Business Support Overview and Scrutiny Committee

(Rolling) Work Programme

(Policy framework documents: Council Plan, Sustainable Communities Strategy and Gambling Policy Statement)

Item	Work type	Responsible Officer	Objectives			
22 AUGUST 2019						
Voluntary and Community Sector in Medway	Information item	Director of People - Children and Adults Services	To discuss with representatives from Medway Voluntary Action the Voluntary and Community Sector in Medway.			
Capital and Revenue Budget Monitoring – Quarter 1 2019/20	Budget monitoring	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the Capital and Revenue Budget Monitoring for Quarter 1.			
Council Plan Performance Monitoring 2018/19 - Quarter 4	Council Performance Monitoring	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the Council Plan monitoring report for Quarter 4.			
Housing Allocations Policy	Pre-decision scrutiny	Assistant Director - Physical and Cultural Regeneration/ Head of Strategic Housing	To scrutinise the draft policy prior to consideration by Cabinet.			
24 OCTOBER 2019						
Attendance of the Portfolio Holder for Business Management	Holding to Account	Councillor Turpin	To hold the Portfolio Holder for Business Management to account on performance against his portfolio.			

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Draft Homelessness and Rough Sleeping Strategy	Pre-decision scrutiny	Assistant Director - Physical and Cultural Regeneration/ Head of Strategic Housing	To scrutinise the draft Strategy prior to consideration by Cabinet.		
Council Plan Performance Monitoring and review of Corporate Risk Register – Quarter 1	Council Performance Monitoring	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the Council Plan monitoring and corporate risk register reports for Quarter 1.		
Annual Review of the Risk Management Strategy	Council Performance Monitoring	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the annual review of the Council's Risk Management Strategy.		
28 NOVEMBER 2019					
Attendance of the Portfolio Holder for Resources	Holding to Account	Councillor Gulvin	To hold the Portfolio Holder for Resources to account on performance against his portfolio.		
Council Plan Performance Monitoring and review of Corporate Risk Register – Quarter 2	Council Performance Monitoring	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the Council Plan monitoring and corporate risk register reports for Quarter 2.		
Capital and Revenue Budget Monitoring – Quarter 2	Budget monitoring	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the Capital and Revenue Budget Monitoring for Quarter 2.		
Draft Capital and Revenue Budget 2020/2021	Pre-decision scrutiny	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the draft revenue and capital budgets 2020/2021.		
Procurement Strategy (Annual report)	Information item	Chief Legal Officer	To consider an annual update on the implementation of the Procurement Strategy.		
Housing Enforcement and Licensing Policy	Pre-decision scrutiny	Head of Strategic Housing	To scrutinise the policy before consideration by Cabinet.		

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30 JANUARY 2020						
Attendance of the Deputy Leader and Portfolio Holder for Community Services	Holding to Account	Councillor Doe	To hold the Deputy Leader to account on performance against his portfolio.			
Council Plan Refresh 2020/2021	Council Performance Monitoring	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the proposed refreshed targets and projects.			
Draft Capital and Revenue Budget 2020/2021	Pre-decision scrutiny	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the draft revenue and capital budgets 2020/2021			
Draft Capital and Revenue Budget Proposals 2020/21 (Report back from other Overview and Scrutiny Committees)	Pre-decision scrutiny	Chief Finance Officer	To consider comments and recommendations of all Overview and Scrutiny Committees on the initial budget plan for 2020/21 proposed by Cabinet.			
Housing Revenue Account - Capital and Revenue Budgets 2020/2021	Pre-decision scrutiny	Chief Finance Officer/Head of Strategic Housing	To scrutinise the HRA capital and revenue budgets for 2020/21, including proposed rent and service charge Levels.			
Update on Medway Norse	Information item	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the quarterly update on the Council's joint venture with Medway Norse.			
2 APRIL 2020						
Attendance of the Leader of the Council	Holding to Account	Councillor Jarrett	To hold the Leader to account on performance against his portfolio.			
Council Plan Performance Monitoring and review of Corporate Risk Register – Quarter 3	Council Performance Monitoring	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the Council Plan monitoring and corporate risk register reports for Quarter 3.			
Capital and Revenue Budget Monitoring – Quarter 3	Budget monitoring	Chief Finance Officer	To scrutinise the Capital and Revenue Budget Monitoring for Quarter 3.			

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Universal Credit and Welfare Reforms – Annual Progress Report	Information item	Chief Finance Officer	To consider a progress report regarding Universal Credit and welfare reforms.		
DATE TO BE DETERMINED					
Multi agency response to issues of community concern (TBC)	Member's item		To consider the issue of securing a multi-agency response to issues of community concern so that residents receive timely answers.		

Work completed in 2019/20

4 July 2019

- Council sponsorship of Gillingham F.C.
- Scrutiny of Risk and Commercialisation
- Update on Medway Norse
- Capacity of the Voluntary Sector in Medway
- New Statutory Guidance on Overview and Scrutiny in Local and Combined Authorities
- Petitions
- Work programme