and the schools are the best place to do this.

RESOLVED:

Update noted and updates will be provided on changing the planning areas for school place planning.

7. WORK PROGRAMME

(See document 7)

For the October meeting the Leader will be providing an update on the Commonwealth Games and Cllr Jayne Francis, Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and Culture will be reporting to the Committee.

Members discussed whether a visit to the Pause drop in centre should be separate to the October committee meeting or as part of the meeting. It was agreed that the visit will be part of the Committee meeting. In addition the Educational Psychology Service should be invited to provide information on their service at the October meeting.

Cllr Scott requested that the school admissions item be brought forward to November due to issues she has with allocating school places. Also in November or December she would like to discuss SEND sufficiency.

8. DATE OF MEETINGS

The dates of future meetings on the following Wednesdays at 1330 hours in the Council House were noted.

2018	2019
10 October 2018	9 January 2019
14 November 2018	6 February 2019
5 December 2018	6 March 2019
	17 April 2019

9. REQUEST(S) FOR CALL IN/COUNCILLOR CALL FOR ACTION/PETITIONS

None.

10. OTHER URGENT BUSINESS

Cllr Martin Straker-Welds informed Members that there was a specific request from the Health and Social Care O&S Committee, for a Liberal Democrat to be on that particular Committee. This will be Councillor Paul Tilsley and therefore, Cllr Baber Baz has agreed, for proportionality purposes, to relinquish his position on this committee and he will be replaced with a Labour Member. This will be announced at City Council on Tuesday.

11. AUTHORITY TO CHAIRMAN AND OFFICERS

RESOLVED:

That in an urgent situation between meetings the Chair, jointly with the relevant Chief Officer, has authority to act on behalf of the Committee.

The meeting ended at 16.10 hours.



BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL LEARNING, CULTURE, AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

XXII COMMONWEALTH GAMES, BIRMINGHAM 2022

FOREWORD

This presentation is intended to offer the Learning, Culture and Physical Activity Overview and Scrutiny Committee an introduction to the Commonwealth Games and associated activity taking place in BCC.

The Commonwealth Games is the one of the largest multi sport event on the planet and is an immensely complex programme of work involving several delivery partners, dozens of projects and countless stakeholders.

As a result it is important to understand the full context of Birmingham 2022, the history and narrative, where BCC fits into the big picture, and the environment we are operating in.

FOREWORD

The key take away from today is that there is a Programme of work in place and cross partner activity delivering what is required for the games but we are very much at the beginning of the journey.

We have 4 years to deliver what traditionally takes 7 years, and thus we need to be calculated and deliberate in our approach and planning; 'Measure twice cut once', as we have no time to waste.

Deliverables can be divided into 2 categories, capital projects such as the Athletes Village, and non capital projects such as the Culture Programme, and due to their very nature and length of delivery, priority has been given to capital projects.

Non capital Games related projects can be delivered in shorter time frames and thus those projects are at the strategic planning phase.

Maximising Legacy from the Games is the guiding credo of our approach.

FOREWORD

It is important to understand is that this is a shared endeavour:

- BCC are not delivering every aspect of the Games, i.e. branding, volunteering, although we have scope to influence.
- The Games are not delivered by a Project Team, they are delivered by a city and thus the full council needs to be involved.
- Collectively we must leverage the Games for maximum benefits and opportunity and thus this is an open call to start a dialogue. How can you contribute towards the success of the games and how can we work together to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity for the benefit of Birmingham and its people?

