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| <b>Report title:</b> Air Quality Task and Finish Report – Cabinet member response |  | <b>PSEG/10/19</b><br><b>AGENDA ITEM 8</b> |
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| <b>County Divisions affected:</b> All Essex                                       |  |   |

### 1. Purpose of session

The final [Air Quality Task and Finish report](#) was submitted to cabinet on the 3 March 2019 at the request of the Place Services and Economic Growth Policy and Scrutiny Committee Chairman.

The report was sent to the following Members of the Cabinet:

**Cllr Simon Walsh** – Cabinet Member for Waste and the Environment

**Cllr Kevin Bentley** – Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Infrastructure

**Cllr John Spence** – Cabinet Member for Adults and Health

**Cllr Ray Gooding** – Cabinet Member for Education and Skills

The Political Leadership Team appointed Cllr Simon Walsh as Air Quality Champion, tasked with taking forward the recommendations set out in the report.

The aim of this session is to outline the initial cabinet member response to the recommendations set out in the report.

A letter has since been received from Cllr David Finch, thanking the Task and Finish group for their work (**Appendix A**).

### 2. Next steps

Members are asked to discuss the recommendations with the Cabinet Member and agree next steps moving forward, including a timeline for implementation and further scrutiny.

### 3. Appendices

- **Appendix A:** Letter from Cllr David Finch