

Scrutiny Commission Work Programme

APPENDIX 1

Responsible Body	Meeting Date	Issue	Scope of Item / Terms of Reference	Reason for Scrutiny	Invitees / Officers	Progress / Notes / Action Requested
Scrutiny Commission	05 February 2024 (if applicable, standing item)	Pre-decision scrutiny of any specific financial matters to be considered by Cabinet	To ensure pre-decision scrutiny of any out-turn reports, virements and in-year service pressures, particularly when they are related to additional costs arising from decisions by other agencies to reduce services.		K.Widdowson (report)	Agreed by SMB 23 January 2019 (see minute 31.2) (supports recommendation of Budget Scrutiny Panel Jan 2019). To be identified from the Key Decisions Notice or from the Cabinet agenda.
Scrutiny Commission	05 February 2024 (standing item)	Cabinet items for pre- decision scrutiny	To allow identification of items from the latest Key Decisions Notice for pre- decision scrutiny by the Commission.		K.Widdowson (report)	Items may also be determined by the Chair and Vice-chair in consultation with the Democratic Services Manager. Further items may also be added following publication of the Cabinet agenda

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Scrutiny Commission	05 February 2024 (standing item)	Pre-decision scrutiny – Cabinet Response	To consider the response of Cabinet to recommendations by the Commission on pre- decision scrutiny items.		K.Widdowson (report)	Scrutiny Commission
Scrutiny Commission	05 February 2024 (standing item)	Scrutiny Panels	To review progress with Scrutiny Panels.		K Widdowson	Re-established following Scrutiny Work Programme Workshop on 24 May 2021
Scrutiny Commission	05 February 2024 (standing item)	Scrutiny Work Programme	To review and agree the Scrutiny Work Programme		K. Widdowson	Re-established following Scrutiny Work Programme Workshop on 24 May 2021
Scrutiny Commission	05 February 2024	Pre-decision scrutiny – Economic Development Strategy 2023-27	To approve an Economic Development Strategy for the borough.		Head of Economic Development and Regeneration.	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 11 September 2023, min ref 39 2023/24.
Scrutiny Commission	05 February 2024	Pre-Decision Scrutiny – Housing Strategy	To approve the Council's Housing Strategy.		Head of Strategic Housing	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 13 November 2023, min ref 66 2023/24.

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Scrutiny Commission	05 February 2024	Update on Void Property Information	To update the Commission on the Void Property Information, six months after the last review. To include an updated version of the table attached as an Appendix to the report received by the Scrutiny Commission on 12th December 2022.		Peter Oliver/Katie Moore	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 7 August 2023, min ref 20 2023/24.
Scrutiny Commission	March 2024	Pre-Decision Scrutiny – Homelessness and Rough Sleeping Reduction Strategy	To approve the Council's Homelessness and Rough Sleeping Reduction Strategy.		Head of Strategic Housing.	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 13 November 2023, min ref 66 2023/24.
Scrutiny Commission	To be scheduled (early 2024)	Cost of Living Update	to update on the support provided to residents during the winter period of 2023-24.		Director of Housing and Wellbeing	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 3 July 2023, min ref 5 2023/24.
Scrutiny Commission	March 2024	Pre-decision scrutiny – Housing Capital Programme	To approve the annual investment programme for improvements to the Council's housing stock.		Director of Housing and Wellbeing	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 7 August 2023, min ref 27 2023/24.
Scrutiny Commission	March 2024	Pre-decision scrutiny – Local Development Scheme	To approve a revised Local Development Scheme (LDS) so that the programme for the preparation of planning documents for Charnwood is agreed.		Head of Planning and Growth	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 7 August 2023, min ref 27 2023/24.

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Scrutiny Commission	March 2024	Pre-decision scrutiny – Corporate Delivery Plan 2024/25	To approve the Corporate Delivery Plan 2024-25.		Head of Transformation, Strategy and Performance	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 7 August 2023, min ref 27 2023/24.
Scrutiny Commission	April 2024	Selective and Additional Licensing Schemes Update	To enable the Scrutiny Commission to review the Selective and Additional Licensing Schemes one year after implementation.		Head of Strategic Housing	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 9 October 2023, Min ref 46 2023/24.
Scrutiny Commission	June 2024	Waste Management Scrutiny Panel Update	To include an update on the progression of Cabinet approved panel recommendations 5, 6 and 9.		Head of Contracts (Leisure, Waste and Environment)	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 8 Jan 2024, min ref 93 2023/24.
Scrutiny Commission	June 2024 (annual item)	Draft Annual Scrutiny Report (annual item)	To consider the Draft Annual Scrutiny Report with a view to it being recommended to Council for approval.		To be confirmed	In accordance with Section 6.3(e) of the Council's Constitution, Scrutiny Commission must report annually to Council on the workings of scrutiny bodies and the operation of the scrutiny function generally.

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Scrutiny Commission	08 January 2025 (annual item)	Budget Scrutiny Panel Report	A report of the Budget Scrutiny Panel following its scrutiny of the Council's draft budget for 2025/26.		Budget Scrutiny Panel Chair	Scrutiny Commission
Scrutiny Commission	05 February 2024	Pre-Decision Scrutiny – Interim Charnwood Transport Strategy	To endorse the Interim Carwood Transport Strategy and the collaborative approach to delivering transport infrastructure in the interregnum until the local plan is adopted.		Head of Planning and Growth	Agreed Scrutiny Commission 9 October 2023, min ref 55 2023/24.
Scrutiny Commission	To be scheduled	Web Contract Procurement	To allow the Scrutiny Commission to scrutinise the Web Contract Procurement when appropriate.	Referred from Digital Transformation Scrutiny Panel.	Lead Officer	Agreed Scrutiny Commission, 7 March 2022, min ref 111 2021/22