BACKGROUND TO THE COMMONWEALTH GAMES

Members of Commonwealth of Nations:



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London SW1Y 5SH, United Kingdom
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Teams competing in Gold Coast Games:



Anguilla	Cyprus	Kenya	Norfolk Island	Singapore
Antigua and Barbuda	Dominica	Kiribati	Northern Ireland	Solomon Islands
Australia	England	Lesotho	Pakistan	South Africa
Bahamas	Falkland Islands	Malawi	Papua New Guinea	Sri Lanka
Bangladesh	Fiji	Malaysia	Rwanda	Swaziland
Barbados	The Gambia	Malta	Saint Helena	Tanzania
Belize	Ghana	Mauritius	Saint Kitts and Nevis	Tonga
Bermuda	Gibraltar	Montserrat	Saint Lucia	Trinidad and Tobago
Botswana	Grenada	Mozambique	Saint Vincent and the	Turks and Caicos Islands
British Virgin Islands	Guernsey	Namibia	Grenadines	Tuvalu
Brunei	Guyana	Nauru	Samoa	Uganda
Cameroon	India	New Zealand	Scotland	Vanuatu
Canada	Isle of Man	Nigeria	Seychelles	Wales
Cayman Islands	Jamaica	Niue	Sierra Leone	Zambia
Cook Islands	Jersey			

2022 COMMONWEALTH GAMES BID

January
2017

- Birmingham City Council (BCC) agreed to commission a feasibility study into the possibility of Birmingham hosting the Commonwealth Games in 2026.

March
2017

- The Commonwealth Games Federation (CGF) withdrew the hosting rights from Durban for the 2022 Games.

April
2017

- Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (DCMS) announced that it was launching a process to determine whether or not the government should support a UK city in bidding for the 2022 Commonwealth Games.

September
2017

- Candidature File to the CGF to bid for the right to host the 2022 Commonwealth Games.

December
2017

- CGF announced that Birmingham would be the host for the 2022 Games. The 2022 Games are due to be held from 28th July to 6th August 2022, with the opening and closing ceremonies being on 27th July and 7th August respectively.

BCC – ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

As the host city, in accordance with the Host City Contract, BCC responsibilities include:

- Ensure the provision of city services and the infrastructure build of venues and the Commonwealth Games Village.
- Provide safety and security support including city resilience planning and operations.
- Provide city services at no charge to the OC, including but not limited to cleaning and maintenance of public realm, traffic and transport including planning and implementation of city transport services, public and community communications and engagement, regulatory approvals, city overlay and look, city volunteering, cultural programme events including live site planning and delivery, QBR planning support and celebration events held in the City.
- Support the effective creation of the OC in cooperation with the other Parties.
- Provide secondary public sector financial support for the delivery of the Games and Legacy programmes.
- Actively participate in and contribute to the overall planning and delivery of the Games and Legacy programmes through the agreed governance structure.
- Contribute marketing assets to support the overall Games marketing and revenue raising programme.

ORGANISING COMMITTEE

The Birmingham Organising Committee for the 2022 Commonwealth Games Ltd (OC) is established as a Public Limited Company (limited by guarantee), which is classified as a Non-Departmental Public Body. The OC is classified by the Office of National Statistics as a body within the Central Government Sector. The relationship between DCMS and the OC will be governed by a Management Agreement. The OC will comply with established rules for public finances and public appointments, as well as the UK's Code for Sports Governance.

Roles and Responsibilities:

- The planning and operational delivery of the Games.
- This includes sport, venue and competition management, ticket sales, all ceremonies and the Queen's Baton Relay.

The OC Board will comprise of 14 members with equal voting rights:

- A Chairperson; CEO; two National/Federal Government nominees; two Host City nominees including the BCC Leader; two CGE nominees; two CGF nominees and four Non-Executive Directors.
- The OC board will meet at least six times per year and will send the CGF periodic reports on the progress of the preparation and staging of the Games. These reports will be quarterly until 18 months before the Opening Ceremony after which they will be submitted monthly.

