Economy, Transport and Environment (ETE) Scrutiny Committee



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Future work at a glance

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Items that app	tems that appear regularly at committee		
The Council's Forward Plan	The latest version of the Council's Forward Plan is included on each scrutiny committee agenda. This document lists the key County Council decisions that are to be taken within the next few months together with contact information to find out more. It is updated monthly.		
	The Forward Plan helps committee Members identify important issues for more detailed scrutiny <i>before</i> key decisions are taken. This has proved to be significantly more effective than challenging a decision once it has been taken. As a last resort, the call-in procedure is available if scrutiny Members think a Cabinet or Lead Member decision has been taken incorrectly.		
	Requests for further information about individual items on the Forward Plan should be addressed to the listed contact. Possible scrutiny issues should be raised with the scrutiny team or committee Chairman, ideally before a scrutiny committee meeting.		
Committee work programme	This provides an opportunity for the committee to review the scrutiny work programme for future meetings and to highlight any additional issues they wish to add to the programme.		

Future committee	Witnesses			
14 June 2018				
East Sussex Road Safety Programme	The Committee will consider a final report on the outcomes of the East Sussex Road Safety Programme and the results from the work that has been undertaken to reduce Killed and Seriously Injured (KSI) road accidents.	Project Manager/Head of Communities/Asst. Director Communities		
Dropped Kerbs	An update report on the progress to identify funding for the provision of dropped kerbs and the development of policies to prioritise requests and protect dropped kerbs from obstruction.	Team Manager - Strategic Economic Infrastructure/ Assistant Director , Economy		
13 September 2018				
Scrutiny Review of Superfast Broadband	The 12 month monitoring report on the implementation of the recommendations of the Scrutiny Review	Assistant Director /Team Manager, Economic Development.		
Reconciling Policy, Performance and Resources (RPPR)	The Scrutiny Committee will start the consideration of the Portfolio Plans and Savings Plans for 2019/20 as part of the Council's budget setting process. This will include consideration of the department's revenue and capital budgets for the services within the Committee's remit.	Scrutiny/Director and Assistant Directors.		
15 November 2018				
Emergency Planning	An update report on the work of the Emergency Planning Team to give the committee an understanding of the range and type of work undertaken by the Team	Team Manager – Emergency Planning / Head of Communities		
Reconciling Policy, Performance and Resources (RPPR)	The Committee will examine any additional information requested at the September meeting and consider any updated RPPR information for 2019/10.	Scrutiny/Director and Assistant Directors.		
Further Ahead				
March 2019	Dutch Elm Disease Strategy. To receive an update report on the sanitation programme to control the spread of Dutch Elm Disease in East Sussex.	Team Manager, Environment / Cambridge Study author		

Future committee	uture committee agenda items Witnesses	
March 2019	Climate Change Adaption. To receive an update report on the measures that have been put in place in response to 2017 national Climate Change Risk Assessment (CCRA) and National Adaptation Programme (NAP).	Team Manager, Environment / Director of CET

Current scrutiny reviews and other work underway	Date to report

Potential future scrutiny work

(Proposals and ideas for future scrutiny topics appear here)

Countryside Access Strategy

To consider how the Committee wishes to be involved in the work being undertaken concerning the transfer of management of countryside sites to other suitable organisations, which is part of the implementation of the Strategy agreed by Cabinet.

	nformation reports available to the Committee appear on committee agendas when proposed for scrutiny by committee members)	Date available
Performance management	Performance monitoring is an integral part of scrutiny. The committee is alerted to the relevant quarterly reports that Cabinet and lead Members receive. Members can then suggest matters for scrutiny to investigate in more detail. In the performance reports, achievement against individual performance targets is assessed as either 'Red', 'Amber' or 'Green' ('RAG'): • 'Green' means that the performance measure is on target to be achieved • 'Amber' means that there is concern about the likelihood of achieving the performance measure by the end of the year • 'Red' means that the performance measure is assessed as inappropriate or unachievable. The 'Red' and 'Amber' indicators also include further commentary and the details of any proposed corrective action. Requests for further information about individual items in the performance reports should be addressed to the listed contact. Possible scrutiny issues should be raised with the scrutiny team or committee Chair.	Every quarter

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