

Appendix B (4) – Comparison of overview and scrutiny functions at similarly sized unitary authorities

Authority	Resident population	No. of elected councillors	Committees	Committee membership
Cheshire East Council	378,800	82	Children and Families OSC	12 members + 2 co-optees
			Corporate OSC	12 members
			Environment and Regeneration OSC	12 members
			Health and Adult Social Care and Communities OSC	15 members

Cornwall Council	561,300	123	Children and Families OSC	15 members, 2 co-optees
			Customer and Support Services OSC	15 members
			Economic Growth and Development OSC	15 members
			Health and Adult Social Care OSC	15 members
			Neighbourhoods OSC	15 members
Durham County Council	523,000	126	Adults, Wellbeing and Health OSC	21 members, 2 co-optees
			Children and Young People's OSC	21 members, 4 church reps, 3 school governor reps, 2 co-optees
			Corporate Overview and Scrutiny Management Board	26 members, 4 faith reps, 3 parent governor reps
			Economy and Enterprise OSC	21 members, 2 co-optees
			Environment and Sustainable Communities OSC	21 members, 2 co-optees
			Safeter and Stronger Communities OSC	21 members, 2 co-optees
Wiltshire Council	496,000	98	Children's Select Committee	13 members
			Environment Select Committee	13 members
			Health Select Committee	13 members
			Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee	15 members
Bristol City Council	459,300	70	Adults, Children and Education Scrutiny Commission	11 members
			Communities Scrutiny Commission	11 members
			Growth and Regeneration Scrutiny Commission	11 members
			Overview and Scrutiny Management Board	11 members
			Resources Scrutiny Commission	11 members

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Leicester City Council	353,500	54	Adult Social Care Scrutiny Commission	7 members
			Children, Young People and Schools Scrutiny Commission	7 members + co-optees
			Economic Development, Transport and Tourism Scrutiny Commission	8 members
			Health and Wellbeing Scrutiny Commission	7 members
			Heritage, Culture, Leisure and Sport Scrutiny Commission	7 members
			Housing Scrutiny Commission	8 members
			Neighbourhood Services and Community Involvement Scrutiny Commission	7 members
East Riding of Yorkshire Council	338,100	67	Children and Young People Sub-Committee	12 + 2 co-optees
			Environment and Regeneration Sub-Committee	12 members
			Health, Care and Wellbeing Sub-Committee	12 members
			Overview Management Committee	12 members
			Safer and Stronger Communities Sub-Committee	12 + 3 co-optees
Cheshire West and Chester Council	338,000	75	Cheshire West and Chester Overview and Scrutiny Committee	10 members
			People Overview and Scrutiny Committee	9 members + co-optees
			Places Overview and Scrutiny Committee	9 members
Northumberland County Council	319,000	67	Communities and Place OSC	10 members
			Corporate Services and Economic Growth OSC	10 members
			Family and Children's Services OSC	9 members
			Health and Wellbeing OSC	10 members