

Briefing note

To: Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee

Date: 17¹¹ April 2013

Subject: Progress on the Olympic Legacy Scrutiny Panel

1 Purpose of the Note

1.1 The purpose of the note is to update Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee on the progress made by the Olympic Legacy Scrutiny Panel

2 Recommendations

- 2.1 Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee is requested to:
 - 1) Note the content of the scoping document covering the work of the Olympic Legacy Scrutiny Panel (Appendix 1)
 - 2) Note the content and recommendations in the Cabinet Report Creating and Olympic Legacy for Coventry Coventry Ambassadors (Appendix 2)
 - 3) Agree to receive further updates as the work of the panel progresses.

3 Information/Background

- 3.1 At his meeting on 30th November 2012, the Cabinet Member (Policy, Leadership and Governance) recommended that an Olympic Legacy Scrutiny Panel was established to develop proposals for a lasting Olympics legacy for Coventry. This was agreed at full Council on 4th December 2012.
- 3.2 The panel was established by the Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee at their meeting on 23rd January 2013. This group has so far met twice and identified the recommendations in this report to provide a legacy for the Coventry Ambassadors. This group as a further meeting planned for the 24th April to identify recommendations for other aspects of the Olympic legacy.
- 3.3 The group has agreed the scoping document (Appendix 1) for the work they are doing and are very aware of the potential overlap with other Cabinet Advisory Panels such as the Tourism Strategy, the City-wide Events Strategy and the Sport Vision Strategy.
- 3.4 One of the first areas for discussion has been the legacy of the Coventry Ambassadors. Due to the need to identify budget during this financial year (2012/13), recommendations will be presented to the final Cabinet meeting of the municipal year on 16th April 2012. The report can be found at Appendix 2.
- 3.5 Other areas of work that the panel will be considering are the Community Games and city dressing.

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