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Report of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee

SCRUTINY REVIEW - D.H. LAWRENCE MUSEUM

1. Purpose of Report

To present the findings of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee Working Group's review into the D.H. Lawrence Museum. This is in accordance with the Council's corporate values of innovation and readiness for change, valuing employees and enabling the active involvement of everyone, continuous improvement and delivering value for money, and integrity and professional competency.

2. Recommendation

Cabinet is asked to CONSIDER the report and RESOLVE accordingly.

3. Detail

The Overview and Scrutiny Committee Working Group reviewed this topic with the purpose of the following outcomes:

- To understand the role of heritage for Broxtowe Borough Council
- To review the marketing of the venue and potential improvements

The report is circulated with this agenda, which includes recommendations.

4. Financial Implications

The comments from the Head of Finance Services were as follows:

There are no additional financial implications to consider at this stage with any activity being contained within existing budgets. A number of recommendations proposed may have cost implications, such as the consideration of the feasibility of Sunday opening hours. Any significant budget implications going forward, over and above delegated virement limits, would require approval by Cabinet. The identification of external funding opportunities to support appropriate projects within the D.H. Lawrence Museum would be welcomed.

5. Legal Implications

The comments from the Monitoring Officer / Head of Legal Services were as follows:

There are no direct legal implication arising from this report.

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6. <u>Human Resources Implications</u>

The comments from the Human Resources Manager were as follows:

No comments

7. Union Comments

The Union comments were as follows:

No comments

8. Climate Change Implications

The comments were as follows:

No Comments

9. <u>Data Protection Compliance Implications</u>

This report does not contain any [OFFICIAL (SENSITIVE)] information and there are no Data Protection issues in relation to this report.

10. Equality Impact Assessment

Not applicable

11. Background Papers

Nil