Top red departmental risk register

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Failure to deliver expansion of	Event Building project not completed Effect Lack of first choice school places for City children	Ade Adetosoye	<u> </u>	Attempts to achieve the target are ongoing.	Impact 2	18-Aug-2015	

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DCCS PE 002a Tripartite meetings	Tripartite meetings take place between the Sir John Cass Foundation, Sir John Cass Foundation School Board of Governors and the City of London have taken place but no further meetings have been scheduled.	Chris Pelham	30-Sep-2015	Tripartite meetings have been held to discuss options for delivering additional school places. These meetings have been suspended due to the nonattendance by representatives of the Sir John Cass Foundation.
DCCS PE 002b Discussions with Comptroller and City Solicitor	The Sir John Cass Foundation	Chris Pelham	30-Sep-2015	The options for expansion and the issues regarding the Sir John Cass Foundation have been referred to the Comptroller and City Solicitor

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Successful	Cause - Oracle OPN is replacing the Manhattan commercial property management and rent system Event - Implementation of new system Effect - If the application does not function as planned and/or the data migrated from Manhattan is of poor quality there is a risk that commercial income will not be invoiced on the due dates.	Martin Howe	Impact	Excellent progress has been made in processing and clearing the backlog of work (from mid-February). Data cleansing activities continue and other adjustments are being made as issues arise. All efforts have been made to ensure that accounts are accurate and billed in	Impact 4	01-Oct-2015	*

		accordance with the terms of leases/licences etc. Work is now progressing in documenting OPN processes to build a knowledge base for the		
		system.		

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C&CS SMT 004a Migrated data needs significant cleansing	Migrated data was poor in quality and impacted on accurate billing and reporting	Martin Howe	01-Oct-2015	Data continues to be cleansed and updated
C&CS SMT 004b Adjust migrated accounts to ensure accurate billing	Certain billing information requires changing to ensure that accounts are billed in accordance with the legal agreements	Martin Howe	01-Oct-2015	Billing adjustments are continuing as issues arise
C&CS SMT 004c Document procedures to generate knowledge base	Very little documentation exists as user manuals. New documentation needs to be produced to act as a definitive user guide and single reference point	Martin Howe	01-Nov-2015	Drafting of process documentation is progressing

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Failure to Secure Lease Renewal of	Cause: Sundial Court, (the School's student accommodation), is owned by a private landlord, who currently leases the building to the School. Lease expires in 2020. Event: Landlord may not want to renew the lease to the School as there may be better development potential elsewhere. Alternative specialist music student accommodation might not be found. Impact: Loss of on-campus student accommodation for 177 students. Loss of student services and offices. Loss of student union facility and rehearsal room. Risk of reduced interest in students choosing GSMD if there is no onsite accommodation available.	Michael Dick	Impact	Legal opinion on lease renewal terms obtained. Alignment of repairs and maintenance regime with lease terms. Contact and dialogue with landlord's agent on issues relating to lease renewal. Engagement with City Surveyors on action plan. Student accommodation strategy in development.	Impact 12	05-Apr-2016	*

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	Commissioning of specialist dilapidations survey	Michael Dick	05-Apr-2016	Specialist dilapidations surveyor engaged
Dilapidations Survey				

	Search for availability of alternative student accommodation	Michael Dick	05-Apr-2016	Meeting with Unite/specialist student accommodation provider
Accommodati				
on				
Alternative				
	Engagement with City Surveyor on action plan	Michael Dick	05-Apr-2016	In progress
	accommodation strategy	Michael Dick	05-Apr-2016	Draft accommodation strategy in development

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Ability to Deliver a	Cause: Substantial drop in income. Pressures on expenditure. Service Based Review funding cuts of £1m in 17/18. Local risk funding to the School is planned to reduce from over £8m in 2013/14 to £5.3m in 2017/18. Failure to gain additional funding from HEFCE. Event: If no action is taken, the School's annual deficit will rise to £3.2m by 2017/18. Impact: This is not a sustainable position and the Higher Education Funding Council for England	Barry Ife	Impact	Risk 5.2 on Departmental Risk Register The School and the CoL are in direct discussions with HEFCE. Up to date communication and reporting to the Board, CoL and HEFCE. Ongoing discussion and negotiation to effect funding model. Continual review and management of the School's business model. On current funding levels, the School's longterm	Impact 12	31-Jan-2016	*

