

Open Report on behalf of Andrew Crookham	, Executive Director – Resources
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Report to: Environment and Economy Scrutiny Committee

Date: **17 January 2023** 

Subject: Environment and Economy Scrutiny Committee Work Programme

#### **Summary:**

This item enables the Committee to consider and comment on the content of its work programme for the year to ensure that scrutiny activity is focused where it can be of greatest benefit. The work programme will be reviewed at each meeting of the Committee to ensure that its contents are still relevant and will add value to the work of the Council and partners.

## **Actions Required:**

Members of the Committee are invited to review the work programme and highlight any additional scrutiny activity which could be included for consideration in the work programme.

#### 1. Background

Overview and Scrutiny should be positive, constructive, independent, fair and open. The scrutiny process should be challenging, as its aim is to identify areas for improvement. Scrutiny activity should be targeted, focused and timely and include issues of corporate and local importance, where scrutiny activity can influence and add value.

All members of overview and scrutiny committees are encouraged to bring forward important items of community interest to the committee whilst recognising that not all items will be taken up depending on available resource.

Members are encouraged to highlight items that could be included for consideration in the work programme.

# 2. Work Programme

17 January 2023					
	Item	Contributor			
1.	Revenue and Capital Budget Proposals 2023/24	Keith Noyland, Head of Finance, Communities			
	[Pre-decision Scrutiny] (Executive Decision – February 2023 and County Council Decision February 2023)				
2.	Household Waste Recycling Centre (HWRC) Operational Contract Procurement [Pre-decision Scrutiny] (Executive Councillor 23 <sup>rd</sup> - 27 <sup>th</sup> January 2023)	Mike Reed, Head of Waste			
3.	Economic Infrastructure Development Land Sales Strategy	Simon Wright, Regeneration and Portfolio Manager, Economic Infrastructure Emma McCudden-Woodcock, Regeneration Team Leader, Economic Infrastructure			

	28 February 2023				
	Item	Contributor			
1.	Service Level Performance Reporting Against the Performance Framework 2022 – 2023 – Quarter 3:	Samantha Harrison, Head of Economic Development Chris Miller, Head of Environment Mike Reed, Head of Waste			
2.	The role of LEPs and the relationship with LCC following government guidance	Justin Brown, Assistant Director – Growth			
3.	Labour market trends in Lincolnshire and the county council's response	James Baty, Policy and Research Executive Manager Thea Croxall, Adult Learning & Skills Manager			
4.	Local Electric Vehicle Infrastructure (LEVI) pilot	Vanessa Strange, Head of Infrastructure Investment Tanya Vaughan, Senior Commissioning Officer			
5.	Visitor economy -situation 2022, prospects for 2023, and the county council's response	Samantha Harrison, Head of Economic Development Mary Powell, Place & Investment Manager			
6.	Energy Options Analysis for Greater Lincolnshire -Interim Report  Mick King, Head of Economic Infrastructure Johanna Rhoades, Project Officer – Utilities				

11 April 2023				
	Item	Contributor		
1.	Business Premises Portfolio Performance	Simon Wright, Regeneration and Portfolio Manager, Economic Infrastructure Kelly Owbridge-Tasker, Portfolio Team Leader, Economic Infrastructure		
2.	Theddlethorpe Geological Disposal Facility Working Group – 6 Monthly Update  Justin Brown, Assistant Director Growth			
3.	Horncastle industrial estate extension	Mick King, Head of Economic Infrastructure		
		Ian Walker, Infrastructure Team Manager		
4.	Sutton Bridge place-making SchemeGH	Hayley Redford, Project Officer – Economic Infrastructure		
		Mick King, Head of Economic Infrastructure		
		Ian Walker, Infrastructure Team Manager		
5.	Waste Engagement Initiatives	Mike Reed, Head of Waste		
6.	Update to Paper and Card Waste Collection Project	Mike Reed, Head of Waste		

