

Tuesday, 21 May 2024

Report of the Chairs of the Corporate Scrutiny, Health and Wellbeing Scrutiny and the Infrastructure, Safety and Growth Scrutiny Committee

Annual Report of the Scrutiny Committees 2023-24

Exempt Information

None

Purpose

The attached Annual Reports of each Scrutiny Committee are presented to full Council to formally update Council on the activities of the Corporate Scrutiny, the Health & Wellbeing Scrutiny and Infrastructure Safety & Growth Scrutiny Committees over the year 2023/24.

Each Committee formally reviewed its Annual Report at the final meeting of the municipal year with any amendments required subsequently to reflect the content of the final meeting being made and shared with the relevant Chair.

Recommendations

1. It is recommended that Council endorse the recommendations as set out in each of the attached annual reports, appendices 2-4.

Executive Summary

Overview and scrutiny committees were introduced in 2000 as part of new executive governance arrangements to ensure that members of a local authority who were not part of the executive could hold the executive to account for the decisions and actions that affect their communities.

Options Considered

None – summary of items already considered by Scrutiny Committees – for information only.

Resource Implications

None – summary of items already considered by Scrutiny Committees – for information only.

Legal/Risk Implications Background

None – summary of items already considered by Scrutiny Committees – for information only.

Equalities Implications

None – summary of items already considered by Scrutiny Committees – for information only.

Environment and Sustainability Implications (including climate change)

None – summary of items already considered by Scrutiny Committees – for information only.

Background Information

None – summary of items already considered by Scrutiny Committees – for information only.

Report Author

List of Background Papers

None.

Appendices

Appendix 1 – Introductory Report 2023-2024

Appendix 2 – Annual Report of the Corporate Scrutiny Committee

Appendix 3 – Annual Report of the Health and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee

Appendix 4 – Annual Report of the Infrastructure, Safety and Growth Scrutiny Committee