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IMPLICATIONS/CONSULTATIONS

Contribution to the Council's Corporate Priorities/ Objectives:	Priority 1 – Improve the health and wellbeing of our communities
Consultation:	Chief Executive/Returning Officer/Electoral Registration Officer Head of Legal and Democratic Services
Legal:	The processes associated with undertaking a Community Governance Review are prescribed by statute and associated statutory guidance. The relevant legal provisions and implications are set out in the body of the report.
Financial:	Any costs arising from undertaking and/or implementing the recommendations of the Community Governance Review will be met from existing staff/budgetary resources within Legal and Democratic Services or other relevant service area.
Human Resource:	There are no ongoing staffing implications of the report. Any staff requirements of undertaking and/or implementing the recommendations of the Community Governance Review will be met from existing resources within Legal and Democratic Services or other relevant service area.
Risk Management:	No significant implications.

Health and wellbeing – issues and impacts:	Effective and convenient community governance arrangements can contribute to the promotion of improved health and wellbeing for communities.
Equality Impact Assessment required:	No.