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**Report to:** STAR Joint Committee  
**Date:** 19<sup>th</sup> June 2019  
**Report for:** Discussion  
**Report from:** Director of STAR Procurement

**Report Title**

**Social Value Charter**

**Summary**

The purpose of this report is to:

- Consider the attached Social Value Charter (Appendix 1- Trafford example)
- Promote discussion on the content of the Social Value Charter
- For all STAR partners to consider adopting a bespoke version for their organisation

**Recommendations**

The recommendation of this report is that Joint Committee:

- Recommend adoption of the Charter within their own organisations

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## **1. Social Value Charter**

- 1.1 Social Value is high on the agenda across Greater Manchester.
- 1.2 The Social Value Charter captures not just external spend through procurement but also the wider Social Value opportunities Councils can influence and the benefits this can bring to the communities they serve.
- 1.3 Adopting the Social Value Charter and committing to the principles and promises within it will show the Council recognise their wider Social Value responsibilities.
- 1.4 STAR will develop a bespoke version for each Council within STAR.

## **2. Recommendations**

- 2.1 It is recommended that Joint Committee:
  - Recommend adoption of the Charter within their own organisations

### **Report Appendices**

1. Draft Social Value Charter