# Comprehensive Performance Assessment from 2005

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#### **CPA**

- Comprehensive Performance Assessment is the key external measure of the Council's performance, bringing together our corporate ability and the quality of our services
- Barking and Dagenham Council retained its fair rating in December 2003

### Key Changes

- CPA from 2005 is likely to focus strongly on corporate performance on shared priorities between central and local government. These include: -
- Sustainable communities and transport
- Safer and stronger communities
- Healthier communities
- Children and young people

## Key Changes(2)

- 2. The Council's contribution to the Borough's Community Strategy will take on greater importance
- Services to children will be assessed through a new single service block for children and young people
- 4. Greater emphasis will be given to the Council's financial management and use of resources

#### Key Issues for LBBD Council

- 1. The Council will receive a full corporate assessment in 2005
- 2. The Council needs to decide whether it wishes to become a pathfinder for CPA in 2004