OTHER DELIVERY PARTNERS



Department for
Digital, Culture
Media & Sport



MEMBERS ADVISORY BOARD

- The Members Advisory Board (MAB) was created in a motion to full Council in January and has met 8 times.
- The purpose of the group is to take an overview of progress, ensure the CWG fits with BCCs overall strategy and priorities, and to receive reports and influence development.
- The MAB is not a scrutiny committee and has no decision making powers, it is entirely advisory.
- There are 8 Members on the group with proportionate party representation.
- Membership comprises of the following Members:
 - Cllr Ian Ward (Chair)
 - Cllr Brigid Jones
 - Cllr Lucy Seymour–Smith
 - Cllr Peter Griffiths
 - Cllr Waseem Zaffar
 - Cllr Jon Hunt
 - Cllr Alex Yip
 - Cllr Debbie Clancy

SPORTS – COMPULSORY AND OPTIONAL

- The CGF determines the number of compulsory sports that must be included in the Games and the optional sports which the host city may also choose to include.
- For 2022 there are 20 compulsory sports events (if you count para sporting events as a separate event) and 16 optional sports events. For 2022 the CGF have imposed a cap on the number of athletes competing to stop the Games continuing to grow and therefore becoming less affordable. In addition the CGF has restricted the number of team sports to a maximum of 3 which must be for both men and women (excluding netball) for the same reason.
- The cap on athletes for a compliant bid indicated that compulsory sports could not exceed 3,800 athletes and optional sports could not exceed 500 athletes.

COMPULSORY SPORTS/DISCIPLINES

AQUATICS (SWIMMING)	LAWN BOWLS
AQUATICS (SWIMMING - PARA)	LAWN BOWLS (PARA)
ATHLETICS	NETBALL (WOMEN)
ATHLETICS (PARA)	RUGBY SEVENS (MEN AND WOMEN)
BADMINTON	SQUASH
BOXING	TABLE TENNIS
CYCLING (ROAD)	TRIATHLON
GYMNASTICS (ARTISTIC)	WEIGHTLIFTING
HOCKEY (MEN AND WOMEN)	POWERLIFTING (PARA)
JUDO	WRESTLING (FREESTYLE)

OPTIONAL SPORTS/DISCIPLINES

AQUATICS (DIVING)	GYMNASTICS (RHYTHMIC)
ARCHERY (RECURVE)	SHOOTING (CLAY TARGET)
BASKETBALL 3x3 (MEN AND WOMEN)	SHOOTING (FULL BORE)
BASKETBALL WHEELCHAIR PARA 3x3 (MEN AND WOMEN)	SHOOTING (PISTOL)
CRICKET	SHOOTING (SMALL BORE)
CYCLING (MOUNTAIN BIKE)	TABLE TENNIS (PARA)
CYCLING (TRACK)	TRIATHLON (PARA)
CYCLING (TRACK PARA)	VOLLEYBALL (BEACH)

