

2.2.6 HERITAGE CULTURE AND LEISURE COMMITTEE

Membership: 9 Councillors

Purpose: To promote Maidstone as a decent place to live by providing opportunities for engagement in cultural and leisure pursuits, developing a sense of place and ensuring that everyone, no matter who they are, or where they live, has access to quality open space, sports and leisure facilities

FUNCTIONS	DELEGATION OF FUNCTIONS
To take the lead within the Council for ensuring that the Council delivers its strategic objectives with respect to Maidstone as a decent place to live by providing opportunities for engagement in cultural and leisure pursuits, developing a sense of place and ensuring that everyone, no matter who they are, or where they live, has access to quality open space, sports and leisure facilities	N/A
To take the lead in ensuring that Maidstone's Heritage and Culture together with its leisure facilities play a key role in regeneration and in improving and sustaining the Borough's economic development and health and wellbeing	N/A
To submit to Policy and Resources Committee all revenue estimates and capital programmes within the remit of the Committee with a view to P&R Committee determining the budget for submission to Council	N/A
To be responsible for all strategic budget related staffing matters within the Committee's remit	N/A
<p>Strategic Planning and Performance Management – to oversee the development, review and implementation of the Council's:</p>	
Parks and Open Spaces 10 Year Plan including play areas and allotments	Head of Regeneration and Economic Development
Festivals and Events Policy including the Hazlitt Theatre and Arts Centre contract.	Head of Regeneration and Economic Development

Tourism Destination Management Plan	Head of Regeneration and Economic Development
Maidstone Culture and Leisure Business Plan	Head of Regeneration and Economic Development
Museums 20 year development plan	Head of Regeneration and Economic Development
Maidstone Market	Head of Regeneration and Economic Development
<u>Public Realm Design Guide and Public Arts Policy</u>	<u>Head of Regeneration and Economic Development</u>
<u>Bereavement Services - Vinters Park Crematorium and Maidstone Cemetery</u>	<u>Head of Environment and Public Realm</u>