# Agenda Item 8



**Policy and Scrutiny** 

| Open Report on behalf of Richard Wills,             |
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| <b>Director responsible for Democratic Services</b> |

Report to: Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee

Date: 28 April 2016

Subject: Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2015-16

## **Summary:**

This item enables the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee to consider a draft of the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2015-16.

### **Actions Required:**

- 1. To consider and comment on a draft of the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2015-16.
- 2. To agree the submission of the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2015-16, with or without amendment, to the meeting of the County Council on 20 May 2016 for final approval.

#### 1. Background

Every year a report is prepared outlining the work of the Overview and Scrutiny function over the last year and highlighting key areas of scrutiny for the year ahead. The report is considered in draft form by the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee before a final version is put before the Annual Meeting of the Council for approval.

#### 2. Conclusion

That consideration is given to the content of this report.

#### 3. Consultation

## a) Policy Proofing Actions Required

This item does not require Policy Proofing.

#### 4. Appendices

| These are listed below and attached at the back of the report |   |
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| Appendix A  | Draft Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2015-16 |

## 5. Background Papers

No background papers within Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972 were used in the preparation of this report.

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