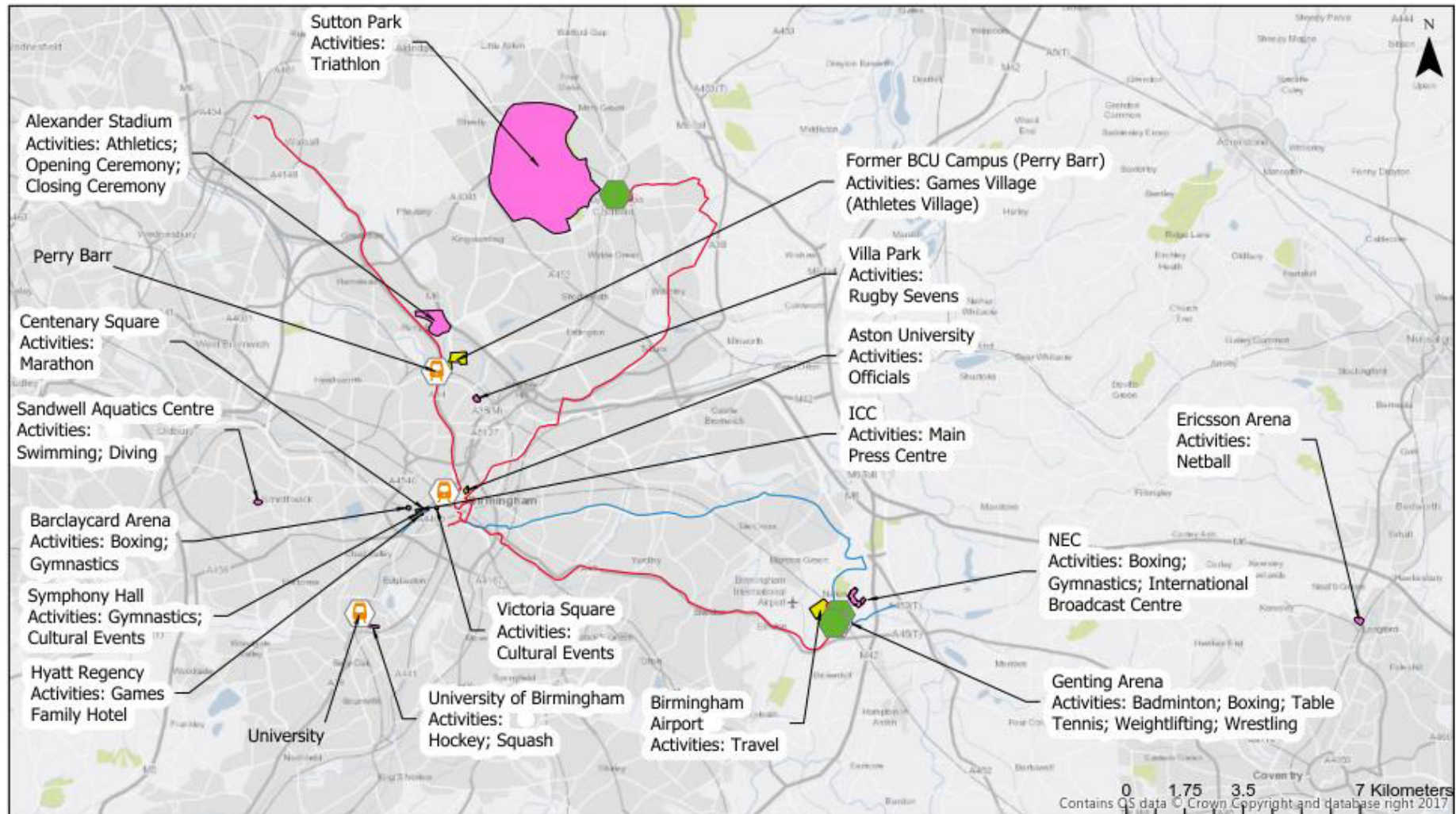
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SPORTING PROGRAMME REVIEW

- The games partners have been contacted by multiple lobbies advocating for the inclusion of additional optional sports into the programme.
- Every additional sport added to the games has broad consequences for the rest of the programme, including the costs, transport, accommodation and security elements of each new sport and venue.
- A process has been devised being led by the OC which will assess each outstanding optional sport against a set of criteria; is it affordable, does it increase legacy benefits etc.
- As assessment panel including games partners and independent members will make a transparent assessment of each additional sport and make recommendations to the OC Board.
- The OC board in January will decide if these extra sports will be recommended for inclusion to the CGF Board. If they agree this decision will be taken for ratification by the CGF General Assembly in September / October 2019.

