

Subject: Draft London Plan

Report to: Environment Committee

Report of: Executive Director of Secretariat

Date: 17 January 2018

This report will be considered in public

1. Summary

- 1.1 The Committee will discuss environmental issues in the draft London Plan with the Deputy Mayor for Planning, Regeneration and Skills. This is to inform input from the Committee to the London Assembly's response to the consultation on the draft plan.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 **That the Committee notes the report as background to putting questions to invited guests on the draft London Plan, and notes the subsequent discussion.**
- 2.2 **That the Committee delegates authority to the Chair, in consultation with party Group Lead Members, to agree any output arising from the discussion.**

3. Background

- 3.1 The Mayor has published a draft London Plan. The London Plan sets the strategic framework for planning and development control in London, and covers a wide range of environmental as well as other issues. The draft is open for consultation until 2 March 2018, and this Committee expects to give input to the Planning Committee for the Assembly's overall response.

4. Issues for Consideration

- 4.1 The London Plan has major chapters on environmental issues including green infrastructure and the natural environment, and sustainable infrastructure, which covers greenhouse gas and other pollutant emissions from developments, water management, and waste and recycling. Throughout the document there are also policies affecting these issues, plus noise and transport emissions.
- 4.2 The Committee has invited Jules Pipe CBE, Deputy Mayor for Planning, Regeneration and Skills to discuss these proposals. He is expected to be accompanied by other GLA officers.

5. Legal Implications

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

6. Financial Implications

6.1 There is no financial implication to the Greater London Authority arising from this report.

List of appendices to this report:

None

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985
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List of Background Papers:

None

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