

Corporate Overview and Scrutiny Committee Work Programme 15 June 2010

<b>Issue</b>	<b>Description/Comments</b>	<b>Suggested by</b>	<b>Portfolio Holder</b>	<b>Corporate Priority</b>	<b>Current Position R,A,G</b>	<b>Date for completion</b>
Grants to Voluntary Organisations	Task and Finish group set up to offer advice to Cabinet on a fair and equitable system of allocating financial support and grants to the Voluntary and Community sector.	Committee	D Brown	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East	Current review suspended to allow an officer working group to pull together a full picture of existing commitments from the demised authorities. The Committee to receive a progress report in the summer. This matter will now transfer to Sustainable Communities	July 2010
Budget	Consultation group set up to review consultation arrangements for 2011/2012.	Committee	F Keegan	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East – Value for money	The group guided the 2010/2011 consultation process, but its main body of work will be to determine consultation	April 2010

					arrangements in subsequent years. The group is due to meet again on Friday 18 June	
Sustainable Community Strategy	Sustainable Communities, will now take the lead	Head of Policy and Performance	D Brown	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East – Value for money	No action required Delete from this work programme	N/A
LAP's	Sustainable Communities will now take the lead	Committee	D Brown	Cheshire East people and communities empowered through local services and personal choice	No action required Delete from this work programme	N/A
Corporate Plan	Sustainable Communities will now take the lead	Committee	D Brown	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East – Value for money	No action required Delete from this work programme	April 2010
Local Development Framework	Sustainable Communities will now take the lead	Chairman	D Brown	The growth and development of a sustainable Cheshire East.	No action required Delete from this work programme	TBA
Video recording of Council Meetings	Should the Council invest in providing broadcast facilities.	Question at Council	F Keegan	Building a new Council	The Committee considered interim report based upon	N/A

					experience of C & N ,recommended that no action be taken until the long term meeting arrangements known	
Start Time of Committee meetings	Some members in employment had problems with morning meetings. A request was received to review start times	Leader of the Council	F Keegan	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East	Recommended that majority of Committee meetings begin at 2.00pm.Majority of committee chairmen not taken on board and most meetings remain in the morning	N/A
Cheshire East Culture	Part of the transformation agenda to inculcate a new 'Cheshire East Culture'	Committee	F Keegan	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East – Value for money	No action taken to date	Ongoing
ICT harmonisation and Improvement	Harmonisation and improvement ICT facilities across the Council	Committee	F Keegan	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East – Value for money	Presentation received by the Committee in November 2010	Ongoing
Risk	Assess the Council's Risk	Committee	D Brown	Being an excellent	No action to date.	Ongoing

Management	management arrangements			Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East – Value for money	Update required from Head of Audit	
Local 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	New item not yet prioritised	Ongoing
Libraries Progress Report	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	New item not yet prioritised	TBA
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	New item not yet prioritised	TBA
Legal Services	Presentation on the structure and range of responsibilities covered by the legal service	Scrutiny Chairs group	F Keegan	Being an excellent Council and working with others-to truly deliver in Cheshire East	New item not yet prioritised	13 July 2010
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	New item not yet prioritised	TBA
Assets register	Presentation on the assets register and the 'assets	Committee	P Mason	The growth and development of a	Not yet prioritised	13 July 2010

	Challenge' process			sustainable Cheshire East		
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### **Items to Monitor or consider at future Meetings**

Review of It provision and support for members  
 Sport 2012 Olympics  
 Leisure Centre Management  
 Events  
 Future of Council Owned farms  
 Procurement  
 Shared Services

