

# Organisational Change Proposal

## Islington Digital Services

September 2023

# Digital Services is a product of its history

First

The first generation was the '**Establishment**' generation, where Digital Services separated from Shared Digital and established its own leadership, processes, operations, and identity.

Jan 2019  
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March 2020

Second

The second was the '**Covid-Response**' generation. This generation was characterised by strong empowerment, innovation and doing what was needed in a time of crisis.

March 2020  
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Dec 2022

Third

Today's demand for digitalisation, innovation, savings and enhanced resident experience, requires another step change...

2023 

## Third Generation Digital Services

*"If you do not change direction, you may end up where you are heading."*

Lao Tzu



Envision

**Vision for Residents**

Strategy to get there

Technology Adoption

Research & Development

Shaping Programmes

Integrating Investment Plans

**Informed by Data**



Transform

**Transformation of Resident Experience**

Business & Process Digitalisation

Design – Build - Implement

Delivery Powerhouse

Resident Service Integration

Application/Product evolution

**Enabled by Data**



Operate

**Reliable Services for Residents**

Protect & Run Infrastructure

Incident Response & Recovery

Service & Equipment for staff

Work from Anywhere

Audit and Assurance

**Protection of Data**

**Third Generation Digital Services**

# The functions of the Third Generation Digital Service

## Envision



### Digital Strategy & Design

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Strategy & Engagement  
Consultancy & Research  
Digital Design

### Digital Change Programme

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Cross-Directorate Integration  
Digital Process Transformation  
Investment Optimisation

### Digital Technology

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Cybersecurity  
Enterprise Architecture  
Future Technology Adoption

## Transform



### Transformation Delivery

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Digital Delivery Programme  
Design, Build & Implement  
Process, Controls & Standards

### Applications / Products

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Application Lifecycle Mgmt  
Key Vendor Relationships  
Data & Service Platforms

### Governance & Assurance

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Information Governance  
Process & Contract Assurance  
Risk & Compliance Monitoring

## Operate



### Operational Delivery

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Service Management & User  
Devices  
Cloud & Infrastructure  
Operational Integrity

# Why do we need to change?

# What Problem are we trying to solve?

## Digital Delivery

More Digital Design & Delivery - less Infrastructure

Scalable up & down to meet design/delivery demand

Introduce more responsive ways of working

## Reduce Costs

Be more cost effective for day-to-day delivery

Reduce contractor costs

More cost-effective contracts & resourcing

## Culture

Get closer to the Resident

Empowerment & Personal Ownership

Create Job Progression pathways

# The Most Significant Changes

- **Prioritise permanent capacity** and reduce organisational dependency on contractors
- Build permanent **Service Design & Co-creation** capability to reflect demand for more transformative digitalisation projects - and less on IT infrastructure – building on our move to Cloud.
- Adopt rapid delivery – **Agile + Waterfall**
- Build a sustainable **Data platform team** to provide source data for insight analytics, reporting, digital personalisation, open data & automation.
- **Scalable Staff Funding** through sustainable transformation programmes.
- Streamline internal **Governance & compliance** using IG skills & capability
- **Business Tasks**/people transferred to Business
- **Recover costs for Project staff** against project budgets to create a scalable workforce with fewer contractors.
- Create **Resident-oriented** capabilities
  - **Automation/RPA** (Robotic Process Automation)
  - Early **AI** adoption
  - **Data Curation**
- **Efficiency** with legacy technologies
- Get **better value** from Vendor Contracts
- **Technology adoption** for staff to get better value from our investments
- Lift **Self-help**
- Invest in ongoing transformation in our own services such as **helpdesk automation**
- Build **cybersecurity** as threats increase
- Use **LOTI** to leverage **Collaboration** across London

# Leadership Team