(HEFCE) have been made aware.	financial model is
	unsustainable. This has
	been materially exacerbated
	by the City's Service Based
	Review (SBR) target,
	reducing City funding to the
	School by £1m in 2017/18.
	Over the last year the
	School has engaged with
	both HEFCE and the City to
	determine a strategy that
	will re-balance the model.
	Although a number of
	options have been
	discussed, these
	discussions with the
	School's primary funders
	are crucial in determining
	future strategy. Discussions
	have been initiated with
	HEFCE concerning the
	possibility of increased
	public funding as part of its
	review of institution-
	specific targeted allocations
	(RISTA) scheduled for
	2015/16. in the interim the
	School is working to ensure
	that the quality of its
	teaching and the strength
	of its brand holds within the
	current volatile

		environment. The School has put together a plan of action for investing in its capabilities to ensure that it retains its leading position		
		in a competitive		
		environment.		

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GSMD FN 001A Securing School Funding	Tuition fee income is planned to grow from £7.5m in 2013/14 to £9.4m in 2017/18. Grants and contracts are also planned to grow, but the School has approached HEFCE for an additional grant to bridge the funding gap caused by the planned reduction in City funding to the School. All other forms of operating income (short courses and summer schools, enterprise and space hire) will also be maximised and costs reduced to an absolute minimum.		31-Jan-2016	Ongoing, detailed update to follow
	Grow income from tuition fees Seek additional public funding to cover reduced City funding, specifically from HEFCE following their review of institution-specific allocations (2015)			

001B Identify potential savings	Reduce cost to bare minimum compatible with delivering the curriculum to the required specification and maintaining a competitive level of student experience Consider reductions in the range of high-cost theatre-based disciplines (acting, technical theatre, opera and musical theatre)		31-Mar-2016	Ongoing, detailed update to follow
	Explore options for merger with a larger, better-funded institution in London, the UK or overseas	Barry Ife	31-Mar-2016	Ongoing, detailed update to follow

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MCP-EH 001 Air Quality	Cause: Poor air quality in the city caused predominantly by traffic pollution. (Air Quality Limit values are legally binding EU parameters that must not be exceeded. Limit values are set for individual pollutants and are made up of a concentration value, an averaging time over which it is to be measured.) Event: Failure to meet Air Quality	Jon Averns	Impact	The current systems in place allow the City to demonstrate that it is taking sufficient effective action to help the government and the GLA to meet air quality Limit Values	Impact 12	01-Jan-2018	*

limit values in the City by the			
prescribed dates set by the EU.			
Effect: A fine of unknown amount			
and the associated reputational			
damage to the City of London.			
Poor air quality is also a significant			
public health issue for the City of			
London as a small number of the			
population are more vulnerable to			
the effects of air pollution where			
exposure to pollution can			
exacerbate existing health			
conditions including cardiovascular			
and respiratory disease. This can			
lead to restricted activity, hospital			
admissions and even premature			
mortality.			

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	Implement the actions set out in the City Air Quality Strategy 2015 – 2020.	Steve Blake	31-Dec-2019	This is currently being progressed.
001b Ensure Compliance	Ensure the City Corporation complies with the legal obligation to review and assess air quality as detailed in the Environment Act 1995.	Steve Blake	30-Apr-2015	R. Calderwood reports: Annual reports are submitted for approval to Defra / GLA in April each year.

Review the	as an Air Quality Management Area (AQMA) due to ongoing levels of pollution.	Steve Blake	31-Dec-2015	R. Calderwood reports: The City was declared an AQMA in 2001. The designation is reviewed every 3 years in line with statutory obligations.
001d Become a Cleaner Air	Work with the Mayor of London to ensure actions taken to improve air quality are in line with GLA / TfL plans	Steve Blake	31-Dec-2015	R. Calderwood reports: This is progressing – the GLA hasn't made any decisions on awarding Cleaner Air Borough Status to any London authority yet. we have submitted sufficient information to demonstrate compliance with their requirements.

