



PEOPLE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY SUB-COMMITTEE – 8th September 2026

Subject Heading:

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Policy context:

Pre-decision Scrutiny – Homelessness
Prevention and Rough Sleeping Strategy
2026 - 2029

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Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Committee

SUMMARY

This report introduces to the Sub-Committee the pre-decision scrutiny of the forthcoming Council Homelessness and Prevention of Rough Sleeping Strategy.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Sub-Committee scrutinises the attached Strategy and Cabinet Report and agrees any recommendations to be forwarded to Cabinet for response.

REPORT DETAIL

The attached draft homelessness and rough sleeping strategy 2026 – 2029 is due to be considered by Cabinet shortly. As part of its powers of pre-decision scrutiny, the Sub-Committee is invited to scrutinise the strategy and formulate any comments or recommendations that it wishes Cabinet to respond to as it considers the final report on this matter and decides on the final strategy.

IMPLICATIONS AND RISKS

Financial implications and risks: None for this covering report

Legal implications and risks: None for this covering report

Human Resources implications and risks: None for this covering report

Equalities implications and risks: None for this covering report

ENVIRONMENTAL AND CLIMATE CHANGE IMPLICATIONS AND RISKS
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None for this covering report

BACKGROUND PAPERS

None.