	30 May 2023			
	Item	Contributor		
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	11 July 2023					
	ltem	Contributor				
1.	Service Level Performance Reporting Against the Performance Framework 2022 - 2023 – Quarter 4:	Samantha Harrison, Head of Economic Development Chris Miller, Head of Environment Mike Reed, Head of Waste				
2.	Adult Skills & Family Learning Programme 2022/23- Annual Position Report	Thea Croxall, Adult Learning & Skills Manager- Economic Development				
3.	Growth Hub Annual Performance 2022 and future plans for business support initiatives -23 - Annual Position Report	Samantha Harrison Head of Economic Development Angela Driver Enterprise Growth Manager - Economic Development				

	12 September 2023				
	ltem	Contributor			
1.	Service Level Performance Reporting Against the Performance Framework 2023 - 2024 – Quarter 1:	Samantha Harrison, Head of Economic Development Chris Miller, Head of Environment Mike Reed, Head of Waste			
2.	Energy Option Analysis for Greater Lincolnshire Final Report, Outcomes, and Next Steps	hire Final Report, Outcomes, and Johanna Rhoades, Project Officer – Utilities			
3.	Provision of careers advice to all age groups in Lincolnshire	Thea Croxall, Adult Learning & Skills Manager Clare Hughes, Employment and Skills Executive Manager			

23 October 2023			
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28 November 2023					
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1. Service Level Performance Against the Performance 2023 - 2024 - Quarter 2:		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			

## 3. Items to be Programmed<sup>1</sup>

- Alternative Fuels
- Climate Change Impact
- Elements of Environment Act (2022-2023)
- Green Technology Grant
- Historic Places Team Strategy
- Lincolnshire Reservoir Progress Updates
- Local Nature Recovery Strategy (inc. Greater Lincolnshire Nature Partnership Update)
- Property Green Agenda potential guest presentation facilitated by Sustainability
- Recycling and Food Waste Collection
- Verge Biomass Management
- Waste Performance Targets Setting of Targets
- Planning Reform & the Levelling Up Bill
- Draft Lincolnshire Minerals and Waste Local Plan: Preferred Approach [Pre-decision Scrutiny] (Executive Decision 5 Dec 2024)

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In alphabetic order.

## 4. Conclusion

Members of the Committee are invited to review and comment on the work programme and highlight any additional scrutiny activity which could be included for consideration in the work programme.

#### 5. Consultation

# a) Risks and Impact Analysis

N/A

# 6. Appendices

These are listed below and attached at the back of the report		
Appendix A	Forward Plan of Decisions relating to the Environment and Economy Scrutiny Committee.	

# 7. 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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# Forward Plan of Decisions relating to the Environment and Economy Scrutiny Committee

MATTERS FOR DECISION	DATE OF DECISION	DECISION MAKER	PEOPLE/GROUPS CONSULTED PRIOR TO DECISION	HOW AND WHEN TO COMMENT PRIOR TO THE DECISION BEING TAKEN	KEY DECISION YES/NO	DIVISIONS AFFECTED
Household Waste Recycling Centre Operational Contract Procurement [1026109]	23 -27 January 2023	Executive Councillor for Waste and Trading Standards	Environment and Economy Scrutiny Committee	Head of Waste E-mail: mike.reed@lincolnshire.gov.uk	Yes	All Divisions.
Revenue and Capital Budget Proposals 2023/24	Executive Decision – February 2022 and County Council Decision February 2022	Executive & County Council	Environment and Economy Scrutiny Committee	Head of Finance E-mail: keith.noyland@lincolnshire.gov.uk	Yes	All Divisions.
Draft Lincolnshire Minerals and Waste Local Plan: Preferred Approach [1028138]	5 Dec 2024	Executive	Environment and Economy Scrutiny Committee	Minerals and Waste Policy and Compliance Manager E-mail: adrian.winkley@lincolnshire.gov.uk	No	All Divisions