

## **Overview and Scrutiny Committee Briefing Paper**

#### Subject: Working Groups update

Assistant Director/Corporate Director:

Food Insecurity - Nicola Riley, Assistant Director Wellbeing and Housing & Steve Hinds, Corporate Director Resources.

Climate Action – Ed Potter, Assistant Director Environmental Service & Ian Boll, Corporate Director Communities

### Background and Reason for Briefing note:

#### Food Insecurity Working Group

The working group have held two further meetings since the last O&S committee on 11 October, a third meeting is scheduled for 23 November.

The group have received updates regarding development and implementation of the food voucher scheme, and assisted officers with the CDC Food Action Plan, as detailed on the earlier agenda item.

The group will continue work on promotional campaigns for healthy living schemes and promotions.

#### **Climate Action Working Group**

The working group have a meeting scheduled for 28 November, where they will be discussing the three key areas previously agreed:

- Aligning policies, such as in the Local Plan, to accommodate the climate emergency declared in 2019
- Identifying priorities to get to net zero by 2030
- How to measure success of the above points

Terms of Reference for the Climate Action group will also be reviewed.

The Chairman of the Climate Action working group Councillor John Broad will give a further update on 29 November.

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