

Agenda Item No: 6

Report to: Museums Committee

Date of Meeting: 13 September 2010

Report Title: Museum Forward Plan

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Purpose of Report

to consider draft Museum Forward Plan and seek comments from Museums Committee

Recommendation(s)

- 1. that Museums Committee recommend the report for acceptance by Cabinet**

Reasons for Recommendations

Introduction

A Forward plan for the Museum Service is a requirement of the Museum Accreditation scheme, which is run by Museums, Libraries and Archives, the body funded by the Department for Culture, Media and Sport. Hastings Museum and Art Gallery and the Old Town Hall Museum have been accredited since 2007.

This document replaces the Forward Plan 2006-9, and considers the achievements of the last three years as well as the proposed Action plan for the next three years.

Wards Affected

Ashdown, Baird, Braybrooke, Castle, Central St. Leonards, Conquest, Gensing, Hollington, Maze Hill, Old Hastings, Ore, Silverhill, St. Helens, Tressell, West St. Leonards, Wishing Tree

Area(s) Affected

Central Hastings, East Hastings, North St. Leonards, South St. Leonards

Policy Implications

Please identify if this report contains any implications for the following:

Equalities and Community Cohesiveness	Yes
Crime and Fear of Crime (Section 17)	Yes
Risk Management	Yes
Environmental Issues	Yes
Economic/Financial Implications	Yes
Human Rights Act	Yes
Organisational Consequences	Yes

Background Information

Draft Museum Forward Plan 2010-13

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