

SCRUTINY COMMITTEES CHAIR'S REPORTS

Health, Wellbeing and Environment Scrutiny Committee

The Committee met on 16 September, 2024 and the following matters were considered:

- The committee noted the update from Staffordshire Health and Care Overview and Scrutiny Committee.
- An update on Walleys Quarry including updates on the work the the inquiry committee was delivered by officers and commented on by councillors.
- Councillors commented on and noted an update on the Council's Sustainable Environment Strategy.
- The committee then heard an update detailing the scope and purpose of the councils Neighbourhood Delivery teams.
- The committee provided comments on the councils new draft Animal Welfare Charter. It was decided to send the draft report to cabinet and to approve canvassing of other local authorities to write to the government about the banning of live animals as prizes.
- The work programme was discussed and new items added for consideration.

Cllr Rupert Adcock
Chair

Economy and Place Scrutiny Committee

The Committee met on 11 September, to consider an update on the Council's progress towards a Local Plan, including progress on the Regulation 19 consultation that opened on 12 August and will run until 7 October. The Committee also considered a report on the Town Deals and Future High Streets Fund projects.

The Committee will meet again on 9 December.

Cllr Mark Holland
Acting Chair

Finance, Assets and Performance Scrutiny Committee

The Committee met on 18 September, to consider reports on the Medium Term Financial Strategy and corporate performance in the first quarter.

Members also received updates on the Council's Commercial Strategy and the Town Deals and Future High Streets funding. A report was received, at the request of members, on staff turnover within the authority.

The Committee will meet again on 5 December.

Cllr Mark Holland
Chair