

Updated Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme 2024-25

(Updated: 3 March 2025, to be agreed by OSC 11 March 2025)

18 March 2025		
<p>Everybody's Wellbeing Strategy Impact Assessment <i>(moved from 28 January 2025)</i></p>	<p>Policy Development and Monitoring To consider how the impact of the new wellbeing strategy will be measured</p>	<p>Nicola Riley, Assistant Director Wellbeing and Housing & Tom Gubbins, Wellbeing Manager Portfolio Holder for healthy Communities, Councillor Rob Pattenden</p>
<p>Draft Performance Monitoring – Outcomes Framework 2025/26</p>	<p>Performance Monitoring. To consider and make comments / recommendations to Executive on the draft Performance Outcomes Framework for 2025-2026 prior to Executive adoption of the framework</p>	<p>Shona Ware, Assistant Director Customer Focus & Celia Prado-Teeling, Performance Team Leader Portfolio Holder for Corporate Services, Councillor Chris Brant</p>
<p>Transformation Programme <i>(Moved from 28 January 2025)</i></p>	<p>Holding the Executive to account. To consider an update on the transformation programme (Item suggested by Chair and Vice-Chair and endorsed by Committee at 18 July meeting.)</p>	<p>Stephen Hinds, Corporate Director Resources and Transformation & Shona Ware, Assistant Director Customer Focus Leader & Portfolio Holder for Strategic Leadership, Councillor David Hingley</p>
<p>Scrutiny Working Groups update</p>	<p>Standing item. Progress update relating to established working groups.</p>	<p>Working Group Members, Democratic and Elections Team</p>



Scrutiny Work Programme 2024-25 (Updated)	Standing item. Review of work programme, update on topics suggested for consideration, update on items previously considered	Overview & Scrutiny Committee Chair, Democratic and Elections Team
Items to be referred for consideration in 2024-2025		
Council Owned Companies (Graven Hill and Crown House)	Holding the Executive to account / External Scrutiny The Shareholder Representative to update the Committee and answer questions relating to companies owned by the Council and the performance of those companies (Item suggested by Chair and Vice-Chair and endorsed by Committee at 18 July meeting.)	Stephen Hinds, Shareholder Representative Leader & Portfolio Holder for Strategic Leadership, Councillor David Hingley
Items to be Allocated		
Housing Development Action Plan <i>(Date TBC Recommended for the 18 March meeting)</i>	Report to be brought to the Overview and Scrutiny committee to cover any possible actions or mitigations that could be implemented in light of the current Housing situation.	Ian Boll, Corporate Director Communities David Peckford, Assistant Director Planning and Development Portfolio Holder for Housing, Councillor Nick Cotter

Scrutiny Working Groups

Scrutiny Working Groups and informal working parties that are established by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee to consider particular matters and report back. They're made up of non-Executive Members of the Council appointed by the Committee.

The Overview and Scrutiny Committee has established the following Scrutiny Working Groups for 2024-2025:

- Equalities and Diversity Scrutiny Working Group
- Food Insecurity Scrutiny Working Group
- Climate Action Scrutiny Working Group.
- Planning Application Appeals and Resettlement Scrutiny Working Group (a one meeting Spotlight Review) – 25 February 2025.
- Resettlement and Migration through Scrutiny Working Group (a one meeting Spotlight Review) – this has now to been considered as an item at the Overview and Scrutiny Committee meeting on 28 January 2025.

Reports from the Scrutiny Working Groups are made to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee to note and for the public record.

Meeting Dates 2024/25 (All Tuesday, 6.30pm unless indicated)

13 June 2024, 18 July 2024, 15 October 2024, 12 November 2024 (*Extraordinary*), 26 November 2024, 28 January 2025, 11 March 2025, 18 March 2025 (*additional*).

Scrutiny Work Programme Items:

Members are reminded of the five roles of scrutiny when considering items for the work programme:

- Performance Monitoring; Policy Development; Policy Review; Holding the Executive to Account; External Scrutiny

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