CHESHIRE EAST COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Environment and Prosperity Scrutiny Committee

Date of Meeting:	4 September 2012
Report of:	Borough Solicitor
Subject/Title:	Cheshire East Car Park Management Review

1.0 Report Summary

1.1 This report encloses the final report of the Task and Finish Group which conducted a scrutiny review of Cheshire East Car Park Management.

2.0 Recommendations

- a) That the report of the Scrutiny Task and Finish Group be approved;
- b) That the recommendations of the Group be endorsed, and referred to the Cabinet for consideration and necessary action, and that Cabinet be invited initially to comment on the details of the recommendations.

3.0 Reasons for Recommendations

3.1 To progress the findings of the Scrutiny Review Task and Finish Group who reviewed the management of Cheshire East car parks.

4.0 Wards Affected

4.1 All

5.0 Local Ward Members

5.1 Not applicable.

6.0 Policy Implications including - Carbon reduction - Health

6.1 Not known at this stage.

7.0 Financial Implications

7.1 Not known at this stage.

8.0 Legal Implications

8.1 Not known at this stage.

9.0 Risk Management

9.1 There are no identifiable risks.

10.0 Background and Options

- 10.1 At its meeting on 24 February 2012 the Environment and Prosperity Scrutiny Committee commissioned a Task and Finish Group to review car park management on Cheshire East car parks.
- 10.2 The aim of the review was to ensure that Cheshire East Council's car parks were being managed in a way that assists the vitality and viability of town centres and villages.
- 10.3 The review consisted of a Member car parking survey which was distributed to all Members of Cheshire East Council as well as a review of the Car Parking Strategy, relevant legislation and guidance and consideration of information from other authorities.
- 10.4 The findings and recommendations of the Task and Finish Group are contained within the final report.

11.0 Access to Information

11.1 The background papers relating to this report can be inspected by contacting the report writer:

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