

Scrutiny Work Programme

Meeting Date	Agenda Item	Issue for Main Scrutiny Cttee	Budget	Background/Description	Lead Officer/ Lead Member
2 Dec '14	Task and Finish Report – Civil Contingencies	✓		A report outlining recommendations to be put to District Executive about future arrangements for the Somerset Civil Contingencies Partnership.	Emily McGuinness, Scrutiny Manager
2 Dec '14	Planning Appeals	✓		Following comments made in the Q1 Performance report, members have invited Dave Norris, Development Manager to attend their December meeting to discuss recent appeal decisions and outline what has been learnt from them.	David Norris, Development Manager
2 Dec '14	Somerset Rivers Board			Presentation from Vega Sturgess re; Implications of report.	Vega Sturgess
2 Dec '14	Budget Task and Finish report			Report presenting the outcomes of this Task and Finish Group	Emily McGuinness, Scrutiny Manager
6 Jan '15	Police and Crime Panel (PCP)	✓		Scrutiny Committee has agreed updates on the PCP will be provided twice a year. Cllr Tony Lock (SSDC representative on the Police and Crime Panel) will provide an update report.	Cllr Tony Lock
6 Jan '15	Health Scrutiny			Following the presentation from Ann Reader to Scrutiny, a report suggesting a new approach to Health Scrutiny will be presented to members.	Emily McGuinness, Scrutiny Manager
TBC	Localism – relationship between tiers of local government (County / District / Town and Parish) to ensure effective working	✓		Initial presentation to full Scrutiny Committee on the relevant legislative changes and how SSDC are planning to implement them.	Emily McGuinness, Scrutiny Manager

The Somerset Waste Board and Somerset Waste Partnership Forward Plan of key decisions can be viewed at:
<http://www.somerset.gov.uk/policies-and-plans/plans/cabinet-forward-plan/>

Task & Finish Reviews

Date Commenced	Title	Members
Spring 2014	District specific document following adoption of the Somerset Strategic Housing Framework (Countywide Strategy)	Members involved in the original Task and Finish Group for the Somerset Strategic Housing Framework (Countywide Strategy) were: Sue Steele, Carol Goodall, Derek Yeomans, Graham Middleton.
October 2014	Budget Task and Finish	Sue Steele, Carol Goodall, John Dyke, Paul Maxwell, Sue Osborne, Derek Yeomans, Mike Best, Tim Inglefield, John Calvert, Graham Middleton
Ad-hoc monitoring	Council Tax Benefit Reduction	Carol Goodall, Sue Steele, Dave Bulmer, Sue Osborne Jenny Kenton, David Norris, Colin Winder
On-going monitoring	Somerset Countywide Flooding Summit/ Flooding Steering Group	Dave Bulmer and Sue Steele