

Strategic theme motion 1

This Council notes that; “the organisation (Merton Council) does not seem to have the capacity to deliver spending of much above £40 million per annum” (Cabinet Report, 10th June 2013, p20), and that the Capital budget exceeds this sum by circa £11million a year.

This Council believes in the importance of continuing to invest in the borough’s infrastructure.

This Council therefore asks the Cabinet to review the barriers to officers being able to spend the full capital programme each year, as the failure to do so delays key investment in our community and the local economy

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