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Report Title	Treasury Management Outturn Report – 2022-23
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Key Decision	☐ Yes	⊠ No
Is the decision eligible for call-in by Scrutiny?	☐ Yes	⊠ No
Are there public sector equality duty implications?	☐ Yes	⊠ No
Does the report contain confidential or exempt information (whether in appendices or not)?	☐ Yes	⊠ No
Applicable paragraph number for exemption from publication under Schedule 12A Local Government Act 1974		

List of Appendices

Appendix A – Treasury Management Outturn Report 2022/23

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1 This report updates the Council's treasury management and prudential indicators which includes the position following progress on the disaggregation of the assets and liabilities that were previously held by the former Northamptonshire County Council.
- 1.2 This report also updates the Committee on the Council's treasury management activities and performance for the financial year ended 31st March 2022 in accordance with the CIPFA's Code of Practice on Treasury Management.

2. Executive Summary

2.1 This report requires the Committee to note the outcome of the Council's treasury management activities and performance for the financial year ended 31st March 2023, as set out in **Appendix A**.

3. Recommendations

- 3.1 It is recommended that the Executive:
 - a) Note the treasury management outturn report detailing the activity undertaken during the financial year ended 31st March 2023 and the performance achieved set out in **Appendix A** to this report; and
 - b) Note the Council's treasury management activities and performance for the financial year ended 31st March 2023.
- 3.2 Reasons for Recommendations: The Council's TMSS is underpinned by the CIPFA Code of Practice on Treasury Management ("the Code") which requires that members are informed of treasury management activities at least twice a year. Full Council has delegated the formulation and monitoring of the Council's treasury management strategy, policy, and activity to the Executive Committee.
- 3.3 Alternative Options Considered: There are no alternative options to be considered for this report, which is for noting only.

4. Report Background

- 4.1 The Council operates a balanced budget, which broadly means cash raised during the year will meet its cash expenditure. Part of the treasury management operations ensure this cash flow is adequately planned, with surplus monies being invested in low-risk counterparties, providing adequate liquidity initially before considering optimising investment return.
- 4.2 The second main function of the treasury management service is the funding of the Council's capital plans. These capital plans provide a guide to the borrowing need of the Council, essentially the longer-term cash flow planning to ensure the Council can meet its capital spending operations. This management of longer-term cash may involve arranging long or short-term loans, or using longer term cash flow surpluses, and on occasion any debt previously drawn may be restructured to meet Council risk or cost objectives.
- 4.3 Accordingly, treasury management is defined as: "The management of the local authority's borrowing, investments and cash flows, its banking, money market and capital market transactions; the effective control of the risks associated with those activities; and the pursuit of optimum performance consistent with those risks."
- 4.4 In line with the Code and the requirement of the Council's Treasury Management Strategy, this report provides an update on the borrowing, investments and cash flows, money market and capital market activities for the financial year ended 31st March 2023.

5. Issues and Choices

5.1 In line with its delegated authority, the Executive is asked to note the treasury management activities and performance for the financial year ended 31st March 2023.

6 Next Steps

6.1 None, the Executive is asked to note the report.

7 Implications (including financial implications)

7.1 Resources, Financial and Transformation

7.1.1 The financial implications are set out in the detail of the report.

7.2 Legal and Governance

6.2.1 None specific to this report

6.3 Relevant Policies and Plans

6.3.1 Treasury Management Strategy Statement, Annual Investment Strategy 2022/23.

6.4 **Risk**

6.4.1 There are no significant risks arising from the recommendations in this report.

6.5 Consultation

6.5.1 No consultations required for this report.

7.3 Consideration by Executive Advisory Panel

7.6.1 Not applicable.

7.4 Consideration by Scrutiny

6.5.2 Not applicable.

7.5 Equality Implications

7.8.1 None specific to this report.

7.9 Climate and Environment Impact

6.5.1 None specific to this report.

6.6 **Community Impact**

6.6.1 None specific to this report.

6.7 **Crime and Disorder Impact**

6.7.1 None specific to this report.

8. Background Documents

8.1 The following background papers can be considered in relation to this report:

Treasury Managements Strategy Statement, Minimum Revenue Provision Statement and Annual Investment Strategy 2022/23, North Northamptonshire Council, 24th February 2022 - TMSS, MRP, IS 2022/23 - Appendix H