report



meeting OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

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Report of the Chair of Overview and Scrutiny

Managing the Programme of Work

Purpose of report

1. To provide the Overview and Scrutiny Committee with an opportunity to review the programme of work.

Background

- 2. The Overview and Scrutiny Committee is responsible for co-ordinating the programme of scrutiny work and allocating topics for scrutiny to topic Select Committees. The Overview and Scrutiny Committee provides an initial question for each review.
- 3. When prioritising topics for scrutiny the Overview and Scrutiny Committee has agreed that reviews should reflect:
 - i. Concern of Members, the Public or Partners
 - ii. Strategic Priorities for the delivery of services and
 - iii. Clear Outcomes to improve performance, value for money or to change the priorities of the Council.

Recommendations

4. It is recommended that

the Overview and Scrutiny Committee agrees the updated programme of work for 2008-09

Councillor E D W Llewellyn-Jones Chair of Overview and Scrutiny

Background papers: nil