

COUNCIL CABINET 27 July 2010

ITEM 7

Report of the Strategic Director of Neighbourhoods

FOOD LAW ENFORCEMENT PLAN 2010/2011

SUMMARY

1. Each year the council must produce a Food Law Enforcement Plan. This plan is required to identify the obligations placed on the Council by The Food Safety Act 1990, the Food Hygiene (England) Regulations 2006, the Official Feed and Food Controls (England) Regulations 2006, The Food Labelling Regulations 1996, The Agriculture Act 1970 and The Animal Health Act 2006 and the resources made available to officers to discharge these obligations.

RECOMMENDATION

2. To recommend the Food Law Enforcement Plan 2010/2011 be approved by the Council.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- The Plan will be used as a basis of any audit undertaken by the Food Standards Agency (FSA).
- 3.2 The plan is written to meet all the requirements of the FSA in terms of its content and format.
- 3.3 The Food Law Enforcement Plan 2010/2011 is consistent with last years plan. Copies have been placed in the Members' Room for information and the document can also be viewed on CMIS.

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Background papers: Nor

List of appendices: Appendix 1 – Implications

IMPLICATIONS

Financial

1. None arising from the report.

Legal

2. The Council has a statutory duty to enforce the aforementioned legislation.

Personnel

3. None arising from this report.

Equalities Impact

4. None

Corporate Priorities

5. Proper enforcement of the aforementioned legislation contributes to the Council's priorities for **making us proud of our neighbourhoods**.