SERVICES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAME 2023/24

TUESDAY AT 10AM

CHAIR: CLLR M SMITH

VICE-CHAIR: CLLR H LIGGETT

MEETING DATE	AGENDA ITEM	WHAT IT WILL COVER	WHO IT INVOLVES
11 July 2023	Remit of the Committee	Briefing on Scrutiny :	Lee Hickin – Managing Director
		 Setting the scene The terms of reference for the Committee 	Jayne Dethick – Director of Finance & Resources and S151 Officer
		 How the Committee operates, ways of working Discussion The Council's new Council Plan 	Sarah Sternberg – Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer
		and Scrutiny arrangements - discussion	Damon Stanton – Senior Scrutiny Officer
	Medium Term Financial Plan	MTFP Financial Outturn 2022/23	Jayne Dethick – Director of Finance & Resources and S151 Officer
			Tina Frost Morris – Chief Accountant
	Draft Scrutiny Work Programme	To consider the Committee's Draft Work Programme	Committee Members/ Damon Stanton – Senior Scrutiny Officer
19 SEPTEMBER 2023	Performance Management	Developing the Performance Framework to support the new Council Plan	Amar Bashir – Improvement Officer

	Policy Development	NEDDC Equalities Plan 2023-2027	Amar Bashir – Improvement Officer
	Cabinet Reports and the Forward Plan of Executive Decisions	To review recent Cabinet Reports, receive an overview of Cabinet business, and review the Forward Plan	Portfolio Holder Senior Officer Leader/Deputy Leader
	'Horizon Scanning'	Four day working week – trial by South Cambridgeshire District Council and Government response	Sarah Sternberg – Assistant Director of Governance & Monitoring Officer
	'Horizon Scanning'	Annual Ombudsman Report 2022/23	Sarah Sternberg – Assistant Director of Governance & Monitoring Officer
	Scrutiny Work Programme	To consider the Committees' work programme	Damon Stanton – Senior Scrutiny Officer
21 NOVEMBER 2023	Medium Term Financial Plan	MTFP Financial Outturn 2022/23	Jayne Dethick – Director of Finance & Resources and S151 Officer Tina Frost Morris – Chief Accountant
	Performance Management	Council Plan Targets Performance Update	Q&A with the Portfolio Holder Relevant Service Managers/Directors Kath Drury – Information, Engagement and Performance Manager Amar Bashir – Improvement Officer
	Cabinet Reports and the Forward Plan of Executive Decisions	To review recent Cabinet Reports, receive an overview of Cabinet business, and review the Forward Plan	Portfolio Holder Senior Officer Leader/Deputy Leader

	Policy Development	To contribute to major Policies being considered by the Council	Lead Officer
	'Horizon Scanning'	To consider and contribute to potential changes in the operating environment which may include legislation, regulation and key projects being undertaken by the Council, for example	Lead Officer
	Scrutiny Work Programme	To consider the Committees' work programme	Damon Stanton – Senior Scrutiny Officer
27 FEBRUARY 2024	Performance Management	Council Plan Targets Performance Update	Q&A with the Portfolio Holder Relevant Service Managers/Directors Kath Drury – Information, Engagement and Performance Manager Amar Bashir – Improvement Officer
	Cabinet Reports and the Forward Plan of Executive Decisions Scrutiny Work Programme	To review recent Cabinet Reports, receive an overview of Cabinet business, and review the Forward Plan To consider the Committees' work programme	Portfolio Holder Senior Officer Leader/Deputy Leader Senior Scrutiny Officer
	Residents Survey	Committee to discuss the outcomes of the Residents Survey and to determine if they want to look at any areas as part of their Work Programme	Senior Scrutiny Officer

	Q3 Budget Monitoring Report	To receive a report on current budget position	Jayne Dethick – Director of Finance & Resources and S151 Officer – ACCEPTED
07 MAY 2024	Performance Management	Council Plan Targets Performance Update	Q&A with the Portfolio Holder Relevant Service Managers/Directors Kath Drury – Information, Engagement and Performance Manager Amar Bashir – Improvement Officer
	Cabinet Reports and the Forward Plan of Executive Decisions	To review recent Cabinet Reports, receive an overview of Cabinet business, and review the Forward Plan	Portfolio Holder Senior Officer Leader/Deputy Leader
	Policy Development	To contribute to major Policies being considered by the Council • People Strategy	Lead Officer
	Talent Pipeline	To receive an update on progress made	Lee Hickin, Managing Director ACCEPTED
	Review of Gully/Drainage Cleaning	To receive an overview of the gully/drainage cleaning work undertake by the Council	Darren Mitchell, Streetscene & Waste Services Manager ACCEPTED
	Scrutiny Work Programme	To consider whether the Committees' work programme has been completed at year end	Senior Scrutiny Officer

Notes

• MTFP Financial Outturn 2022/23 (July)

- Second Green Bin Collections
- Review of EH Improvement Plan
- Update on Combined Authority Who's Who and NEDDC Roles (Lee Hickin)
- Access to Health Services Doctors and Dentists
- Public transport provision
- Implementation of a Council Tax Premium for Empty Homes