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MCP-NS 001 Workplace Traffic Management	Cause: Over 200 forklift trucks operate on the New Spitalfields Market site. Event: There is a serious risk of injury or death of a pedestrian if vehicle movements in this constrained space are not appropriately managed and controlled. Effect: An accident involving a pedestrian and a vehicle which resulted in a serious injury or fatality could result in prosecution, a fine, reputational damage for the City and have an adverse impact on the operation and sustainability of	Sidney Brewer	Impact	A traffic management plan is currently in place. The market constabulary monitor fork lift operator behaviours and withdraw permits when required. They also issue penalty points and an accumulation of points will lead to a suspension or cancellation of the permit to operate on the common parts.	Impact	02-Jan-2017	*

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MCP-NS 001a Develop plan	Formulate, develop and agree a short, medium and long term plan to improve the management of workplace transport at New Spitalfields Market.	Nigel Shepherd	30-Apr-2015	This action has been completed.
MCP-NS 001b Mark Forklift Crossing Points	Marked Fork lift truck crossing points on pedestrian walkway from stands to roadways.	Sidney Brewer	30-Sep-2015	N. Shepherd reports: Roadways 1 and 2 written to as of 15/5/2015 to finalise location/number/size.
MCP-NS 001c Increase Constabulary Targets	Increase in targets for constabulary.	Nigel Shepherd	01-May-2015	This action has been completed.
MCP-NS 001d Nominate Training Body	To nominate/Appoint one approved induction/training body for all FLT training activities.	Sidney Brewer	30-Oct-2015	This is currently with the Central Health & Safety Team and is taking longer to progress than first thought. This is mainly due to the fact that this isn't a service being procured directly for the City of London.
MCP-NS 001e Ensure Permits are carried	Fork lift truck operators to have their permits to operate readily available at all times.	Nigel Shepherd	01-Jun-2015	N. Shepherd reports that: Implemented and now part of routine operational enforcement activity
MCP-NS 001f All Visitors in Hi Vis	All staff and customers to wear hi- vis vests.	Nigel Shepherd	01-May-2015	N. Shepherd reports that: Implemented and now part of routine operations. Comment – still selling high number of Hi–Vis to visitors routinely in a high profile campaign

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MCP-NS 001g Increase Forklift Sanctions	Increase specified breaches of non- compliance with H&S policies	Nigel Shepherd	01-Jun-2015	This action has been completed.
MCP-NS 001h Impose Financial Penalties	Impose financial penalty on tenants when FLT operators are suspended/allocated points	Sidney Brewer	01-Sep-2015	N. Shepherd reports that: Agreement is reached on the principle, but this will need to be included in the lease to enable the market to act upon. Needs new lease in place with a working manual clause and the work manual itself agreed and signed off.
MCP-NS 001i Train Managers In Forklift Safety	A member of staff from all tenants to be nominated and trained in FLT safety procedures.	Sidney Brewer	01-Sep-2015	N. Shepherd stated that: Agreement is reached on the principle, but this needs to be in the lease to be meaningful. C&CS have said this should be possible to achieve under renewal process
MCP-NS 001j Create Time Segregation	Artic Time Segregation and No Tolerance in market hall.	Sidney Brewer	01-Feb-2016	This is part of the longer term plan which will be implemented in 2016.
MCP-NS 001k Install Barrier System	Controlled barriers entry system for pedestrians and vehicles.	Sidney Brewer	01-Oct-2018	This is part of the long term plan to be implemented in 2018.
MCP-NS 0011 Segregate Walkways	Create segregated walkways in crossroads.	Sidney Brewer	01-Feb-2016	N. Shepherd has stated that: Consultant engaged for study into all areas as preamble to long term actions.
MCP-NS 001 m Segregate Main Walkways	Segregated walkways outside tenants stands.	Sidney Brewer	01-Mar-2016	N. Shepherd has stated that: Consultant engaged for study into all areas as preamble to long term actions.