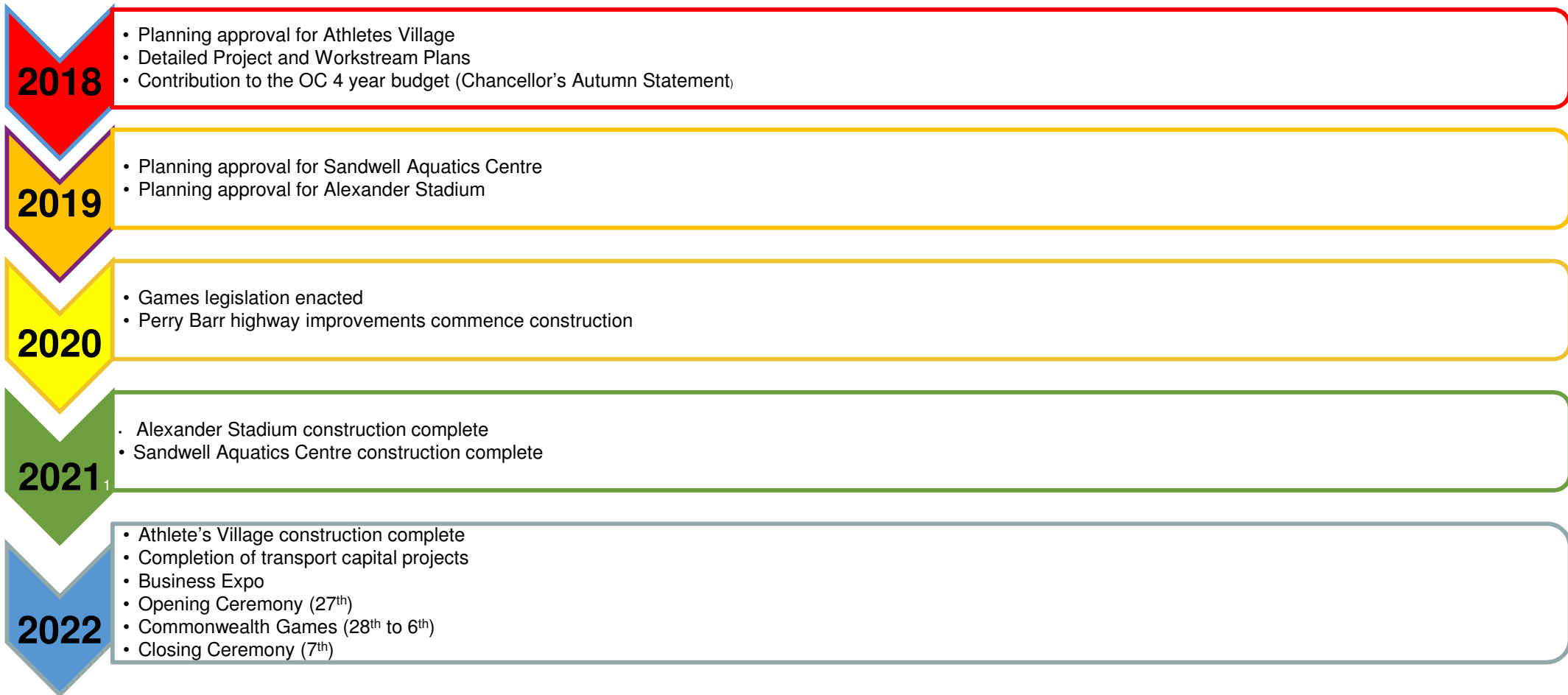
VENUES

Provisional venues are as detailed below:



KEY MILESTONES & PLANNING

The primary milestone for the project is that the Games are due to be held from 28th July to 6th August 2022, with the opening and closing ceremonies on 27th July and 7th August respectively. The project is working towards the following high level milestones:



GAMES BUDGET (OC)

- A detailed budget for the costs and finances of the Games is being developed primarily by the OC, which is establishing the staffing and resources over the next few months to undertake the necessary work on its budget development. Pending announcement of this by the Government and the OC, no overall budget figures are publicly available. This announcement will be made in the Chancellor's 2018 Autumn Statement.
- The OC has been established by the DCMS as a non-departmental public body (NDPB) which means that its finances will be managed in accordance with Government financial rules for public money in NDPBs.
- The costs to the OC of delivering venue improvements and running the Games will be funded (in accordance with the Host City Contract) 75% by the Government (DCMS) and 25% by the City Council (with some adjustments).

