

**Request by Member for Scrutiny Review  
2014/15 Work Programme**



Please complete the form below to request consideration of your issue by the  
Overview and Scrutiny Committee

<b>Proposers Name:</b> Steven Neville	<b>Date of Request</b> 24/9/14
<b>Supporting Councillors (if any):</b> Brian Surtees Louise Mead	
<b>Summary of Issue you wish to be scrutinised:</b>  After a Public Health England Report illustrated the worrying finding that levels of particulate pollution in Epping Forest are attributable to 6% of all deaths, and to explore the reason why we have relatively high levels of such deaths compared most local authorities in Essex as well as more general effects on peoples health as a result of particulate pollution and what action may be taken by EFDC in formulating its plans and policies to reduce this problem.	
<b>NOTE: ENTRIES BELOW RELATE TO ISSUE CATEGORIES OF THE PICK PROCESS. PLEASE REFER TO THE EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THIS FORM FOR FURTHER INFORMATION</b>	
<b>Public Interest Justification:</b> Cost to economy of ill health due to air pollution. Deaths caused by air pollution in Epping Forest. The Public Health England Report says we have the second highest percentage rate of air pollution related deaths in Essex.	

**Impact on the social, economic and environmental well-being of the area:**  
The cost to people's health and general well being. Hours lost to air pollution related sickness.

**Council Performance in this area (if known: Red, Amber, Green):**  
No monitoring is done of particulate air pollution. The Council relies on government background data.

**Keep in Context (are other reviews taking place in this area?)**  
Not in Epping Forest.

**Office Use:**

**Pick score:**

**Considered By OSCC:**