Budget Monitoring Report
Housing Revenue Account Variances
MONTH 7 - SUMMARY

| Service | Revised Budget (£m) | Projected Outturn (£m) | Variance <br> (£m) | Last Month Variance (£m) | Cause of Major Variance | Action Required |
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| Housing Revenue Account |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Income | (36.239) | (36.056) | 0.183 | 0.232 | There is a projected pressure of $£ 0.183 \mathrm{~m}$ on income. Of this pressure, $£ 0.174 \mathrm{~m}$ relates to loss of rental income on void properties and $£ 0.050 \mathrm{~m}$ relates to loss of income on garages which are not tenanted. Additional rental income due to the handover of new properties is projected to be ( $£ 0.054 \mathrm{~m}$ ). The remaining $£ 0.013 \mathrm{~m}$ relates to other minor variances. |  |
| Capital Financing - Loan Charges | 8.380 | 8.380 |  |  |  |  |
| Estate Management | 1.707 | 1.690 | (0.018) | (0.033) | Additional expenditure of $£ 0.051 \mathrm{~m}$ is anticipated during the year in respect of the purchase of software. Salaries efficiency arising from vacancy savings and grant recharges of ( $£ 0.084 \mathrm{~m}$ ). Other minor variances of $£ 0.015 \mathrm{~m}$. |  |
| Landlord Service Costs | 1.429 | 1.387 | (0.043) | (0.023) | Net saving in respect of the gardening and hedge cutting contract and other subcontractor expenditure of ( $£ 0.047 \mathrm{~m}$ ). Other minor variances $£ 0.004 \mathrm{~m}$. |  |
| Repairs \& Maintenance | 8.560 | 8.499 | (0.060) | (0.060) | Saving in respect of DLO salaries of ( $£ 0.060 \mathrm{~m}$ ). | Continue to monitor and review. |
| Management \& Support Services | 2.442 | 2.401 | (0.041) | (0.107) | It is anticipated that savings of $£ 0.041 \mathrm{~m}$ will be achieved in Management and Support costs. There is anticipated additional expediture of $£ 0.081 \mathrm{~m}$ in respect of insurance excesses which will be mitigated by salary savings of ( $£ 0.055 \mathrm{~m}$ ), a reduction in IT expenditure of ( $£ 0.042 \mathrm{~m}$ ) and other minor variances of (£0.025m). |  |
| Capital Expenditure From Revenue (CERA) | 13.717 | 13.717 |  |  |  |  |
| HRA Projects | (0.155) | (0.154) | 0.001 | 0.001 | Minor variances. |  |
| Contribution To / (From) Reserves | 0.158 | 0.136 | (0.022) | (0.010) | Reduction in contribution to reserves of $£ 0.010 \mathrm{~m}$ to offset additional expenditure across the HRA. |  |
| Total Housing Revenue Account | (0.000) | (0.000) | (0.000) | (0.000) |  |  |