Presentation to the Learning, Culture and Physical Activity Overview & Scrutiny Committee

CABINET MEMBER PRIORITIES 2018/19

Councillor Jayne Francis
Cabinet Member for Education, Skills & Culture
Council House, Birmingham
10th October 2018

INVESTING IN OUR PEOPLE

Cabinet Member Priorities 2018/19

Summary of Cabinet Member responsibilities:

- **Education of Children and Young People** – Strategic Oversight
- **Special Educational Needs , Disability and Inclusion** - Delivery of the Birmingham SEND Strategy with the Cabinet Member for Children’s Wellbeing
- **Skills and Entrepreneurship in Schools** - Development of 14-19 Career Pathways
- **Youth Engagement and Youth Service, Careers Service along with Lifelong Learning (Post 14 Skills and Adult Education)** – Providing Guidance, access to Training and Pathways to Employment
- **Skills Expansion for Key Growth Sectors, Enterprise and Innovation** – Developing partnership skills strategies in sectors of employment growth
- **Employment Opportunities** - Development and delivery of Local Employment Plans
- **Arts, Culture and Tourism** – Promoting and leveraging Economic Opportunities
- **Library of Birmingham and Community Libraries** – Strategic Oversight
- **Birmingham Museums** – Strategic Oversight

Priorities For Education

- Working in partnership with Schools and the Birmingham Education Partnership to secure lasting improvements in educational achievement for Children and Young People
 - Promoting Birmingham Schools and exploring ways to re-establish Municipal Education in this City
 - Campaigning with Head Teachers, Parents and the City's MPs to get the best possible financial settlement from central government for Birmingham's Children
 - Working with partners to deliver the Education Delivery and Improvement Plan: https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/downloads/file/4340/education_services_delivery_and_improvement_plan_2017_to_2018
 - Ensuring that Birmingham's Children and Schools understand their rights and duties under UNICEF's 'Rights Respecting Schools' Programme
 - Working with Birmingham Adult Education Service to encourage lifelong learning and progression pathways
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Priorities For Skills

- Attracting investment to Birmingham to fund Skills Training for SMEs
- Supporting the delivery of the Youth Promise Plus Programme
- Upskilling employees to meeting current and future employment challenges
- Supporting Young People into Employment, particularly NEETs, via tailored mentoring, coaching and careers guidance
- Bringing together partners in schools, colleges and universities to support work connecting local employers with schools
- Working with the WMCA to influence the Region's Skills Plan
- Helping to create local jobs for local people and making sure that people get paid a fair wage, through the Birmingham Business Charter for Social Responsibility
- Working with learning providers and the National College for High Speed Rail in Birmingham to support access to level 4 & 5 training courses

Priorities For Culture

- Ensuring that the 2022 Commonwealth Games delivers a lasting cultural and economic legacy for people across Birmingham
- Working with the Birmingham Museums Trust to conserve and promote objects of artistic, cultural and scientific importance to the history of Birmingham
- Supporting and promoting the Library of Birmingham and Community Libraries for their contribution to Learning, Skills and Culture
- Managing our diminishing grants resource to maximise the economic opportunities arising from Art, Culture and Tourism
- Working collaboratively with all organisations in the cultural sector to ensure that Birmingham retains it's position regionally as a cultural centre of excellence

Progression to Employment for Young People

- Give Young People real experience of work before they leave Education; and encouraging employers and businesses to make opportunities available to young citizens
- Provide high quality Careers Advice and Guidance
- Build on the Success of our Birmingham Youth Promise
- Ring-fence entry level Apprenticeships at the City Council
- Identify the critical Skills Gaps that can be filled by our Young People, including through the development of High Speed Rail
- Transform the number Technical and Professional Apprenticeships on offer to Young People in Birmingham

Investing in People to Close the Skills Gap

- Offer Training Grants and Support to SMEs to Upskill Staff
- Launch a Progression Pathway to Employment for Adults
- Develop the Local Employment Skills Boards to improve local delivery
- Work with the WMCA to deliver intensive employment support via pilot projects, including in Washwood Heath and Shard End

Outcomes

We will deliver the jobs and skills needed to create a city of good work, where everyone benefits from Birmingham's economic growth and where we help transform technical education.

