Agenda Item



Report to:	Finance and Information Technology Resources Committee
Date of Meeting:	29 March 2011
Report by:	Chief Executive

Subject: Capital Budget Monitoring 2010/2011 - Finance and Information Technology Resources

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-
 - provide information on the progress of the capital programme for Finance and Information Technology Resources for the period 1 April 2010 to 18 February 2011.

2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-
 - (1) that the Finance and Information Technology Resources capital programme of £0.503million and expenditure to date of £0.202million be noted.

3. Background

- 3.1. This is the fourth capital monitoring report presented to the Finance and Information Technology Resources Committee for the financial year 2010/2011.
- 3.2. The report details the financial position for Finance and Information Technology Resources on Appendix A.

4. Employee Implications

4.1. None

5. Financial Implications

5.1. The total capital programme for Finance and Information Technology Resources for 2010/2011 is £0.503million. Anticipated spend to date was £0.242million with £0.202million of expenditure being incurred (40.16% of full budget). This represents a position of £0.040million behind profile. This time last year £1.208million was spent (77.84%).

6. Other Implications

6.1. The main risk associated with the Council's Capital Programme is failure to manage the projects, resulting in a significant overspend. The risk has been assessed as low given the detailed project management plans prepared and monitored for each project. The risk of an overspend is managed through 4 weekly Investment Management Meetings.

7. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

- 7.1. This report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy or recommend a change to an existing policy, function or strategy and therefore no impact assessment is required.
- 7.2. There is also no requirement to undertake any consultation in terms of the information contained in the report.

Archibald Strang Chief Executive

2 March 2011

Link(s) to Council Values/Improvement Themes/Objectives

• Value: Accountable, Effective and Efficient

Previous References

• Finance and IT Resources Committee 1 February 2011

List of Background Papers

• Financial ledger to 18 February 2011

Contact for Further Information

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Appendix A

South Lanarkshire Council Capital Expenditure 2010-2011 Finance and Information Technology Resources Programme For Period 1 April 2010 – 18 February 2011

Finance and Information Technology Resources	Budget £000	Budget b/f £000	Total Original Budget £000	Budget Adjustments £000	Slippage £000	Total Budget £000	Budget to Date £000	Actual Expenditure £000
Finance Services	0	81	81	0	(33)	48	38	31
Information Technology Services	222	619	841	0	(386)	455	204	171
TOTAL	222	700	922	0	(419)	503	242	202