North East Derbyshire Council

Environment Scrutiny Committee

<u>Council Plan Objective – A Great Place that Cares for the Environment -</u> <u>Update January to March 2024</u>

21st May 2024

Report of the Information, Engagement & Performance Manager

Classification: This report is public

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PURPOSE / SUMMARY

To report progress on the strategies underpinning the Council Plan objective - "A great place that cares for the environment" for the period ending 31st March 2024

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That progress against the Council Plan "A great place that cares for the environment" objective be noted.

IMPLICATIONS

<u>Finance an</u> Details:	<u>d Risk:</u>	Yes□	No 🛛			
				On Beha	alf of the Section	n 151 Officer
Legal (including Data Protection):				Yes⊡	No 🛛	
Details			O	n Behalf c	of the Solicitor to	o the Council
<u>Staffing</u> : Details:	Yes□	No 🛛				
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DECISION INFORMATION

Decision Information	
Is the decision a Key Decision?	No
A Key Decision is an executive decision which has a	
significant impact on two or more District wards or	
which results in income or expenditure to the Council	
above the following thresholds:	
NEDDC:	
Revenue - £100,000 🗆 Capital - £250,000 🛛	
Please indicate which threshold applies	
Is the decision subject to Call-In?	No
(Only Key Decisions are subject to Call-In)	
District Wards Significantly Affected	None
Consultation:	Details:
Leader / Deputy Leader 🗆 Cabinet 🗆	Ward Members
SMT 🛛 Relevant Service Manager 🗆	
Members 🗆 Public 🗆 Other 🗆	

Links to Council Plan priorities, including Climate Change, Equalities, and Economics and Health implications.

A great place that cares for the environment council plan objective:

- Reducing carbon emissions and pollution across the district
- Increasing biodiversity across the district

REPORT DETAILS

1 <u>Background</u>

1.1 The Council plan 2023-27 has four objectives:

- A great place to work.
- A great place to access good public services.
- A great place to live well.
- A great place that cares for the environment

Information on progress on what the Council has done for the environment objective is contained at appendix one.

1.2 Under the environment objective there are two strategies - Reduce carbon emissions and pollution across the district and Increase biodiversity across the district. There are five and two tactics - our approaches to positively influence the strategy - under the respective strategies.

2. Details of Proposal or Information

- 2.1 The appendix notes under each strategy and tactic the relevant work that has been undertaken during this period together with providing a flavour of the breadth of work.
- 2.2 The report was taken to Senior Management team on 22nd April 2024 for consideration and oversight.

3 <u>Reasons for Recommendation</u>

3.1 This is an information report to keep Members informed of progress against the council plan objective for the environment.

4 <u>Alternative Options and Reasons for Rejection</u>

4.1 Not applicable to this report as providing an overview of progress against the council plan objective for the environment.

DOCUMENT INFORMATION

Appendix No	Title		
1	A summary of progress for the Council Plan objective – A great place that cares for the environment – for the period ending March 2024		
Background Papers (These are unpublished works which have been relied on to a material extent when preparing the report. They must be listed in the section below. If the report is going to Cabinet you must provide copies of the background papers)			