Discussion



Learning, Culture & Physical Activity O&S Committee: Work Programme 2018/19

Chair: Cllr Mariam Khan

Committee Members: Cllrs: Alex Aitken, Mary Locke, Gary Sambrook, Kath Scott, Mike Sharpe, Ron Storer and Martin Straker Welds

Education Representatives: Adam Hardy, Roman Catholic Diocese; Rabia Shami, Parent Governor and Sarah Smith, Church of England Diocese

Officer Support: Rose Kiely, Group Overview & Scrutiny Manager (303 1730)
Amanda Simcox, Scrutiny Officer (675 8444)
Committee Manager: Louisa Nisbett (303 9844)

1 Terms of Reference

- 1.1 To fulfil the functions of an Overview and Scrutiny Committee as they relate to any policies, services and activities concerning schools and education; arts and culture; libraries and museums; sport; events; parks and allotments.

2 Priority Issues

- 2.1 The following were highlighted in June as the possible priority issues for the committee's 2017/18 municipal year:
- Commonwealth Games (Oct);
 - Young People and Mental Health (Sep & October);
 - SEND (also falls within the Children Social Care O&S Committee's remit);
 - School Place Planning (Sep);
 - School Admissions (Dec);
 - School Attainment and School Improvement (Dec and Mar);
 - Education Finance;
 - Safeguarding (also falls within the Children Social Care O&S Committee's remit);
 - Youth Services.

3 Meeting Schedule

- 3.1 Below is the list of committee dates and items. However, Members may want to use some of



these dates for other things, such as visits and informal briefings etc.

Date, Committee Rooms 3 & 4 Start at 1.30pm	Session / Outcome	Officers / Attendees
6 June 2018 at 2pm	<p>Informal meeting to discuss the Work Programme and priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colin Diamond, Corporate Director, Children and Young People • Anne Ainsworth, AD, Education Strategy (Lead on participation and skills, oversight on education infrastructure, finance and planning) • Julie Young, Interim AD Education Safeguarding (also re-commissioning of the school improvement contract, school admissions and co-ordination of schools causing concern work) • Chris Jordan, AD, Neighbourhoods & Communities • Claire Starmer, Cultural Development • Joe Hayden, Parks Service Manager 	
25 July 2018 Report Deadline: 16 July 2018	Cllr Kate Booth, Cabinet Member for Children's Wellbeing (Lead Member for Children's Services for Education and Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND))	Suman McCarthy
	English Baccalaureate (EBacc) Councillors: Liz Clements, Olly Armstrong, Jon Hunt and Zaker Choudhry were invited to the committee meeting.	Colin Diamond, Corporate Director, Children and Young People and Anne Ainsworth, AD, Education Strategy
5 September 2018 Report Deadline: 24 August 2018	Young People and Mental Health Erin Docherty Senior Nurse Lead, Forward Thinking Birmingham, Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust. Joanne Thurston, Chief Operating Officer and Karen Hansford, Head of Universal Children's Services 5-19, Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust.	Invites sent out.
	School Place Planning	Anne Ainsworth, Acting Corporate Director Children and Young People, Jaswinder Didiyal, Head of Service, Education Infrastructure and Dave Marlow, School Place Planning Lead Officer



