Corporate Overview and Scrutiny Committee Work Programme 17 April 2012

Issue	Description/Comments	Suggested by	Portfolio Holder as at October 2011	Corporate Priority	Current Position R,A,G	Date for completion
Budget	Consultation group set up to review consultation arrangements for 2011/2012.	Committee	Resources	Nurture Strong Communities	Budget Task Group to continue in the new civic year with open invitations for each of the other O&S Committees to send a representative.	Start date June 2012 and ongoing
Business Generation Centres	Review the formal response of Cabinet and subsequent actions	Portfolio Holder	Prosperity	Create Conditions for Business growth	Formal Cabinet response received January 2012. Actions to be reviewed in 6 months time.	July 2012
Mayoralty/Civic arrangements in Cheshire East	Review procedures and support for the mayoralty and arrangements for civic duties.	Portfolio Holder	Resources	Nurture Strong Communities	To determine whether any action is required in respect of this matter.	17 April 2012
Procurement	To review procurement arrangements in Cheshire to	Portfolio Holder	Procurement and Shared Services	Nurture Strong Communities	Presentation received on 4	TBA

	ensure that the Council is achieving best value.				October 2011. No further action planned at the moment but the situation to be kept under review.	
Shared Services	The Committee received a presentation on the latest position with regard to shared services and the possible creation of a Separate legal entity for certain core services on 1 November 2011	Portfolio Holder	Procurement and Shared Services	Nurture Strong Communities	A joint meeting is due to be held with this colleagues in Cheshire West and Chester in April/May 2012	TBA
Future Political Management arrangements in Cheshire East	To review the range of options likely to be available to local authorities in the Localism Bill in respect political management structures	The Committee	Resources	Nurture Strong Communities	The Joint working Group has now held 2 meetings and is exploring options	ТВА
Temporary Agency Staff Contract	To be consulted on the procurement of temporary agency staff – a joint arrangement with Cheshire West and Chester Council.	The Committee	Procurement and Shared Services	Nurture Strong Communities	Report on considered on 25 November 2011. The matter to be reviewed in 6	12 June 2012

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