



**Open Report on behalf of Andrew Crookham, Executive Director - Resources**

Report to:	<b>County Council</b>
Date:	<b>15 September 2023</b>
Subject:	<b>Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2022-23</b>

**Summary:**

This report invites the County Council to consider and approve the Annual Report for Overview and Scrutiny for 2022-23.

**Recommendation(s):**

To approve the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2022-23.

**1. Background**

Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2022-23

The Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2022-23 is attached at Appendix A to this report.

The Annual Report is an opportunity to highlight the scrutiny work that has taken place throughout the last council year. The report focuses on the key successes and achievements of Overview and Scrutiny over the 12-month period May 2022 to May 2023.

**2. Conclusion**

The Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2022-23 provides an opportunity to consider the work of the Overview and Scrutiny function and the County Council is invited to approve this year's report.

**3. Legal Comments:**

The Report introduces for approval the Annual Scrutiny Report. Overview and Scrutiny is an important aspect of the Council's functions and the report enables the Council to assess the carrying out of this function in the last year. The matter is within the remit of the full Council.

**4. Resource Comments:**

There are no financial implications arising from acceptance of the recommendation in this report.

**5. Consultation****a) Has Local Member Been Consulted?**

Not Applicable

**b) Has Executive Councillor Been Consulted?**

Not Applicable

**c) Scrutiny Comments**

On 24 August 2023, the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board endorsed the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2022-23 for submission to the County Council.

**d) Risks and Impact Analysis**

Not Applicable

**6. Appendices**

These are listed below and attached at the back of the report

Appendix A	Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2022-23
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**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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