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Report to: Financial Resources Scrutiny Forum

Date of Meeting: 29 September 2009

Report by: Executive Director (Finance and Information

**Technology Resources**)

Subject: Capital Budget Monitoring 2009/2010

# 1. Purpose of Report

1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-

 update members of the Scrutiny Forum of progress on the Council's capital programmes for the period covering 1 April 2009 to 7 August 2009.

## 2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Scrutiny Forum is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-
  - (1) that the progress of the Housing Capital Programme is noted; and
  - (2) that the progress of the General Fund Capital Programme is noted.

# 3. Background

- 3.1. The Capital reports attached provide detail on the position as at 7 August 2009 from both a financial and physical perspective.
- 3.2. The papers have been split into separate sections detailing financial progress and physical progress as shown below:
  - Appendix A Housing Capital Programme, Financial Information
  - Appendix B Housing Capital Programme, Physical Progress
  - Appendix C General Services Capital Programme, Financial Information
  - Appendix D General Services Capital Programme, Build Physical Progress
  - Appendix E General Services Capital Programme, Non-Build Physical Progress
  - Appendix F General Services Capital Programme, Roads Physical Progress
  - Appendix G General Services Exception Report (approved at Executive Committee on 9 September 2009)

## 4. General Fund Capital Programme – Physical Progress (Appendix D)

4.1. As noted above, Appendix D details the physical progress on the General Fund Capital Programme. With regard to Programme Status, 3 projects are noted as being Behind Programme at this point. This reflects the fact that Housing and Technical Resources had already restated their programme for 2009/10 based on known changes from 2008/09. In the Executive Committee of 9 September 2009, a number of projects are noted as slipping and this represents the reframing of the financial programme in line with the physical profile of the works as noted in Section 4.

# 5. Employee Implications

5.1. None

# 6. Financial Implications

6.1. The financial position of the Housing and General Fund Capital Programmes are noted in Appendices A and C respectively.

# 7. Other Implications

7.1. None

# 8. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

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

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11 September 2009

# Link(s) to Council Objectives

Value:

Accountable, Effective and Efficient

## **Previous References**

None

### **List of Background Papers**

Capital Ledger prints to 7 August 2009

#### **Contact for Further Information**

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