

RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

MUNICIPAL YEAR 2023 /24

CLIMATE CHANGE, FRONTLINE SERVICES & PROSPERITY SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

18th October 2023

PRE-SCRUTINY OF THE COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE LEVY ANNUAL MONITORING REPORT

REPORT OF THE SERVICE DIRECTOR OF DEMOCRATIC SERVICES & COMMUNICATIONS

1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1.1 To pre-scrutinise the Council's Community Infrastructure Levy Annual Monitoring Report.

2. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

It is recommended that: -

- 2.1 Members undertake pre scrutiny on the Council's Community Infrastructure Levy Annual Monitoring Report attached at Appendix 1 to this report, thus providing Scrutiny with an opportunity to contribute to this matter; and
- 2.2 The Climate Change, Frontline Services & Prosperity Scrutiny Committee provide comment on the report which will form part of the reported feedback to Cabinet, at its meeting to be held on the 23rd October 2023.

3. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

3.1 The need for Scrutiny to consider and scrutinise the proposed Council's Community Infrastructure Levy Annual Monitoring Report prior to formal consideration by Council.

3.2 The need to advise Cabinet of the comments and observations of the Climate Change, Frontline Services & Prosperity Scrutiny Committee prior to their consideration of the Report.

4. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- 4.1 The Community Infrastructure Levy Regulations 2010 (as amended) require the Council to produce an annual report detailing CIL income and expenditure (Appendix A).
- 4.2 The Community Infrastructure Levy Regulations 2010 (as amended) also require the Council to publish an Infrastructure List (known as the Regulation 123 List) (Appendix B). The List should set out the infrastructure, which the Council considers it is likely to apply CIL revenue against.
- 4.3 At the meeting of the Cabinet held on 23 July 2015, Members agreed the process for formulating, monitoring and revising the Regulation 123 list, which includes that the relevant Scrutiny Committee/Group review the operation of the list and consider the annual 123 list and annual CIL financial monitoring report and make recommendations to Cabinet where appropriate.

5. PRE SCRUTINY

5.1 Members are reminded that the purpose of pre scrutiny activity is to influence the decisions before they are made. The Council's Climate Change, Frontline Services & Prosperity Committee continues to have the opportunity to explore and comment on a number of reports in advance of the Cabinet's consideration to bring a different perspective to the decisions made and enabling Cabinet decisions to be more informed.

6. EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY IMPLICATIONS

6.1 There are no direct implications as a result of this financial report, however, the equality and diversity implications of any infrastructure schemes that will be funded by CIL will be considered in the development of those projects.

7. CONSULTATION/INVOLVEMENT

7.1 There are no consultation requirements arising from this report.

8. FINANCIAL AND RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

8.1 There are no additional budget requirements.

9. <u>LINKS TO THE CORPORATE AND NATIONAL PRIORITIES AND THE</u> WELLBEING OF FUTURE GENERATIONS ACT

9.1 Infrastructure funded through CIL will support the Building a Strong Economy and Creating Neighbourhoods Where People are Proud to Live and Work priorities in the Corporate Plan.

10. CONCLUSION

10.1 Members of the Climate Change Frontline Services & Prosperity Scrutiny Committee are asked to pre scrutinse the Council's Community Infrastructure Levy Annual Monitoring Report which will form part of the reported feedback to Cabinet, at its meeting to be held on the 23rd October 2023.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972

as amended by

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985

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LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS:

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