

Overview & Scrutiny Recommendation Response Pro forma

Under section 9FE of the Local Government Act 2000, Overview and Scrutiny Committees must require the Cabinet or local authority to respond to a report or recommendations made thereto by an Overview and Scrutiny Committee. Such a response must be provided within two months from the date on which it is requested¹ and, if the report or recommendations in questions were published, the response also must be so.

This template provides a structure which respondents are encouraged to use. However, respondents are welcome to depart from the suggested structure provided the same information is included in a response. The usual way to publish a response is to include it in the agenda of a meeting of the body to which the report or recommendations were addressed.

Issue: Consultation and Engagement Strategy

Lead Cabinet Member(s): Cllr Glynis Phillips, Cabinet Member for Corporate Services

Date response requested:² 19 September 2023

Response to report:

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Response to recommendations:

Recommendation	Accepted, rejected or partially accepted	Proposed action (if different to that recommended) and indicative timescale (unless rejected)
That on issues expected to be contentious political leaders should be accountable via		

¹ Date of the meeting at which report/recommendations were received

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<p>Cabinet or single Cabinet member decision for the consultation and engagement strategy, rather than officers</p>		
<p>That at its next annual refresh of the Communications and Engagement action plan the Council strengthens its road-map for how it will leverage its partnerships to increase the breadth of engagement by including (but not limited to)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Creating SMART targets for partnership working b) Committing to undertake engagement processes which are representative by design 		
<p>That the Council develop an outline business case for launching Let's Talk Oxfordshire in app form.</p>		