Agenda Item 8



Report to Safer and Stronger Communities Scrutiny & Policy Development Committee 27th November 2014

Report of:	Jill Hurst, Interim Head of Housing Investment & Repairs
Subject:	Update for Challenge for Change Grass Cutting Report
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Summary:

Following approval from the Board of Sheffield Homes, a customer scrutiny panel was established in July 2011. As a result of extensive consultation and fact finding the group produced a series of recommendations for improvement to the grass cutting Service. This was presented to the Committee on 25th July 2013. The Committee requested a report back on the Council's response to the report's recommendations, which this report provides.

Type of item: The report author should tick the appropriate box

Reviewing of existing policy	
Informing the development of new policy	
Statutory consultation	
Performance / budget monitoring report	
Cabinet request for scrutiny	
Full Council request for scrutiny	
Community Assembly request for scrutiny	
Call-in of Cabinet decision	
Briefing paper for the Scrutiny Committee	
Other	X

The Scrutiny Committee is being asked to:

To receive an update on progress on the Challenge for Change Grass Cutting report recommendations and to comment on progress.

Background Papers:

Challenge for Change Tenant Scrutiny Group report to the Committee on 25th July 2013. Papers available here:

http://sheffielddemocracy.moderngov.co.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?Cld=138&M ld=5390&Ver=4

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