Q2 Audit Committee Report

Q2 Q1 2019/20 2020/21 Traffic 2021/22 2021/22 PI Code Short Name DoT Performance Data Trend Chart Light Value Value Note Value Value CACH CSC 010 Percentage of child protection cases which were reviewed within required timescales (ex NI 67) 100.0% 90.0% 80.0% Percentage of child 70.0% 2020/21 data is not available protection cases which 60.0% ChEd CSC Not measured for for this indicator as the service were reviewed within 97.0% N/A N/A N/A 50.0% 010 Quarters did not submit Children in Need required timescales (ex 40.0% census for 2020-21 30.0% NI 67) 20.0% 10.0% 0.0% 2017/10 2016/12 2018/19 2019/20 Long term sickness rates have FCR HROD 001 Sickness 12 month rolling average increased as a result of staff waiting for surgical interventions or treatment for conditions from the NHS. Group Directors are being FCR HROD Sickness 12 month rolling Л 10.29 9.59 9.68 10.51 encouraged to review the 50+ 001 average day sickness absence in their directors to ensure that effective sickness management processes are in place and sickness cases are consistently Quarters - Red Threshold (Quarters) - Amber Threshold (Quarters) managed.

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									FCR HROD 023 % of employees aged 50 or over
FCR HROD 023	% of employees aged 50 or over	39.4%	40.7%	41.3%	41.5%	The Council continues to have a high percentage of staff employed who are aged 50 and above. This figure continues to increase slightly each quarter, although at some stage in the future it is likely to fall as older workers consider their personal circumstances as the COVID Pandemic eases.		₽	40.0% 35.0% 25.0% 20.0% 25.0% 20.0% 5.0% 15.0% 0.0%
									FCR HROD 029a Top 5% of earners: Ethnic minorities (ex BV11b)
FCR HROD 029a	Top 5% of earners: Ethnic minorities (ex BV11b)	28.91%	31.37%	30.73%	31.07%		>	1	27.50% 25.00% 20.00% 17.50% 12.50% 12.50% 10.00% 2.50% 0.00% 2.50% 0.00% 10.00% 2.50% 0.00% 10.0
									FCR HROD 030a Top 5% of earners: Women (ex BV 11a)
FCR HROD 030a	Top 5% of earners: Women (ex BV 11a)	49.34%	53.57%	54.46%	55.11%			1	50.00% 45.00% 50.00%

CE PPD 021	Number of Stage 1 complaints received by the Council	2322	2485	823	966			•	CE PPD 021 Number of Stage 1 complaints received by the Council
FCR RB BHN 002	Time taken to process Housing Benefit new claims and change events (ex NI 181) - reported as YTD figure	6.8 days (YTD)	N/A	N/A	N/A	This data is not available due to the cyber attack. Work is ongoing with DWP on enabling accurate reporting.	N/A	N/A	FCR RB BHN 002 Time taken to process Housing Benefit new claims and change events (ex N1 181) - reported as YTD figure 22.5 days (YTD) 20.0 days (YTD) 15.0 days (YTD) 15.0 days (YTD) 2.5 days (YTD) 2.5 days (YTD) 10.0 days (YTD) 2.5 days (YTD) 10.0 days (YTD) 2.5 days (YTD) 10.0 days (YTD) 2.5 days (YTD) 2.5 days (YTD) 2.5 days (YTD) 0.0 days (YTD) 2.5 days (YTD) 0.0 days (YTD) 0.0 days (YTD) 2.5 days (YTD) 0.0 days (YTD)
FCR RB BHN 007	Number of households living in temporary accommodation (ex NI 156)	3,242	N/A	3,179	3,107	Numbers are decreasing due to the increase in lets into the private rented sector achieved in part due to Covid making residents more willing to move.		N/A	FCR RB BHN 007 Number of households living in temporary accommodation (ex NI 156) 3,000 2,500 1,500 1,500 000 000 000 000 000 000 000

