# **TORBAY COUNCIL**

Report No: **458/2005** 

Title: Marine Services Out-turn 2004/05

To: Harbour Committee on 12th October 2005

#### 1. Purpose

1.1 This report provides Members with the details of the Marine Services final expenditure and income figures against budget targets for 2004/05.

#### 2. <u>Relationship to Corporate Priorities</u>

2.1 The Marine Services harbour function contributes to the Council's key area of Performance Management by making effective use of resources, as well as contributing to the Jobs and Industry priority.

## 3. <u>Recommendation(s)</u>

3.1 That the Committee endorse the financial performance of the Harbour undertaking for 2004/05.

#### 4. <u>Reason for Recommendation(s)</u>

4.1 To ensure transparency of the Harbour finances.

#### 5. Key Risks associated with the Recommendation(s)

5.1 The report details the final results of the Harbours financial performance for 2004/05. Any impact on the accounts and/or Reserve Funds has already been dealt with during the year under operating procedures. There is therefore negligible minimal risk associated with this report and recommendation.

|                                      | 6 | 6      | 12 | 18 | 24 |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|--------|----|----|----|--|
| b                                    | 5 | 5      | 10 | 15 | 20 |  |
| Likelihood                           | 4 | 4      | 8  | 12 | 16 |  |
|                                      | 3 | 3      | 6  | 9  | 12 |  |
|                                      | 2 | 2      | 4  | 6  | 8  |  |
|                                      | 1 | 1      | 2  | 3  | 4  |  |
|                                      |   | 1 X    | 2  | 3  | 4  |  |
|                                      |   | Impact |    |    |    |  |
| Low risk Intermediate risk High risk |   |        |    |    |    |  |

The "x" in the above matrix denotes where the author has assessed the level of final risk to fall

# 6. <u>Alternative Options (if any)</u>

6.1 None

## 7. <u>Background</u>

- 7.1 A provisional budget for the harbour undertakings was considered by The Executive on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2004 within report TDA/2/04 relating to the level of harbour charges for 2004/05.
- 7.2 The Executive recommended the schedule of charges (representing an average increase of 3.5%) which was subsequently approved by Council within the Revenue Budget on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2004.
- 7.3 The final outturn against budget is summarised below:

|   | Budget 2004/05<br>£000 | Outturn 2005/06<br>£000 |
|---|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Torquay and Paignton Harbours Surplus/(Deficit) | (9)                    | 116                     |
| Brixham Harbour Surplus/(Deficit)               | (38)                   | 55                      |

7.4 Detail of expenditure and income with explanations of material variances is provided at Appendix1. The outturn figures form part of the Council's Statement of Accounts which is currently being audited.

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