

APPENDIX 1:

Update on Issues Identified at the Overview and Scrutiny Training on Monday 6th June 2022

During the Overview and Scrutiny training delivered on Monday 6th June 2022 Members identified a number of issues they wished to include on the Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme in 2022-2023. The issues were ones that most frequently been raised with them over the last 12 months and their suitability for further scrutiny. Each of the issues raised by Members was considered alongside the Council's strategic purposes to enable Members to focus on matters in accordance with the Council's strategic vision.

Table 1 below outlines the Overview items that were identified at the training event and the dates these were scrutinised and whether this was by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee, Working Group or Task Group. There are currently 4 outstanding issues to be considered.

Table 1

Communities which are safe, well-maintained and green			
	Issue (O) – Overview (S) - Scrutiny	Consideration	Date of Consideration
1.	Fly-tipping (O)		TBC
2.	Speeding (O)	Item will be considered by the Road Safety Task Group	December 2022
3.	Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (O)	Item was considered by the Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Panel	2 nd November 2022
4.	Thefts (O)	Item was considered by the Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Panel	2 nd November 2022
5.	Crime and the fear of crime (O)	Item was considered by the Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Panel	2 nd November 2022
6.	Parking and permits (O)	Parking Enforcement Task Group report circulated to Members	7 th July 2022
7.	Local environment (including landscaping and tree services) (O)	Item due to be considered by the Performance Scrutiny Working Group	24 th November 2022
Living independent, active and healthy lifestyles			
8.	Cost of Living (S)*	Item due to be considered by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee	1 st December 2022
9.	Access to amenities in the Borough (O)		TBC
Finding somewhere to live			
10.	Housing repairs and response times (O)	Item was considered by the Performance Scrutiny Working Group	29 th September 2022
11.	Abandoned homes (O)	Item was considered by the Performance Scrutiny Working Group	29 th September 2022
12.	Condition of the urban environment where Council properties are situated (O)		TBC
Run and grow a successful business			
13.	Business redevelopment (O)		TBC
Aspiration, work and financial independence			
14.	Town centre improvement works (S)	Executive Committee reports were pre-scrutinised at the Overview and Scrutiny Committee meetings	9 th June 2022, 23 rd June 2022, 21 st July 2022 and 6 th October 2022
15.	Educational attainment and young people's aspirations (O)	Skills Development item due to be considered by the Performance Scrutiny Working Group.	24 th November 2022
Additional Overview Item – This item was referred by Full Council for consideration by the O&S Committee			
16.	Bulky Waste Motion	Item due to be considered by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee and decision to be made on whether to launch a Task and Finish Group	1 st December 2022

* It was suggested that the Cost of Living item be considered by the main Committee with the potential to establish a Task Group if agreed by Members.