

Corporate Overview and Scrutiny Committee Work Programme April 2011

Issue	Description/Comments	Suggested by	Portfolio Holder	Corporate Priority	Current Position R,A,G	Date for completion
Budget	Consultation group set up to review consultation arrangements for 2011/2012.	Committee	W Fitzgerald	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East – Value for money	The group has met with key officers and Cabinet Members in two consultation sessions to consider the draft revenue and capital proposals for 2011/12. There are no plans to hold any more meetings in the current civic year. The Committee now needs to decide whether it wishes this group to continue in 2011/12 and beyond.	Start date June 2010 and ongoing
Macclesfield Data centre	Derived from the programme to Harmonise and improve ICT facilities across the Council	Committee	W Fitzgerald	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire	ICT Monitoring group appointed by Committee on 15 September	Ongoing

				East – Value for money	2010	
Risk Management	Assess the Council's Risk management arrangements	Committee	D Brown	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East – Value for money	Progress report expected in June 2011	Ongoing
Local Highways and Transport/liaison Committees	Consider setting up local political arrangements to advise/determine local highway and transportation issues	Chairman	R Menlove	The growth and development of a sustainable Cheshire East	Progress report presented to march 2011 meeting. The Committee noted the proposal to involve Ward Members in new arrangements through LAPs to allocate the £350,000 for minor maintenance works	TBA
Libraries Progress Report	Matter referred from Sustainable Communities Committee as a result of the	Sustainable Communities	A Knowles	The growth and development of a sustainable	Progress report presented to March meeting	TBA

	realignment of remits			Cheshire East	relating to the creation of single Council access points in libraries.	
Outsourcing of discretionary Leisure and Cultural Services	Matter referred from Sustainable Communities Committee as a result of the realignment of remits	Sustainable Communities	A Knowles	The growth and development of a sustainable Cheshire East	Awaiting final report to Cabinet on future of lyceum Theatre and Knutsford Cinema expected June 2011.	TBA
Communications Service	Presentation on the structure and range of responsibilities covered by the communications service	Scrutiny Chairs group	D Brown	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East	Delayed until further notice.	TBA
Depot Rationalisation	To monitor the progress of the depot rationalisation programme.This stemmed from the Asset challenge process	Committee	P Mason	The growth and development of a sustainable Cheshire East	Report on today's agenda	TBA
Shared Services	Presentation to raise Member awareness of Shared Service arrangements across Cheshire.	Committee	P Mason	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East	To be subject to periodic monitoring.	Ongoing
Business Generation Centres	Recommend a policy on the future of 4 Council owned Business generation centres	Committee	P Mason/J Macrae	The growth and development of a sustainable Cheshire East	Task and Finish Group set up.. Report on today's agenda.	April 2011

