# **Project Briefing**

Project identifier				
[1a] Unique Project	TBA	[1b] Departmental		
Identifier		Reference Number		
[2] Core Project Name	Installation of Sprinklers in Social Housing Tower Blocks			
[3] Programme Affiliation (if applicable)	N/A			

Ownership			
[4] Chief Officer has signed	Andrew Carter		
off on this document			
[5] Senior Responsible	Paul Murtagh		
Officer			
[6] Project Manager	Paul Murtagh		

### **Description and purpose**

#### [7] Project Mission statement / Elevator pitch

To provide for the installation of automatic water fire suppression systems (sprinklers) in the City Corporation's five social housing high-rise tower blocks.

## [8] Definition of Need: What is the problem we are trying to solve or opportunity we are trying to realise (i.e. the reasons why we should make a change)?

The retro-fitting of sprinkler systems in our social housing high-rise tower blocks will go some way to addressing issues relating to fire safety and compartmentation in the tower blocks and, will provide a significant additional level of protection for residents in the event of a fire.

#### [9] What is the link to the City of London Corporate plan outcomes?

- [1] People are safe and feel safe.
- [2] People enjoy good health and wellbeing.
- [4] Communities are cohesive and have suitable housing and facilities.

#### [10] What is the link to the departmental business plan objectives?

This proposal relates to the Department of Community and Children's Services' Business Plan (2017-22), which lists a priority objective as health and wellbeing, specifically that "people of all ages enjoy good health and wellbeing".

[11] Note all which apply:

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Officer:	N	Member:	Υ	Corporate:	N
Project developed from		Project developed from		Project developed as a	
Officer initiation		Member initiation		large scale Corporate	
				initiative	
Mandatory:	N	Sustainability:	N	Improvement:	Υ
Compliance with		Essential for business		New opportunity/ idea	
legislation, policy and		continuity		that leads to	
audit		_		improvement	

#### **Project Benchmarking:**

## [12] What are the top 3 measures of success which will indicate that the project has achieved its aims?

1) The installation of modern, effective sprinkler systems that comply with British Standard 9251-2014.

- Safer homes, increased levels of resident confidence and satisfaction.
- 3) Enhanced protection for residents and building fabric in the event of fire.

[13] Will this project have any measurable legacy benefits/outcome that we will need to track after the end of the 'delivery' phase? If so, what are they and how will you track them? (E.g. cost savings, quality etc.)

## [14] What is the expected delivery cost of this project (range values)[£]?

Lower Range estimate: £3,200,000 Upper Range estimate: £3,200,000

## [15] Total anticipated on-going revenue commitment post-delivery (lifecycle costs)[£]:

Total £75,000 per annum maintenance costs for all 5 blocks.

#### [16] What are the expected sources of funding for this project?

HRA funding for maintenance and servicing works.

#### [17] What is the expected delivery timeframe for this project (range values)? Are there any deadlines which must be met (e.g. statutory obligations)?

Lower Range estimate: February 2019 – December 2019

Upper Range estimate: May 2019 - March 2020.

#### **Project Impact:**

## [18] Will this project generate public or media impact and response which the City of London will need to manage? Will this be a high-profile activity with public and media momentum?

Given the continued profile of the Grenfell Tower tragedy, this project will likely generate public and media interest.

### [19] Who has been actively consulted to develop this project to this stage?

<(Add additional internal or external stakeholders where required) >

Chamberlains:	Officer Name:	Mark Jarvis, Dianne Merrifield
Finance		
Chamberlains:	Officer Name:	Adrian Moody
Procurement		
IT	Officer Name:	N/A
HR	Officer Name:	N/A
Communications	Officer Name:	Chandni Tanna
Corporate Property	Officer Name:	N/A
External	N/A	

#### [20] Is this project being delivered internally on behalf of another department? If not ignore this question. If so:

Please note the Client supplier departments.

Who will be the Officer responsible for the designing of the project?

If the supplier department will take over the day-to-day responsibility for the project,

when will this occur in its design and delivery?

Client	Department:
Supplier	Department:
Supplier	Department:
Project Design Manager	Department:
Design/Delivery handover	Gateway stage:
to Supplier	<before project="" proposal="">, <post project="" proposal="">, <post options<="" td=""></post></post></before>
	Appraisal>, <post design="" detailed="">, <post authority="" start="" to="" work=""></post></post>