

WORK PROGRAMME

Report of the Assistant Director for Legal & Democratic Governance

MATTER FOR CONSIDERATION

The report sets our planned agenda items for the Scrutiny Committee's meeting and Forward Plan items that fall within the remit of the Scrutiny Committee. The agenda items are indicative at this stage and may be subject to change.

RELEVANT ENTRIES IN THE AUGUST 2024 FORWARD PLAN

| Decision Ref | Subject Area for Decision | Expected Decision date | Decision Maker |
|--------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| CF&E9 | Youth Justice Plan | 1 Oct 2024 18 Sep 2024 | Council Cabinet |
| CF&E10 | Project Skyline (GM Children's Homes) | 5 Nov 2024 | Cabinet |
| CF&E11 | Schools Finance Settlement 2025/26 | 4 Feb 2025 | Cabinet |
| CF&E12 | SEND Strategy | 17 Sep 2024 | Cabinet |
| CF&E13 | Children & Young People Plan 2024-27 | 18 Sep 2024 | Cabinet |
| CF&E14 | Stockport Skills Plan | 5 Nov 2024 | Cabinet |

PLANNED/OUTSTANDING AGENDA ITEMS

| Planned Date | Item | Additional Information |
|--------------|--|------------------------|
| 12 Jun 24 | Portfolio Performance and Resources – Draft Portfolio Agreement 2023/24 | |
| | Children, Families & Education Portfolio Performance & Resources: 2023/24 Annual Report | |
| | Expanding SEND Provision – Resource Base Creation at St Paul's CofE/Tithebarn | |
| | School Holiday and Term Dates | |
| | Scrutiny Review Topic Selection 2023/24 | |
| 4 Sept 24 | Children & Young People's Plan | |
| | SEND Strategy | |
| | Stockport Skills Plan | |
| | Youth Justice Plan | |
| 16 Oct 24 | School Readiness Strategy | |
| | Early Help & Startwell Strategy | |
| | Care Leavers Protected Characteristics Implementation Plan | |
| | Responding to our Medium-Term Financial Plan | |
| | Corporate Parenting Strategy and Plan | |
| 27 Nov 24 | Safeguarding Partnership Annual Report | |
| | Virtual Headteacher Annual Report | |
| | Responding to our Medium-Term Financial Plan | |
| | 2024/25 Mid-Year (Q2) Portfolio Performance & Resources Report: Children, Families & Education | |
| | Youth Justice Plan | |

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| 22 Jan 25 | School's Strategy | |
| | Family Hubs | |
| | Anti-Poverty Work – Children's | |
| | Cabinet Response: Responding to Medium Term Financial Plan | |
| 5 Mar 25 | School Attendance Responsibility Guidance | |
| | *School Investment Plan | |
| | Scrutiny Final Report | |

*School Investment Plan – will either be considered at the January or March 2025 meeting

Items to be programmed:-

The Scrutiny Committee are requested to identify any reports/updates they would wish to receive in the forthcoming municipal year so that they can be appropriately programmed.

- Impact of antisemitism and islamophobia in local schools
- Progress on EHCPs – 27 November 2024
- School Investment Plan to include an update on pupil numbers
- Assurance and Response to Complex Safeguarding and Child Exploitation – to be re-scheduled following the GM Mayor's review
- Project Skyline Partnership Agreement

RECOMMENDATION

The Scrutiny Committee is invited to consider the information in the report and put forward any agenda items for future meetings of the Committee.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

There are no background papers.

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