

TONBRIDGE & MALLING BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISION

**Decision Taken By:
Cabinet Member for Housing**

**Decision No:
D220113MEM**

Date: 06 December 2022

Decision(s) and Reason(s)

Temporary Accommodation Action Plan Update

(Report of Director of Planning, Housing and Environmental Health)

The report provided an update on the progress being made in respect of the Temporary Accommodation Action Plan. A summary was attached at Annex 1.

Members commended the good progress that continued to be made on reducing the number of households in temporary accommodation and currently this was reported as 97. As highlighted in the Action Plan there were a number of areas that required focus and these included the implementation of the Housing Allocation Scheme, a revised approach to procurement and accessing the private rented sector.

The key risks associated with maintaining or improving the number of households in temporary accommodation were detailed in 1.5.1 of the report. These risks, together with potential mitigating actions and the good progress being made in controlling budget spend, were noted by Members.

Following consideration by the Housing and Planning Scrutiny Select Committee, the Cabinet Member for Housing resolved that:

(1) the progress made against the Temporary Accommodation Plan be noted.

Reasons: As set out in the report submitted to the Housing and Planning Scrutiny Select Committee of 6 December 2022.

Signed Cabinet Member for Housing

K Tanner

Signed Leader:

M Boughton

Signed Chief Executive:

J Beilby

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8 December 2022

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