									FCR RB REV 003 % of current year Council Tax collected (QRC basis)
FCR RB REV 003	% of current year Council Tax collected (QRC basis)	94.7%	84.6%	19.6%	36.1%	2021-22 collection is severely impacted by the cyber attack as we have been unable to update accounts since October 2020. Work is ongoing to load the backlog of work received from October 2020 into the document	•	₽	90.0% 90.0% 70.0% 60.0% 50.0% 60.0% 50.0% 60.0% 50.0% 60.0% 50.0% 60.0% 50.0% 60.0% 50.0% 60.0% 50.0% 60.0% 60.0% 50.0% 60.0% 60.0% 50.0% 60
FCR RB REV 005	Percentage of non-domestic rates collected	94.98%	72.40%	18.07%	34.60%	imaging system so that it can be worked. It is estimated that it will take until Summer 2022 to clear the backlog of work. This will impact collection levels into 2022-23 as we are working approx a year behind.		₽	FCR RB REV 005 Percentage of non-domestic rates collected
NH H IM 005	Rent Arrears as a % of rent debt	4.02 %	8.76 %	9.26 %		The annual debit is approximately £133.3m. As the rent arrears are at £13,741,445, this means that the Rent Arrears as a % of Rent Debit is calculated to be 10.31%. This is a 1.05% increase on the Q1 outturn of 9.26%.		₽	NH H IM 005 Rent Arrears as a % of rent debit

NH H IM 006	Total value of rent arrears YTD (Total)		£11,445, 265	£12,349, 072	£13,741, 445	As at the end of Q2 the rent arrears are £13,741,445 - the arrears have increased by £1,392,373 in the last quarter. For the same period last year - Q2 2020/21 - the quarterly increase in arrears was £727,910. Currently, 5,078 tenants have made a claim for Universal Credit (UC). However, some of these 5,078 may no longer be on UC, as this information is not provided to the Council. Of these 5,078 UC claimants, 3,353 of them are in arrears - totalling £6,367,112. Currently £636,493 per month is being collected directly by Hackney from the DWP - 1,445 of the 5,078 (28.5%) UC claimants have direct payments. The total loss of Housing Benefit (HB) across all accounts since the cyber attack is £2.2m, however, there has been an increase in those moving to UC. Looking at the six months before the cyber attack, the expected drop in HB from those moving to UC since October 2020 is in the region of £250k. Hence, the net amount of HB to be applied is £2.2m - £250k = approximately £2m. However, if this £2m is applied, the decrease in arrears will be much lower than this, as a number of tenants already have credits or will go into credit once HB is applied.			NH H IM 006 Total value of rent arrears YTD (Total)
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On 12 July 2021, PSG granted
permission for the arrears
escalation policy to be fully
reinstated. However, the Service
is collaborating with ICT on the
development of the Manage
Arrears (MAA) system.
An updated Roadmap to Rent
Arrears Recovery was presented
to the Performance Board on 11
October 2021, which included
an immediate action to
undertake a planned door
knocking exercise from mid
October 2021. Other immediate
actions included:
a) Reactivating legal
proceedings where tenants have
not engaged and/or paid their
rent since lockdown/cyber attack.
b) Reapplying for warrants
where the eviction was cancelled in March 2020 due to
lockdown and the tenant has
since not engaged with the Service.
c) Continuing to apply for direct
payments from the DWP, where tenants on UC have arrears of
more than two months.

NH H RespRep 002	% of repairs completed on first visit (based on tenant satisfaction) - DLO and Contractors	72.64%	71.44%	N/A	55.9%	The Housing service resumed reporting on the Repairs PIs in July 2021 following the launch of the full Repairs service on Repairs Hub during June 2021. Since that time, the service has resumed sending surveys to residents following the completion of their repair on Repairs Hub in order to get feedback on their experience of the service. In Q2 619 responses were received to the repairs survey. Of these, 55.9% of residents said that the repair was completed on the first visit. This compares to 66.6% in Q2 of 2019-20. For those who have said the job was not completed the first time, overall satisfaction was very much impacted, with a reduction from 56.4% in those very satisfied to 15.4%.		N/A	NH H RespRep 002 % of repairs completed on first visit (based on tenant satisfaction) - DLO and Contractors
NH H RespRep 003	% of repairs completed on first visit (based on system generated data) - DLO only	88.7%	87.54%	N/A	N/A	No system data is available to demonstrate whether repairs were completed the first time. The follow-on function is being developed as part of the current statement of work for the Repairs Hub team, and is expected to be implemented during Q3.	N/A	N/A	HH HespRep 003 % of repairs completed on first visit (based on system generated data) - DLO only.

