SUR Departmental risks - detailed report EXCLUDING COMPLETED ACTIONS for COMMITTEE

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Risk no, title, creation date, owner	Risk Description (Cause, Event, Impact)	Current Risk Rating	& Score	Risk Update and date of update	Target Risk Rating & Score	Target Date/Risk Approach	Current Risk score change indicator
SUR SMT 003 A fall in property performance	Cause: Changed occupation patterns as businesses move towards a hybrid model Event: Lower demand for office space in the City and surrounding areas, with a knock-on impact on the viability of businesses in the food and beverage sector. Impact: Income levels are not achieved, arrears levels are not significantly reduced post-pandemic.	Likelihood	12	This risk captures issues arising as the UK emerges from the Covid-19 pandemic. Risks relating to the current Coronavirus situation (CVD19 SG PROP 01) are covered in a separate appendix. The department is keenly observing footfall data where this is available, and this is trending positive. With a wider opening of offices in September (and a knock-on impact on other asset types) we should get a greater insight into trends at this time 27 Aug 2021	Impact	31-Mar- 2021	Constant

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SUR SMT 003a	The strategy is to maintain a diverse portfolio that reduces the impact of this risk. This includes: 1. Use (office, retail, industrial) 2. Location (City, Southwark, West End etc.) 3. Tenancies (Long term Headlease geared, FRI, directly managed) 4. Covenants (multinationals, SME) 5. Asset management (lease renewals, voids, arrears, etc) 6. Monitoring retail habits in change of building use			31-Mar- 2022

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SUR SMT 001 Climate Acton Strategy - Deliver programme of works across operational and investment portfolios	Cause: Insufficient resources and prioritisation allocated to Climate Action. Event: The City Surveyor's Department fails to deliver programme of works on time, to budget, or with the required contribution to assist the delivery of the City Corporation's Climate Action Strategy. Impact: Failing to adequately invest in net zero initiatives leading to negative impact on our financial and property investments.	Impact	8	The Department has four workstreams, detailed below, which detail the actions to be undertaken to mitigate this risk. Currently the department is at the mobilisation stage. The core issue currently facing the scheme is recruitment of appropriate skills and competencies. The team is working to resolve this item. Whilst this has caused delays, the team is confident that this should be recovered over 2022/23. If recruitment proceeds the long-term delivery of the programme should not be impacted. Materials and technology availability is being tracked. Aligned to other departmental risks there are input price inflation and availability issues in the supply chain that is being considered. This industry-wide issue is being monitored and more information will be available through the delivery of our pilot projects. Further risks may be highlighted as the programme evolves. The delivery of mitigations under this risk support the Corporate Risk CR30 27 Aug 2021	Impact	4 31-Mar-2027	Constant
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SUR SMT 001a	Investment property	Investment Property Consultant has recently been appointed for the first phases. We are anticipating work commencement in September.	Peter Collinson; James Rooke	27-Aug- 2021	31-Mar- 2027
SUR SMT 001b	Corporate Property	Mobilisation in progress facilitated by the delivery of the recruitment action	Peter Collinson; James Rooke	27-Aug- 2021	31-Mar- 2027
SUR SMT 001c	Capital Projects	Mobilisation in progress facilitated by the delivery of the recruitment action.	Peter Collinson; James Rooke	27-Aug- 2021	31-Mar- 2027
SUR SMT 001d	Resilience	Mobilisation in progress facilitated by the delivery of the recruitment action.	Peter Collinson; James Rooke	27-Aug- 2021	31-Mar- 2027
SUR SMT 001f	Monitoring and awareness	Review of targets annually to reflect changing industry standards. This is related to the 'carbon factor' of the electricity grid, and how rapidly this de-carbonises. This may change the programme or prioritisation of works.		27-Aug- 2021	31-Mar- 2027
SUR SMT 001g	Recruitment	There is a requirement to have a team of nine for climate action, but recruitment has been delayed by governance issues. The team has gone out to tender for a services contract which we are aiming to have in place by end of 2021.	Peter Collinson; James Rooke	27-Aug- 2021	31-Mar- 2027

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SUR SMT 014 Backlog maintenance 04-Nov-2019 Peter Collinson	Cause: insufficient funds to manage the repair demands at operational properties (Budget available does not match the annual Cyclical Works Programme Bid List of requirements) Event: Maintenance demands for operational properties exceeds available funding. Impact: Reactive repairs budget used to meet maintenance demands, loss of income from events spaces, reputational impacts, long-term properties may cease to meet operational requirements (Reduced rental income, reduced capital value, increased breakdown of M&E services, reduced customer satisfaction, poor building use and efficiency)	Likelihood	8	The Cyclical Works Programme (CWP) bid for 22/23 is valued at £29.8m, these works are essential to keep the operational properties in a good standard. The current level of backlog maintenance is £34.5m if all of the 22/23 bid list is funded. Anything unfunded from the 22/23 list will result in an increase in the backlog of maintenance. 27 Aug 2021	Impact	4	31-Mar- 2022	Constant

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SUR SMT 014g	·	The new CAFM system has been procured and is now in the mobilisation stage with a go live date of the 1st November 2021 anticipated. There is a dedicated resource leading this project in the Property Contracts Performance Team so it is fully expected the project will be delivered on time.		27-Aug- 2021	31-Oct- 2021
SUR SMT 014h		maintenance requirements and spend (forward maintenance). These department occupiers allocate funds for the maintenance of the built assets. Whilst the City Surveyor's Department recommends work to be undertaken, it is the occupying department who holds the budget responsibility and thus decides with final control over activity.		27-Aug- 2021	31-Oct- 2021
		This follows the completion of the Internal Audit in this area.			
SUR SMT 014i	Special Structures 'includes both building and non-building	An inventory of special structures is being developed, following which time surveys will be	Peter	27-Aug-	31-Mar-

		Collinson; Peter	2021	2022
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SUR SMT 002 Insufficient budget to meet user and asset demand at Guildhall	Cause: Insufficient funding available for Major Works, Cyclical Works and Reactive Maintenance to manage the repair demands on the Guildhall Complex. Event: Insufficient asset funding. Impact: The standard of the Guildhall Complex will deteriorate, resulting in; poorer working environments leading to increased dissatisfaction and lower employee productivity and potential increase in breakdowns and reactive costs as the basic infrastructure of the Complex becomes beyond economic repair.	Likelihood	6	The principal mitigation actions are related to forecasting and monitoring the allocation of financial and human resources The department reviewed the prioritisation of major projects in light of covid-19 and the financial circumstances. This also considered the Guildhall Masterplan and how this may impact projects. This review has been approved by CAsC. 30 Aug 2021		4	31-Mar- 2022	Decreasin
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	Fundamental Review of the Guildhall Complex – Guildhall Masterplan	1	Paul Wilkinson; Peter Young	U	31-Mar- 2022
SUR SMT 002f	Cross departmental working	Department. This activity has been agreed by CASC and a more detailed report, noting the key	Remembra ncer; Peter Collinson		31-Mar- 2022
SUR SMT 002g	Maintenance Management	8 1		30-Aug- 2021	31-Mar- 2022

SUR SMT 002j		budget allocations for 2021-22 and ongoing Covid 19 conditions. This will identify areas	Peter Collinson; Peter Young	30-Aug- 2021	31-Mar- 2022
SUR SMT 002k	projects	Further bids for Guildhall major projects approved by CASC Aug 2021 and will be submitted for funding in 2022/23. CWP bid for minor projects to be approved by CASC on 30 September and then submitted to RASC		30-Aug- 2021	31-Mar- 2022