



**Summary of the Decisions Taken at the Meeting
of Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 10 September 2024**

Agenda Item No.	Agenda Item	Decision
5	<p>Performance Monitoring Report Quarter 1 2024 - 2025</p> <p>Report of Assistant Director Customer Focus</p> <p>Purpose of report</p> <p>To report to the committee the council's performance position at the end of Quarter 1 2024-25.</p> <p>Recommendations</p> <p>The Overview and Scrutiny Committee resolves:</p> <p>1.1 To consider the contents of the council's performance Quarter 1 report and agree comments to the Executive for consideration.</p>	<p>Resolved</p> <p>(1) That having given due consideration, the Council's Performance Monitoring Report Quarter 1 2024 - 2025 performance be noted, and no recommendations be submitted for Executive consideration.</p>
6	<p>New Cherwell District Council Allocations Scheme</p> <p>Report of Assistant Director Wellbeing and Housing</p> <p>Purpose of report</p> <p>To consider the draft Housing Allocations Scheme and make comments for consideration by Executive.</p> <p>Recommendations</p> <p>The Overview and Scrutiny Committee resolves:</p>	<p>Resolved</p> <p>(1) That having given due consideration, the New Cherwell District Council Allocations Scheme be recommended for adoption by Executive,</p> <p>(2) That it be recommended to Executive that they receive a summary of the consultation for consideration alongside the Scheme being recommended for adoption.</p>

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	<p>1.1 To consider and comment on the contents of the new drafted Housing Allocations Scheme and recommend adoption by the Executive.</p> <p>1.2 Recommend to Executive that they receive a summary of the consultation responses and give those consideration.</p>	
7	<p>Cost of Living 2023/2024 Review and 2024/2025 Activities</p> <p>Report of Assistant Director Wellbeing and Housing</p> <p>Purpose of report</p> <p>To provide an update on the additional activity described in the 2023/24 Cost of Living action plan and to note proposed future approaches and activity.</p> <p>Recommendations</p> <p>The Overview and Scrutiny Committee resolves:</p> <p>1.1 To request the Executive to note the review of the 2023/24 cost of living plan and proposed range of activities planned for 2024/25.</p>	<p>Resolved</p> <p>(1) That having given due consideration, the Cost of Living 2023/2024 review and proposed range of activities for 2024/2025 be noted and recommended to Executive to endorse.</p>
8	<p>Work Programme 2024 - 2025</p> <p>The Overview and Scrutiny Committee undertook work programme planning at its 18 July 2024 meeting and requested the Chair and Vice-Chair to meet with officers to discuss suggested scrutiny topics. The work programme has been updated accordingly and a verbal update will be provided at the meeting.</p> <p>For information, the Executive Forward Plan is available on the</p>	<p>Resolved</p> <p>(1) That having given due consideration, that the indicative Work Programme 2024 – 2025 be noted and endorsed.</p> <p>(2) That the update on the scrutiny working groups (Climate Action; Food Insecurity; and Equalities, Diversity and Inclusion) be noted.</p>

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	<p data-bbox="379 235 903 342">Cherwell District Council website (please ensure you choose the most recently published version).</p> <p data-bbox="379 383 911 819">At the 18 July 2024 meeting, the Committee agreed that three working groups should continue in the 2024/2025 municipal year: Climate Action; Food Insecurity; and, Equalities, Diversity and Inclusion (joint with Personnel Committee). Nominations for working group member have been sought and the Chair and Democratic and Elections Team will update the Committee at the meeting.</p> <p data-bbox="379 860 671 891">Recommendations</p> <p data-bbox="379 931 767 1001">The Overview and Scrutiny Committee resolves</p> <p data-bbox="379 1041 930 1223">1.1 To consider and endorse the 2024/2025 work programme. 1.2 To consider the update on the scrutiny working groups.</p>	