MCP-NS	No fork lift truck movements in	Sidney Brewer	02-Oct-2017	N. Shepherd has stated that: Consultant engaged for study into all areas as preamble
001n Prohibit	market pavilion during trading			to long term actions.
Forklifts	hours.			

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MCP-SM 001 HGV Unloading Operations	Cause: A lack of suitable and sufficient training and adequate management controls in relation to Heavy Goods Vehicle banksman activities undertaken by staff employed by Smithfield Market tenants. Event: Serious or fatal injury to members of the public, market staff and other service users caused by uncontrolled or unguided reversing vehicles. Effect: Realisation of this risk could result in a prosecution, fine and reputational damage for the City.	Robert Wilson	Impact	The market constabulary are currently monitoring these areas as part of their routine patrols and are halting any unsafe acts they observe.	Tikelihood lmpact	31-Dec-2015	*

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001a Traffic management audit	Commission Freight Transport Association to conduct audit and prepare a risk assessment relating to whole site traffic management and unloading issues.	Robert Wilson		P. Spooner reports: All risk assessments have been revised and updated. The tenants have been provided with the H&S report finalized in 2014. The Working Manual is now complete and with the SMTA. The FLT Policy has been reviewed by the HoS and remains with the SMTA for comment.

				Smithfield is in receipt of the PowerPoint presentation of the FTA (presented 10th July) and initial recommendations document. This will be subject of discussions meeting with internal partners on 19/8, before progressing to a multiagency/partnership workshop. Local measures resulting from H&S Audit by COL H&S are now in place and will be implemented in line with above. The maintenance team have installed the recommended equipment from the report by john Smith and Oliver Sanandres.HR Health and Safety officer for use in the unloading of product onto the Market
001b Loading	Loading bay risk assessment to be reviewed and issued to market tenants.	Robert Wilson	02-Mar-2015	P. Spooner reports: All risk assessments have been revised and updated. The tenants have been provided with the H&S report finalized in June 2014.

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Delivering the Departmental Road Map Projects and Programmes	Causes: Lack of appropriate skill sets to deliver projects; cultural resistance; initial scoping of project outcomes and timescales inaccurate Event: Department is unable to deliver its roadmap projects and programmes in agreed timescales or achieve agreed outcomes Impact: Alternative savings undertaken which may not be consistent with achieving cultural change or improving outcomes.	Sue Ireland	Impact	Initial Project and Programme training completed. Further training on stakeholder management in development.	Tikelihood Likelihood Likel	01-Apr-2016	

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Departmental	Roadmap sets out departmental projects and key corporate projects with timescales and RAG status	Esther Sumner	31-Mar-2015	Roadmaps now complete and being regularly updated.
	All roadmap projects start with an opportunity outline	Esther Sumner	01-Apr-2016	Opportunity outline process initiated and continues, action considered completed.
Departmental	Training for the Departmental Management Team and their direct reports	Esther Sumner	30-Apr-2015	Training complete.

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Animal, Plant and Tree Disease	Causes: Inadequate biosecurity, buying of infected trees, plants or cattle, spread of windblown Oak Processionary Moth (OPM) from adjacent sites Event: Sites become infected by animal, plant or tree diseases Impact: Public access to sites restricted, animal culls, tree decline, reputational damage, cost of control of invasive species, risk to human health from OPM or other invasives	Sue Ireland	ikelihood	OPM has now been confirmed at Hampstead Heath. Officers continue to work with the Forestry Commission to control OPM.	lmpact 6	01-Apr-2016	*

