OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

DATE OF MEETING: 19 APRIL 2022

TITLE OF REPORT:	REPORTS FROM REPRESENTATIVES ON OUTSIDE BODIES
Report of:	Joint Chief Executive
Cabinet Member:	Councillor David Neighbour, Leader

1 PURPOSE OF REPORT

To inform the Committee of members' work in 2021/22 as representatives of the Council on outside bodies.

A summary of reports from the Council's representatives on external bodies for 2021/22 is attached as **Appendix 1**.

2 OFFICER RECOMMENDATIONS

Members are requested to:

- consider the effectiveness of current partnerships and external representation in meeting the Council's priorities, and to note the information.
- o make recommendation to Cabinet where appropriate

3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 Annually, a specified number of representatives are nominated to sit on Hart's approved list of Outside Bodies. Members are requested to consider the effectiveness of current partnerships and external representation in meeting the Council's priorities, and to note the information.
- 3.2 At the end of each year, each representative is requested to prepare a short report outlining the role of the organisation; the benefit to the Council of providing a representative to that organisation; and how the priorities of the organisation link with the Council's corporate priorities.

4. EQUALITIES

All activity will comply with the authority's statutory duties.

5. CLIMATE CHANGE IMPLICATIONS

No direct carbon/environmental impacts arising from the recommendations.

6. ACTION

Overview and Scrutiny Committee are asked to review the engagement with outside bodies and provide any recommendations, as appropriate to Cabinet.

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APPENDICES

Appendix 1 – Summary of Reports from Representatives on Outside Bodies Appendix 2 – List of Council nominated representatives.