

# ISSUES ARISING FROM OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY OR OTHER COMMITTEES

## COUNCIL BUDGET 2022/23 AND MEDIUM-TERM FINANCIAL PLAN 2022/23–2025/26

Responsibility: Portfolio Holder for Finance, Governance, Digital and Climate Change

Report of: Head of Finance and Investment

### Decision Route

Cabinet	7 February 2022	CAB 80
Overview and Scrutiny Committee	21 February 2022	Minute No 116
Cabinet	28 February 2022	

### Overview and Scrutiny Committee Recommendations

The Overview and Scrutiny Committee, at its meeting held on 21 February 2022, considered Cabinet decision CAB 80 and made the following recommendations:

- (a) That the Overview and Scrutiny Committee notes the budget and welcomes the work undertaken by officers.
- (b) That the Leader of the Council and the Cabinet be encouraged to consider the points raised by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee at the meeting held on 21 February 2022 in respect of the need for clarification over the intended use of the smoothing reserve and that the ESG investment policy links to achieving the Council's climate change targets.