ENVIRONMENT SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME 2005/6

Report By: Director of Environment

Wards Affected

County-wide

Purpose

1 To consider a new work programme.

Financial Implications

2 None

Background

The 2004/5 work programme has now been completed and Environment Scrutiny Committee are requested to consider the proposed work programme for the period to the end of March 2006. Members are reminded that guidance for developing an effective work programme is contained in the Scrutiny Handbook previously issued to Members.

6 June 2005		
Officer Reports	•	Human Resources
	•	Capital Budget 2005/6
	•	Revenue Budget 2005/6
	•	Best Value Reviews Improvement Plans
	•	Report on Performance - Year 2004/5
	•	Good Environmental Management (GEM)
	•	Local Transport Plan (LTP)
	•	Biodiversity
	•	The Environment Strategy.
	•	Best Value Review – Commercial Enforcement Stage 3.
Scrutiny Reviews	•	
26 September 2005		
Officer Reports	•	Capital Budget 2005/6
	•	Revenue Budget 2005/6
	•	Best Value Reviews Improvement Plans

	 Report on Performance including Commitments - April to June 05 	
	Contribution to Herefordshire Ambitions	
	 Update position regarding the Agricultural use of Polytunnels. 	
Scrutiny Reviews	•	
5 December 2005		
Officer Reports	Human Resources	
	Capital Budget 2005/6	
	Revenue Budget 2005/6	
	Best Value Reviews Improvement Plans	
	• Report on Performance Commitments - April to Sept 05.	
	 Good Environmental Management GEM 	
	 Impact of the proposed pedestrianisation of Widemarsh Street. 	
Scrutiny Reviews	•	
27 March 2006		
Officer Reports	Capital Budget 2005/6	
	Revenue Budget 2005/6	
	Best Value Reviews Improvement Plans	
	 Report on Performance Commitments - April to Dec 05. 	
	Contribution to Herefordshire Ambitions	
	 Update on the impact of the Public Rights of Way Strategy. 	
Scrutiny Reviews	•	

In addition Members may wish to consider including in the programme, at an appropriate time that a special meeting to discuss flooding issues with the Environment Agency.

RECOMMENDATION

THAT subject to any comment or issues raised by the Committee the work programme be approved and recommended to Strategic Monitoring Committee.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

Scrutiny Handbook "A practical handbook for Councillors." Dec 2003.