NH H Voids 001	Average time taken to re-let local authority housing (all voids including major & minor voids) - calendar days	55	95	113	97	For Q2, the current average void turnaround is 96.9 days, with an average work period of 73 days. At the end of Q1, the average turnaround time was 112 (79.7 work days), meaning that this has improved by 15.1 days. The average work period has also improved by 6.7 days. This improvement in performance is due to an increase in the average amount of properties relet now surpassing the amount of voids entering the process. This in turn is reducing some of the pressures which are currently being experienced by the works team, which has meant almost a week's improvement on average.		NH H Voids 001 Average time taken to re-let local authority housing (all voids including major & minor voids) - calendar days
NH PR PMS 007a	Number of PCNs issued - total	152324	187056	71854	67583	The increase in PCNs issued in Q1 and Q2 2021/22 is due to the ongoing expansion of CCTV enforcement of school streets and Low Traffic Neighbourhoods.	N/A	HH PR PM5 007a Number of PCNs issued - total

									NH PR PMS 010a PCN recovery rate – including estates
NH PR PMS 010a	PCN recovery rate – including estates	73.3%	76.5%	73.1%	76.2%			1	80.0% 70.0% 60.0% 50.0% 40.0% 30.0% 20.0% 10.0%
NH PR PRS 001a	% of Major planning applications determined within 13 weeks (ex NI 157a)	95.00%	92.00%	100.00%	100.00%		>		NH PR PR5 001 a % of Major planning applications determined within 13 weeks (ex N1 157a) 100.00% 157a) 90.00% 90.00% 80.00% 90.00% 70.00% 90.00% 80.00% 90.00% 70.00% 90.00% 80.00% 90.00% 90.00% <t< td=""></t<>
NH PR PRS 001b	% of Minor planning applications determined within 8 weeks (ex NI 157b)	82.00%	90.00%	87.00%	82.00%	The Planning Service was significantly affected by staffing and recruitment issues in Q2, which has affected all London local planning authorities. The shortage of staff has resulted in current officers taking a much higher caseload, which has in some instances resulted in planning applications not being determined within target timeframes. However, when taken as a running total for the year, the Planning Service is still exceeding its statutory performance targets. A number of initiatives are in progress to address recruitment and staff workload issues- including in-			NH PR PR5 001b % of Minor planning applications determined within 8 weeks (ex NI 157b) 100.00% 90.00% 80.00% 70.00% 60.00% 40.00% 90.00% 90.00% 10.0%

NH PR PRS 001c	% of Other planning applications determined within 8 weeks (ex NI 157c)	87.00%	90.00%	90.00%	82.00%	service career opportunity initiatives and a permanent recruitment campaign which will conclude at the end of December 2021.		•	N1 PR PR5 001c % of Other planning applications determined within 8 weeks (ex NI 157c) 100.00% 90.00% 80.00% 70.00% 60.00% 40.00% 10.00
NH PR PRS 009	% of open planning enforcement cases less than 4 years old	62.0%	71.0%	77.0%	79.0%	A programme of Direct Action began in the summer of 2021, which has resulted in an increase in performance against this target. The programme was principally focussed on older cases where the owners of land had, over a long period of time, refused to comply - often despite other enforcement options such as prosecutions having been undertaken first. The campaign has helped improve performance against this KPI target in two main ways: firstly by bringing about compliance directly, so that cases can be closed but also, secondly, by publicly demonstrating the services' commitment to resolving breaches. This has caused other landowners with long standing breaches to start to comply - several have specifically cited the fear of incurring the costs of Direct Action, which due to the specialist contractors that we must use, is out of the landowners' control and also may be higher than if the			HPR PRS 009 % of open planning enforcement cases less than 4 years old

