


13. UPDATE ON THE WORK PROGRAMME FOR THE CITY-WIDE PLANTING STRATEGY AND THE BIODIVERSITY STRATEGY



The Committee considered a report from Liz Briggs (Policy Leader, Open Space and Water), Kelvin McMillan (Strategic Natural Areas Planner) and Jenny Ridgen (Environmental Scientist) which:

- (a) updated the Committee on the proposed work programme and completion dates of the above two strategies.
- (b) highlighted the difference in purpose of the two strategies as well as the area of overlap.

The Committee **decided**:

- 1. To adopt the work programme and strategy timelines for the Biodiversity Strategy and the Citywide Planting Strategy, as illustrated in the attachment to the report.
- 2. Thank staff involved for their efforts in establishing the programme.