Strategic Risk Register 2011/12 – May and June 2011



Code	Title	Description	Current Risk Matrix	Impact	Likelihood	Managed By	Latest Note
SR1	Risk of significant reduction in funding above that planned	There is uncertainty around future funding, both from Government and other areas such as income from commodities markets for recycled materials. There are cost pressures combined with an increased awareness and scrutiny of financial position.	Likelihood	4	4	Alan Madin	May and June 2011: The Medium Term Financial Plan update will establish planning parameters to address future funding forecasts. The final account 2010/11 saw reserves maintained at a healthy level with no transfers to earmarked reserves beyond those set out in the February 2011 budget.

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SR2	Risk of a loss of capacity / capability and flexibility to deliver service levels we would like.	There are challenges around workforce planning to ensure the Council is fit for the future, in terms of workforce skills, capacity and flexibility.	The second secon	4	4	Alan Madin	May and June 2011: Service restructures are planned, and organisational change and development put in place. Corporate training plan 2011/12 agreed and moved to implementation.

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SR3	tnird sector partner fails or	A number of key external and internal services are delivered through major contracts, both directly and in consortia. This is both through private sector supply chains and in conjunction with the voluntary and third sector.	rikelihood Impact	3		George Robertson	May and June 2011: Regular contract management meetings and appropriate reviews are in place for all major service arrangements.

Essential reference paper "B"

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SR4	investment and effort does not deliver benefits and	Moving more towards shared services with other public sector partners. Potential for lack of consistent political buy-in by all partners resulting in considerable effort without benefit. There is also a challenging skill set for managers due to the complexity.	Likelihood	Impact	3	2	Alan Madin	May and June 2011: A programme management approach has been adopted to manage risks. A strategic business case is being developed.

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SR5		There is uncertainty on overall future government policy and a number of changes required without accompanying resource.	Likelihood Impact	2	1.5	Anne Freimanis	May and June 2011: Monitoring of Government policy continuing. CMT and Executive considering implications as they emerge.

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SR6	nolicies in	There could be a lack of consistency and cohesion at senior management levels of implementing decisions.	Tikelihood Tikelihood	4	1	Simon Drinkwater	May and June 2011: All matters for decision are reported to the appropriate body. All decisions are recorded. There is a detailed work plan.