						landowner arranged the works themselves.			
NH PR WS 045a	Improved street and environmental cleanliness (levels of litter, detritus, graffiti and fly posting): Litter (ex NI 195a)	2.66%	N/A	N/A	.28%	A National Indicator 195 survey is the scoring of 300 transects (50 metre stretches of streets/other land types) with grades A to D. The NI195 score is based on the percentage of the transects that achieved a B- score or worse, i.e. unacceptable levels of cleanliness. Hackney has excellent levels of street cleanliness, and the percentage of unacceptable levels of street cleanliness are less than the London benchmark.		N/A	NH PR W5 045a Improved street and environmental cleanliness (levels of litter, detritus, grafiti and fly posting): Litter (ex NI 195a)
NH PR WS 045b	Improved street and environmental cleanliness (levels of litter, detritus, graffiti and fly posting): Detritus (ex NI 195b)	1.64%	N/A	N/A	1.25%	London benchmark 19/20: Litter - 8.9% Detritus - 11.03% Fly posting - 3.99% Graffiti - 4%		N/A	NH PR W5 045b Improved street and environmental cleanliness (levels of litter, detritus, graffit and fly posting): Detritus (ex NI 195b) 9.00% 8.00% 6.00% 6.00% 9

NH PR WS 045c	Improved street and environmental cleanliness (levels of litter, detritus, graffiti and fly posting): Graffiti (ex NI 195c)	3.02%	N/A	N/A	.42%	A National Indicator 195 survey is the scoring of 300 transects (50 metre stretches of streets/other land types) with grades A to D. The NI195 score is based on the percentage of the transects that achieved a B- score or worse, i.e.		N/A	NH PR WS 045c Improved street and environmental cleanliness (levels of litter, detritus, grafiti and fly posting): Grafiti (ex NI 195c) 5.50% 5.00% 4.50% 5.00% 5.
						unacceptable levels of cleanliness. Hackney has excellent levels of street cleanliness, and the			NH PR WS 045d Improved street and environmental cleanings (levels of litter, detritus, explained by the street and environmental cleanings)
NH PR WS 045d	Improved street and environmental cleanliness (levels of litter, detritus, graffiti and fly posting): Fly-posting (ex NI 195d)	0.26%	N/A	N/A	0.00%	percentage of unacceptable levels of street cleanliness are less than the London benchmark. London benchmark 19/20: Litter - 8.9% Detritus - 11.03% Fly posting - 3.99% Graffiti - 4%	>	N/A	2.00% 5.00% 4.00% 5.00% 4.00% 5.00% 4.00% 5.00% 4.00% 5.00% 5.00% 4.00% 5.
NH PR WS 047	Residual household waste per household (ex NI 191)	514.4	548.4	124.6	122.3	Hackney Council moved to fortnightly waste collections for street-level properties in March 2021. This has led to a decrease in residual waste from these properties of over 11%, with some areas seeing nearly 20% less waste being produced.	>		NH PR W5 047 Residual household waste per household (ex NI 191) 150.0 125.0 100.0 75.0 98 98 98 98 98 98 98 100.0 75.0 98 98 98 100.0 25.0 0 <

NH PR WS 048	Percentage of household waste sent for reuse, recycling and composting (ex NI 192)	28.00%	27.44%	30.34%	29.25%	Hackney Council moved to fortnightly waste collections for street-level properties in March 2021. This has led to an increase in dry recycling of 15% and an increase in food waste of 31% from these properties, which will have contributed significantly to this performance shift, achieving Hackney's highest recycling rate. Based on 2020/21 recycling rate outturns, Hackney's current (mid year 2021/22) recycling rate has seen a move up above three London boroughs.		₽	NH PR V 30.00% 25.00% 20.00% 15.00% 10.00% 5.00%	9607.Z	27.43%	27.42%	28.00% 28.00%	27.74% 27.74%	(ex N %1582	%1192 %1082	28.35%	27.72% Dia 10	27.55%	e a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a	30.34%	%52°62	
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