## **ELECTED MEMBERS' BRIEFING SESSION**

**Date of Workshop:** Monday, 20 March 2023

Time Start (approx.): 6.30pm

Subject (1): 2023-24 Annual Business Plan and Budget

**Department:** Business Support & Improvement

Presenter(s): Peter Tsokas, CEO

Nicola Tinning, General Manager Business Support &

Improvement

Alex Brown, Manager Finance & Procurement

**Session:** Open to the public.

## **PURPOSE**

This workshop is for the discussion and consideration of the Draft 2023-24 Annual Business Plan and Budget for community consultation:

The key outcomes of this workshop are to:

- 1. Provide an overview of the draft budget position;
- 2. Consider the budget bids for Operating and New Capital projects, including those proposed by Elected Members; and
- 3. Discuss options for a potential rate rise.

The discussion at this workshop will assist Administration with preparation of the Draft 2023-24 Business Plan Budget for public consultation, which will be presented at the 24 April 2023 Council Meeting.

A second workshop was tentatively scheduled for Thursday 23 March, should more time be required to consider the funding priorities, however, we anticipate that this will not be required.