

# Subject: Housing Committee Work Programme

Report to: Housing Committee

Report of: Executive Director of Secretariat

Date: 8 November 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. Recommendation

2.1 **That the Committee agrees the update to the work programme for the 2017/18 Assembly Year, as set out in paragraphs 4.1 to 4.4 of 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

### *Provisional timetable for 2017/18*

- 4.1 The table below sets out the allocated dates for the Housing Committee in 2017/18. The table notes suggested business for the meetings up to December 2017.
- 4.2 The work programme is subject to change in future as the Committee develops proposals for its work. Dates may be used for formal committee meetings, informal meetings, site visits or other activities for the committee. The work programme also provides for the Committee to respond to any matters that arise during the year.
- 4.3 The Committee agreed at its last meeting, on 5 September 2017, to use its November meeting to discuss the Mayor's Draft Housing Strategy.
- 4.4 It is proposed that the Committee agrees to use its 5 December 2017 meeting to scrutinise the Mayor's housing delivery record. This could include invited guests from within the GLA, as well as external experts.

<b>Meeting Date</b>	<b>Proposed topic</b>
5 December 2017	Mayoral Housing delivery
23 January 2018	To be confirmed
27 February 2018	To be confirmed
15 March 2018	To be confirmed

## 5. Legal Implications

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

## 6. Financial Implications

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

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### List of appendices to this report:

Appendix 1 – Site Visit Summary Notes – Visit to a Disused School Occupied by Property Guardians

<b>Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985</b>
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List of Background Papers: None
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