

Scrutiny Standing Panel Agenda



Safer, Cleaner, Greener Scrutiny Standing Panel Tuesday, 10th January, 2012

Place: Committee Room 1, Civic Offices, High Street, Epping

Time: 7.30 pm

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Members:

Councillors Mrs M Sartin (Chairman), Mrs C Pond (Vice-Chairman), K Avey, W Breare-Hall, Mrs T Cochrane, Ms Y Knight, A Mitchell MBE, G Mohindra, P Spencer and Mrs E Webster

SUBSTITUTE NOMINATION DEADLINE:

18:30

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS (COUNCIL MINUTE 39 - 23.7.02)

(Assistant to the Chief Executive) To report the appointment of any substitute members for the meeting.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

(Assistant to the Chief Executive). To declare interests in any items on the agenda.

In considering whether to declare a personal or a prejudicial interest under the Code of Conduct, Overview & Scrutiny members are asked pay particular attention to paragraph 11 of the Code in addition to the more familiar requirements.

This requires the declaration of a personal and prejudicial interest in any matter before an OS Committee which relates to a decision of or action by another Committee or Sub Committee of the Council, a Joint Committee or Joint Sub Committee in which the Council is involved and of which the Councillor is also a member.

Paragraph 11 does not refer to Cabinet decisions or attendance at an OS meeting purely for the purpose of answering questions or providing information on such a matter.

4. NOTES OF THE LAST MEETING (Pages 5 - 10)

To agree the notes of the last meeting held on 17th October 2011.

5. TERMS OF REFERENCE AND WORK PROGRAMME (Pages 11 - 16)

(Chairman/Lead Officer) The Overview and Scrutiny Committee has agreed the Terms of Reference of this Panel and associated Work Programme, which is attached. The Panel are asked at each meeting to review both documents.

6. CCTV ACTION PLAN - HALF YEARLY REPORT (Pages 17 - 24)

(Director Environment and Street Scene)To consider the attached report.

RECOMMENDATION:

To note and comment on the progress on the CCTV 5 year Service Plan.

7. ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITIES (Pages 25 - 26)

(Director Environment and Street Scene)To consider the attached report.

RECOMMENDATION:

To note the update on the Safer Cleaner Greener Strategy enforcement activities for 01/04/2011 – 30/09/2011.

8. SAFER CLEANER GREENER ACTION PLAN - 3RD QUARTER PROGRESS (Pages 27 - 28)

RECOMMENDATION:

To note and comment on the progress of the SCG Action Plan, as at 31 December 2011

9. SAFER CLEANER GREENER ACTION PLAN FOR 2012-2013 (Pages 29 - 30)

To note the proposed Action Plan for 2012 – 2013.

10. ESSEX WASTE PLAN

Report to follow.

11. GREEN AND CARBON REDUCTION MEASURES (Pages 31 - 40)

Recommendation:

That the updates on the Councils Green agenda be noted.

Climate Change Strategy

In replacement of the outdated Climate Change Strategy, a draft Carbon Strategy has been sent to members of the Green Corporate Working Party for comments. The attached draft takes into account the comments received so far.

Nottingham Declaration

The Council took part in a consultation on the new Nottingham Declaration, which was sent to local authorities for comments between August and September 2011. Following the consultation, the Nottingham Declaration Partnership and the Local Government Association will be working together to launch a new initiative called "Climate Local – a local commitment to action on climate change".

It is likely that the new initiative will see local authorities signing up to a minimum list of common targets, with a number of further targets that councils will have the option of taking on in addition. Further information will follow as the initiative develops in 2012.

12. INTER AUTHORITY AGREEMENT WORKING GROUP MINUTES - FOR 30 AUGUST 2011 (Pages 41 - 46)

To note the attached minutes of the IAA Working Group dated 30 August 2011.

13. WASTE MANAGEMENT PARTNERSHIP BOARD - MINUTES 10 OCTOBER 2011 (Pages 47 - 52)

To note the minutes of the Waste Management Partnership Board meeting held on 10 October 2011.

14. REPORTS TO BE MADE TO THE NEXT MEETING OF THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

To consider which reports are ready to be submitted to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee at its next meeting.

15. BOBBINGWORTH LIAISON GROUP MEETING NOTES (Pages 53 - 58)

To note the draft set of minutes from the Bobbingworth Former Landfill Site Local Liaison Group meeting held on 2 November 2011.

16. FUTURE MEETINGS

The next scheduled meeting of the Panel is on Tuesday 21 February 2012 at 7.00p.m. in Committee Room 1, and thereafter on:

Tuesday 10 April at 7.00p.m. in Committee Room 1.