

**REPORT OF THE CHAIR OF THE ECONOMY ENVIRONMENT AND PLACE
SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

Since the last meeting of the full Council, the Economy, Environment and Place Scrutiny Committee met on 30th September which scrutinised the following and provided feedback for Cabinet and Council -

1. The introduction of the recycling service - which was commended by all present as a great success.
2. A review of the impact of the Covid Pandemic on the workload of the Environmental Health Team and to thank them for all their efforts
3. To review the output of the Climate Change Working Party
4. To receive an update on the two Town Deal Applications - Kidsgrove and Newcastle
5. To review the ongoing work schedule.

In addition to the main meeting, two other sub groups/working parties have met. The first met on 12th November to review and comment on the Local Air Quality plan - a joint meeting with Stoke on Trent City Council.

The second which is the Whalleys Quarry Working Party heard a number of representations and submissions over two meetings in the period.

Councillor Gary White

Chair