

CABINET 19 MAY 2011

PROGRESS ON SCRUTINY PROJECTS

Review	Methodology	Type of report	Expected date for report to Cabinet	Comments
HAVS investigations outcome	Challenge Panel	Final report to O&S and Cabinet	July 2011	A draft report has been produced and is being considered by the review group. A final meeting of the review is planned for 26 th April. The report will be considered by the Overview and Scrutiny committee in June.
Standing Review of Better Deal for Residents Programme	Standing Review	Regular update reports to O&S and interim and final report to O&S and Cabinet	<p>The final report from this project will be dependent upon the lifecycle of the Better Deal for Residents programme.</p> <p>A report of the first phase of the project is anticipated for July 2011.</p> <p>The group has agreed to submit quarterly reports to the Overview and Scrutiny committee and an interim report in November 2011.</p>	<p>The first phase of the review has now completed and a draft report has been prepared for submission to the Overview and Scrutiny committee in June.</p> <p>The second phase of the review will consider the efficacy of the programme and its impact on residents, partners and officers.</p>
Performance Management	Light touch review	Final report to O&S and Cabinet	<p>Phase one – April 2011</p> <p>Phase two – September 2011</p>	The report from the first phase of this review was agreed by the Overview and Scrutiny committee on 22 nd February. The second phase will comprise a more detailed consideration of the council's future performance management framework. A project plan for this work was agreed by the group in March.

Standing Review of the Budget	Standing Review	TBC	TBC	The standing review of the budget has been re-commissioned from the previous administration and will commence in May.
Snow clearance	Challenge Panel	TBC	TBC	This review will consider how effectively the Council is responding to the increasingly harsh winter conditions being experienced. <u>At the time of writing this review is still subject to the agreement of the Overview and Scrutiny committee</u>
Engaging with Young People	TBC	TBC	TBC	This review will consider how effectively the Council engages with younger residents. <u>At the time of writing this review is still subject to the agreement of the Overview and Scrutiny committee</u>

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