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Monitoring of	Pheromone traps in place, liaison with Forestry Commission task force	Sue Ireland	01-Apr-2016	Pheromone traps in place.
	Treatment will be depend on lifestyle of the OPM but to be undertaken as early as possible	Andy Barnard; Gary Burks; Martin Rodman; Paul Thomson; Bob Warnock	01-Apr-2016	OPM has been found at NLOS. We are engaging with the Forestry Commission and specialist contractors are removing the nests.
	Movement of cattle to be controlled to reduce risk of disease	Andy Barnard; Paul Thomson	01-Apr-2016	Biosecurity protocol in place
	Sourcing to be controlled to minimise spread of disease	Andy Barnard; Gary Burks; Martin Rodman; Paul Thomson; Bob Warnock	01-Apr-2016	Hampstead Heath have engage with Ponds Project contractors about controls required for trees and plants brought to site

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OSD NLOS 008 Hampstead Heath Bathing Ponds	Cause: Lack of suitably experienced and qualified lifeguarding staff at Hampstead Heath Bathing Ponds. Members of the public swimming in unauthorised areas. Swimming outside of designated zones. Swimmers fail to pay attention to acclimatisation requirements. Event: Unable to effect safe rescue		Impact	National Water Safety Programme Management training module will be delivered to relevant staff. Qualified lifeguards at pond facilities train on a regular basis. Signage available and abundant.		01-Apr-2016	*

of swimmers. Death or serious			
injury of swimmers in ponds.			
Impact: Death or injury to members			
of the public or staff who enter			
water. Possible legal challenge.			
Emotional impact on staff.			
Reputational risk.			

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OSD NLOS 008 a Training	Training for lifeguards	Bob Warnock	31-Mar-2016	Training needs reviewed and actioned
OSD NLOS 008 b Signage	Appropriate signage at ponds	Bob Warnock	31-Mar-2016	Signage in place
	Safety equipment accessible at ponds	Bob Warnock	31-Mar-2016	Safety equipment in place and checked

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Recruitment	Cause: A strong property and construction market Event: Increasingly attractive remuneration packages offered elsewhere Impact: Increased vacancies, objectives unachieved or delivered	Peter Bennett	Impact	This risk identifies the continuing turnover of staff as a result of the strong property market. The department is developing strategies specific to the department that have a	Impact 4	31-Mar-2016	•

late, reduced customer satisfaction		particular focus on talent management, reward and retention. There is also a focus on identify projects or work where value can be added by outsourcing. The department now has an action plan in place which		
		action plan in place which includes the introduction of career grading and individual reward packages.		

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Adopt and	Encourage CoL to adapt and change the approach to Reward and Earnings Package	Peter Bennett	30-Apr-2016	progressing
005a Develop Workforce	Establish strategies specific to the department that have a particular focus on talent management, reward and retention	Peter Bennett	30-Apr-2016	Management team meetings are underway with HR. HR are identifying people and teams that would face loss and a range of strategies to be put into place to limit the effect. Focusing on the need to recruit and retain.

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Failure of implementati on and management of the Oracle Property	Cause: Implementation and subsequent management of Oracle Property module to meet business needs Event: Inappropriate technological solution or unsuccessful project management or failure to implement an appropriate management framework Impact: Unable to manage property portfolio / loss of income and poor property maintenance	Nicholas Gill	Impact	Open issues have been progressed. However there are still some unresolved issues on service Charge Solution and OPN reports. The five elements that are being finalised include 1) Defects Resolution, 2) Service Charge, 3) Argus Interface, 4) Archibus Interface and 5) OPN Reports. The programme is due to be completed mid—September 2015.	Impact	30-Sep-2015	*

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	Monitor staff resources to manage business as usual tasks and project	Nicholas Gill	30-Sep-2015	Senior Principal Surveyor assigned 100% to Oracle OPN project to ensure successful completion.
	Replace core Manhattan functions of rent, leases management and service charge recovery	Nicholas Gill	30-Sep-2015	Manhattan no longer in use switched to OPN.

SUR SMT	Ensure efficient use and future	Nicholas Gill	30-Sep-2016	Business as usual model, still to be addressed.
009c Ensure	management of system- implement			
efficient use	Asset Management Information			
and future	System			
management	Ensure Data Loader is able to			
of system –	update projects			