



HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD
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ITEM 08

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**Consultation on Derby Homelessness & Rough Sleeping
Strategy 2020 - 2025**

Purpose

- 1.1 To make partners aware of the current public consultation on the new Derby Homelessness & Rough Sleeping Strategy and invite responses.
- 1.2 A Homelessness & Rough Sleeping Strategy is a statutory requirement for all local authorities to produce. The strategy includes a review of homelessness in our district and sets out our strategic vision for tackling homelessness over the next 5 years.
- 1.3 This strategy has been developed with extensive consultation and workshops with partners and stakeholders.
- 1.4 The draft strategy can be seen by following the link below.

https://www.derby.gov.uk/council-and-democracy/consultations/your-city-your-say-latest-consultations/derby_homelessness_rough_sleeping_strategy/

Recommendation(s)

- 2.1 Partners are invited to respond to the strategy consultation.
- 2.2 This item is for information only.

Reason(s)

- 3.1 This item is for information only.

Supporting information

- 4.1 A presentation will be provided to the board.
- 4.2 The draft strategy can be seen by following the above link.

Public/stakeholder engagement

- 5.1 Engagement workshops have been held with
 - The Derby Homeless Liaison Forum – this is our main partnership meeting held 6 weekly in the city for tackling homelessness.
 - Voices 4 Action – this is our reference group made up of people with lived experience of homelessness.
 - Derby City Councillors.
 - The Housing Options Team responsible for delivering statutory homeless services on behalf of Derby City Council and in line with the Housing Act.
- 5.2 The engagement workshops are detailed in the Homelessness Strategy and feedback contained in the Action Plan.

Other options

6.1 This item is for information only.

Financial and value for money issues

7.1 This item is for information only.

Legal implications

8.1 This item is for information only.

Other significant implications

9.1 This item is for information only.

This report has been approved by the following people:

Role	Name	Date of sign-off
Legal		
Finance		

Service Director(s)
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Other(s)
