EX72. Strategic Property Review – Update & Draft Property Strategy

The Executive considered a report by the Director of Development Services providing an update on the Strategic Property Review (SPR) and the preparation of a draft Property Strategy and Implementation Plan. The draft strategy had been informed by the findings of the Strategic Property Review (SPR) and the report includes an update on the ongoing SPR work streams, consultation and projects previously approved.

A set of 5 key objectives had been established and together with applying the SPR principles provided direction to inform future decisions on delivery of services in communities and associated property solutions. The objectives were:-

- Property being managed corporately to support the Council's corporate objectives and priorities;
- Property meets the needs of our customers and services;
- Property is providing value for money and is affordable;
- Council property supports sustainable and inclusive economic Growth, and
- Working effectively with partners to maximise shared opportunities.

The Executive adjourned at 12 noon and reconvened at 12.10pm with all members present as per the sederunt.

Decision

The Executive agreed:-

- (1) that a workshop for elected members is arranged and that the draft strategy is used to underpin the discussions to review the implementation plan, potential asset rationalisation programme and outcome of public consultation currently ongoing, and
- (2) that the finalised strategy is presented to a future meeting of the Executive for approval