

Subject: Housing Committee Work Programme

Report to: Housing Committee

Report of: Executive Director of Secretariat

Date: 24 January 2017

This report will be considered in public

1. Summary

1.1 The Committee receives a report monitoring the progress of its work programme at each meeting.

2. Recommendations

2.1 **That the Committee agrees its work programme, as set out in the report.**

2.2 **That the Committee notes the change of date of its March 2017 meeting, from 29 March 2017 to 23 March 2017, as set out in the report.**

3. Background

3.1 Members receive a report at each Committee meeting on the progress of the projects agreed as the basis for the work programme. Additional projects will be included in the work programme from time to time reflecting the need for the Committee to respond to tasks such as consultations or other events as necessary.

3.2 *Criteria for topic selection*

The criteria for selecting topics are some, or all, of the following:

- (a) Addresses a strategic challenge relating to housing in London, with a particular emphasis on:
 - Developing and maintaining sustainable communities; and
 - Reducing inequalities and offering opportunities to all Londoners.
- (b) Relates to the responsibilities and priorities of the Mayor and Greater London Authority (GLA) Group;
- (c) Provides an opportunity for the Committee to influence policy; and
- (d) Provides an opportunity for the Committee to add value by bringing significant new evidence or new perspectives to the debate.

4. Issues for Consideration

Future Committee Meetings in 2016/17

- 4.1 The Chair of the Committee has agreed that the March 2017 meeting of the Committee be moved to Thursday 23 March 2017 in place of the currently scheduled date of Wednesday 29 March 2017. This is to accommodate a change of meeting date requested by the Police and Crime Committee.
- 4.2 The table below sets out remaining dates allocated to the Housing Committee for the 2016/17 Assembly year. The business for future dates is subject to change as the Committee develops proposals for its work. Dates may be used for formal Committee meetings, informal meetings, site visits or other activities. The work programme also provides for the Committee to respond to any matters that arise during the year.

Meeting Date	Topic
Tuesday 28 February 2017	Update on Rough Sleeping and Single Homelessness – to be agreed
Thursday 23 March 2017 (in place of Wednesday 29 March 2017)	To be agreed

5. Legal Implications

- 5.1 The Committee has the power to do what is recommended in this report.

6. Financial Implications

- 6.1 There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.

List of appendices to this report:

None.

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985	
List of Background Papers: None	
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