MAIDSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISION OF THE CABINET

Decision Made: 09 September 2009

ANNUAL REPORT 2008 -09

Issue for Decision

To consider the Annual Report to be published for 2008-9.

Decision Made

That the Annual Report 2008-09 be agreed and published, subject to the following amendments:-

- a) Front Page expand the explanation regarding partnership working.
- b) Sustainable Communities include a specific number of people who have signed up for e-billing
- c) Quality Living remove the 2nd "the" from the first line

Reasons for Decision

To publish information to the public on our performance and achievements over the last municipal year.

The Annual Report will be designed, placed on our website, published within Borough Update in the Downsmail and distributed to stakeholders.

A copy of the Annual Report can be found Appendix A of the Report of the Head of Communications and the financial statement at Appendix B of the Report of the Head of Communications.

The Cabinet raised a few minor queries with regard to the Annual Report and these will be addressed prior to publication.

Alternatives considered and why rejected

It is important that we provide the public with information about how well we perform, not to do so would go against our wish to inform and engage the public.

Background Papers

None.

Should you be concerned about this decision and wish to call it in, please submit a call in form signed by any two Non-Executive Members to the Overview & Scrutiny and Policy Manager by: **17 September 2009**