

SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PLAN



Committee Name:	Cleaner, Greener & Safer Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Chair:	Cllr Gill Williams
Vice-Chair:	Cllr Hilda Johnson
Portfolio Holder(s) Covering the Committee's Remit:	Cllr Elsie Bates – Culture and Leisure Cllr Ann Beech – Environment and Recycling Cllr Tony Kearon – Safer Communities
Work Plan Correct As At:	29 October 2013

Date of Meeting	Item	Reason for Undertaking
4 December 2013 (Agenda dispatch 22 November 2013)	County wide Joint Municipal Waste Management Strategy	To consider the County Wide Waste Management strategy in advance of the Borough's own strategy at a subsequent meeting.
	Vacant and Derelict Buildings Enforcement	To ascertain what the Council's current powers are in relation to vacant and derelict buildings enforcement, and whether best use is being made of these powers.
	Police and Crime Commissioner	To question and discuss policing priorities within the Borough and actions being taken to address crime.
	Domestic Violence Policy	Officer request from the Community Safety Officer - Domestic Violence Lead.
	Magistrates Court Move Working Group	To consider whether the group should disband because of their work reaching a conclusion.

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24 March 2014 (Agenda dispatch 14 March 2014)	Annual Review of the Scrutiny Committee's Work	To evaluate and review the work undertaken during 2013/14.
	Disabled Access / 'A' Frame Obstruction to Pavements in Towns	To ensure equal access to the Borough's town centres for disabled people.
	Alcohol Strategy	To look at the Alcohol Strategy Action Plan and the effectiveness of the actions.
	Decriminalised Car Parking	As requested by the Committee, to address issues that have become apparent within the Borough.
	Waste and Recycling Strategy	To consider the recommendations of the Cabinet Panel with reference to the Borough Council's Waste and Recycling Strategy before being received by Cabinet.

Task and Finish Groups:	Magistrates Court Move
Future Task and Finish Groups:	
Suggestions for Potential Future Items:	Warm Zone Delivery of Green Deal (potentially email to committee) Increase in Homelessness

Cleaner, Greener and Safer Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee is responsible for:

- Anti-social Behaviour Orders
- Civil contingencies
- CCTV
- Community cohesion and safety
- Community Safety and Section 17
- Decriminalised parking enforcement and on-street parking
- Emergency planning
- Older people
- Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership
- Street and community wardens.
- Buses and concessionary travel and taxis
- Car park management
- Climate change, sustainability and energy efficiency
- Environmental enforcement
- Environmental health
- Flooding and drainage
- Highways and transport (operational)
- Recycling and waste management
- Streetscene – litter, grounds maintenance, parks and gardens.