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Mayor Ros Jones Civic Office Doncaster

Dear Ros

## **Doncaster Delivering Together Strategy (DDT)**

At its meeting on 19<sup>th</sup> August, the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee considered the new Borough Strategy "Doncaster Delivering Together", prior to its consideration by Cabinet and Council.

I am pleased to confirm that the Committee supported the Doncaster Delivering Together approached and welcomed the report.

During discussion Members commented on a number of areas including the importance of policies being influenced by the lived experience of members of the community. The minutes will be available shortly with full detail but I would like to highlight that the following points were welcomed:-

- Consultation undertaken and evidence gathered from many stakeholders, including the public, to assist with developing the DDT;
- The continued effectiveness of partnership arrangements particularly seeking new ways of working with communities to deliver together;
- The Strategy vision up to 2030 and the ability for the document to be flexible enabling the Council to respond to unforeseen events, as has been the case over the last two years, including flooding, Covid and Moorland fires; and
- The 'Great 8' priorities to help deliver the well-being goals.

I would be grateful if Scrutiny's support could be incorporated within the report presented to Cabinet and Council.

On behalf of the Committee, I wish to thank Lee Tillman and Allan Wiltshire for their attendance and for responding to the issues raised by Members at the meeting.

Kind regards,

Jane Widd

**Councillor Jane Kidd Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee** 

cc OSMC Members
Cabinet Members
Debbie Hogg, Director of Corporate Resources
Lee Tillman, Assistant Director, Policy, Insight and Change
Allan Wiltshire, Head of Policy Performance and Intelligence