## Budget Monitoring 2012/13 (Month 6)

Service	Revised Budget	Projected Outturn	Variance	Variance Last Month	Cause of Variance	Action Required
	(£m)	(£m)	(£m)	(£m)		
Chief Executive	2.270	2.264	(0.006)		<ul> <li>(£0.019m) vacancy savings.</li> <li>£0.014m pressure relating to a voluntary sector contribution towards Dangerpoint.</li> <li>(£0.001m) other minor variances.</li> </ul>	
Finance	4.377	4.718	0.341		<ul> <li>£0.028m pressure relating to the Royal Mail price increases of 39% in April 2012.</li> <li>£0.307m pressure relating to workforce costs in Revenues &amp; Benefits because of additional work in preparation for Welfare Reform and the new Council Tax Support Scheme.</li> <li>£0.065m pressure relating to a benefits system software upgrade.</li> <li>£0.042m pressure relating to additional audit days.</li> <li>(£0.084m) vacancy savings relating to the Corporate Finance Review.</li> <li>(£0.018m) other minor variances.</li> </ul>	Finance to investigate alternatives to Royal Mail. The additional workforce costs relating to welfare reform are one-off and will be reduced where possible.

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Legal & Democratic Services	3.397	3.329	(0.068)	0.012	<ul> <li>£0.010m pressure translation of Constitution.</li> <li>(£0.034m) other minor variances.</li> <li>(£0.119m) Members Special Responsibility Allowances.</li> <li>£0.015m Civic facilities.</li> <li>£0.060m Salary changes.</li> </ul>	
Human Resources & Organisational Development	2.169	2.224	0.055	0.059	<ul> <li>£0.051m pressure CRB checks.</li> <li>£0.019m pressure Corporate Training.</li> <li>£0.032m loss of income from external organisations.</li> <li>(£0.045m) Vacancy Savings.</li> <li>(£0.002m) other minor variances.</li> </ul>	A budget pressure for CRB checks has been submitted as part of the 2013/14 budget process.
ICT & Customer Services	5.234	5.231	(0.003)	(0.009)	<ul> <li>£0.006m pressure relating to the final Design &amp; Print costs.</li> <li>(£0.030m) vacancy savings relating to ongoing service reviews.</li> <li>£0.041m pressure relating to internal admin support recharges.</li> <li>(£0.014m) efficiency in relation to additional registars income.</li> </ul>	
Total :	17.447	17.766	0.319	0.397		