

# HOUSING AND ENVIRONMENT SCRUTINY COMMITTEE - 29<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2025

SUBJECT: HOUSING AND ENVIRONMENT SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME

REPORT BY: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FOR CORPORATE AND

**REGENERATION** 

#### 1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To report the Housing and Environment Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme.

## 2. SUMMARY

2.1 Forward Work Programmes are essential to ensure that Scrutiny Committee agendas reflect the strategic issues facing the Council and other priorities raised by Members, the public or stakeholder.

## 3. RECOMMENDATIONS

3.1 That Members consider any changes and agree the final forward work programme prior to publication.

#### 4. REASONS FOR THE RECOMMENDATIONS

4.1 To improve the operation of scrutiny.

## 5. THE REPORT

- 5.1 The Housing and Environment Scrutiny Committee forward work programme includes all reports that were identified at the Committee meeting on Tuesday the 25<sup>th</sup> of March 2025. The work programme outlines the reports planned for the period April 2025 until March 2026.
- 5.2 The forward Work Programme is made up of reports identified by officers and members. Members are asked to consider the work programme alongside the

cabinet work programme and suggest any changes before it is published on the council website. The Scrutiny committee will review this work programme at every meeting going forward alongside any changes to the cabinet work programme or report requests.

5.3 The Housing and Environment Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme is attached at Appendix 1, which presents the current status as at the 7th of April 2025. The Cabinet Work Programme is attached at Appendix 2. A copy of the prioritisation flowchart is attached at appendix 3 to assist the scrutiny committee to determine what items should be added to the forward work programme.

#### 5.4 Conclusion

The work programme is for consideration and amendment by the scrutiny committee prior to publication on the council website.

## 6. ASSUMPTIONS

6.1 No assumptions are necessary.

## 7. SUMMARY OF INTEGRATED IMPACT ASSESSMENT

7.1 As this report is for information only an Integrated Impact Assessment is not necessary.

## 8. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

8.1 There are no specific financial implications arising as a result of this report.

#### 9. PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS

9.1 There are no specific personnel implications arising as a result of this report.

#### 10. CONSULTATIONS

10.1 There are no consultation responses that have not been included in this report.

#### 11. STATUTORY POWER

11.1 The Local Government Act 2000.

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## Appendices:

Appendix 1 Housing and Environment Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme

Appendix 2 Cabinet Forward Work Programme

Appendix 3 Forward Work Programme Prioritisation Flowchart