Date, Committee Rooms 3 & 4 Start at 1.30pm	Session / Outcome	Officers / Attendees
10 October 2018 Report Deadline: 1 October 2018	Commonwealth Games 2022 To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arts and Culture • Legacy in the communities e.g. local parks linked into commonwealth games • Youths and Schools 	Cllr Ian Ward, Leader, Neil Carney, Project Director and Andrew Slattery, Commonwealth Games Programme Manager
	Cllr Jayne Francis, Cabinet Member, Education, Skills and Culture	Chris Brockie, Cabinet Support Officer
14 November 2018 Committee Room 6	1.30pm – 2.30pm Educational Psychology Service Birmingham	Amanda Daniels, Principal Educational Psychologists
Report Deadline: 5 November 2018	Visit to Pause, 21 Digbeth (20 mins travelling time to the centre)	Being arranged
5 December 2018 Report Deadline: 26 November 2018	School Attainment (headline data) and School Improvement	Anne Ainsworth, Acting Corporate Director Children and Young People, Tim Boyes, CEX, Tracy Ruddle, Director of Continuous School Improvement, BEP and Shagufta Anwar, Senior Intelligence Officer
	School Admissions	Julie Young, Interim AD Education Safeguarding and Alan Michell Interim Operational Manager
9 January 2019 Report Deadline: 21 December 2018	TBC	TBC
6 February 2019 Report Deadline: 29 January 2019	TBC	TBC
6 March 2019 Report Deadline: 25 February 2019	School attainment (detailed data) and School Improvement	Anne Ainsworth, Acting Corporate Director Children and Young People, Tim Boyes, CEX, Tracy Ruddle, Director of Continuous School Improvement, BEP and Shagufta Anwar, Senior Intelligence Officer



Date, Committee Rooms 3 & 4 Start at 1.30pm	Session / Outcome	Officers / Attendees
	Childcare Sufficiency Annual Report	Lindsey Trivett, Head of Early Years, Childcare and Children's Centres and Kevin Caulfield, Childcare Quality and Sufficiency Manager
17 April 2019 Report Deadline: 9 April 2019	TBC	

4 Other Meetings

Call in Meetings

None scheduled

Petitions

None scheduled

Councillor Call for Action requests

None scheduled

It is suggested that the Committee approves Wednesday at 1.30pm as a suitable day and time each week for any additional meetings required to consider 'requests for call in' which may be lodged in respect of Executive decisions.

5 Report to City Council

Young People and Mental Health

Date	Item
5 September 2018	Broad discussion on young people and mental health.
14 November 2018	Educational Psychology Service and visit to Pause drop in centre.



6 Forward Plan for Cabinet Decisions

6.1 The following decisions, extracted from the Cabinet Office Forward Plan of Decisions, are likely to be relevant to the Learning, Culture and Physical Activity O&S Committee's remit.

ID Number	Title	Proposed Date of Decision	Date of Decision
000232/2015	School Organisation Issues which may include Closures, Amalgamations, Opening of a new school – Standing Item	30 Jun 17	
002600/2016	Unattached School Playing Fields – Disposal for Development	24 Jan 18	
004890/2018	School Capital Programme 2018-19	18 Sep 18	
005060/2018	Birmingham Museums Trust Future Contract, lease agreement and Financial Arrangements - Public	31 Jul 18	31 Jul 18
005062/2018	Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery - The New Museums and Collection Centre – Options Appraisal	31 Jul 18	31 Jul 18
005137/2018	Youth Promise Plus Update	13 Nov 18	
004668/2018	Birmingham Playing Pitch Strategy 2017-2020	24 Jul 18	26 Jun 18
005144/2018	Commonwealth Games 222 – Alexander Stadium Outline Business Case	26 Jun 18	26 Jun 18
005449/2018	Consultation Outcome: 0-25 Policy for Home to School Transport and Commissioning Strategy	13 Nov 18	

6.2 The following are joint decisions made by the relevant Cabinet Member and Chief Officers.

Ref No	Title	Cabinet Member & Lead Officer	Date of Decision
005462/2018	Proposal to Discontinue Bournville Infant School and to alter the lower age limit and expand Bournville Junior School by Enlargement	Cllr Jayne Francis, Cabinet Member for Education, Skills & Culture Jointly with Anne Ainsworth, Acting Corporate Director for Children And Young People	8 Aug 2018

