General Overview and Scrutiny Committee: Draft Work Programme 2015/16

Agenda items

| Tuesday 17 November 2015 from 10.00 am | |
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| (the budget presentation will be received by the overview and scrutiny committees jointly, followed by formal meetings of each committee) | |
| Budget 2016/17 and Medium Term Financial Strategy | To consider the budget proposals. |
| Draft corporate plan | To consider proposals for the key priorities for the draft corporate plan 2016-20. |
| Capital investment programme | To consider the proposed programme. |

| Possible additional December 2015 meeting (to be confirmed) | |
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| Homelessness prevention, Tenancy and allocations strategy, and Housing strategy | Consideration is being given to a possible additional meeting to enable the committee to receive reports on these issues. |

| Tuesday 19 January 2016 at 10.00 am | |
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| School examination performance | To consider school performance for summer 2015. |
| Home to school transport | To receive an update on home to school transport provision. |
| Community safety partnership | To receive an update on the strategic plan. |

| Tuesday 8 March 2016 at 10.00 am | |
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| Marches Local Enterprise Partnership | To receive a presentation on the Local Enterprise Partnership. |

| Tuesday 10 May 2016 at 10.00 am | |
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| Edgar Street Athletic Ground | Review of options for the longer term arrangements for the ground. |
| Property update | To receive an update report on property matters. |

Task and finish groups

| Work currently in progress: | Status: |
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| Smallholdings estate (County farms) | The group's report will be presented to the committee for consideration on 27 October 2015. |

Issues for possible future scrutiny activity

| Topic | Status: |
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| Community infrastructure levy | Officers have been asked to provide an update on the current timetable and related matters. |
| Digital strategy | Officers have been asked to provide an update on the current position. |
| Football provision | It is suggested that scrutiny activity be considered following the receipt of the report on Edgar Street Athletic Ground in May 2016. |
| Racecourse | It is suggested that scrutiny activity be considered following the Property update in May 2016. |

Briefing Notes

| The following topics shall be dealt with via briefing notes: | Status: |
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| Food and drink strategy | Arising from a request at the 21 July 2015 meeting, a briefing note will be circulated to committee members shortly. |
| Update on the Executive responses to the task and finish group report on Balfour Beatty Living Places | This update will be included as part of an annual update to committee members to be circulated by November 2015. |
| Update on the Executive responses to the task and finish group report on development management (planning) | A briefing note to be prepared by the end of January 2016. |

Seminars / Workshops

| The following seminars / workshops have been suggested: | Status: |
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| Accommodation strategy | A presentation is to be arranged for committee members on the strategy. |
| Understanding Herefordshire | Being programmed as part of the next phase of member seminars / workshops in development. |