Overview and Scrutiny Committee

2023/2024 draft work programme

Date	Publishing	Topics	Type of item	Speakers
21 June	13 June	OSC work programme 2023/24	Scrutiny business	Jodie Kloss (Senior Democratic Services Officer)
		 Customer Experience Strategy 	Service performance	 Liam Hornsby (Associate Director of Corporate and Customer Services), Michelle Carty (CSC Operations)
		Report-it update	Service performance	Lee Anderson (Digital Improvement Manager)
19 July	11 July	Council Plan and performance update (Quarter 4 2022/23)	Performance and delivery monitoring	 Liam Hornsby (Associate Director of Corporate and Customer Services), Lee Pound (Executive Head of HR and OD), Claire Dow (Intelligence, Performance and Improvement Lead)
		Establishment of task group - housing	Review of outside organisations	Jodie Kloss (Senior Democratic Services Officer)
20 September	12 September	Council Plan and performance update (Quarter 1 2023/24)	Performance and delivery monitoring	 Liam Hornsby (Associate Director of Corporate and Customer Services), Lee Pound (Executive Head of HR and OD), Claire Dow ((Intelligence, Performance and Improvement Lead)

		 Spotlight on service delivery – waste and recycling. 	Service performance	Associate Director of Environment and Service Delivery Leads
		 Local response to the cost-of-living crisis 	 Review of outside organisations and partnerships 	Representatives from Citizens' Advice, W3RT and Elim Church
18 October	10 October	SLM contract update	Service performance	Paul Stacey (Associate Director of Environment), Semeta Bloomfield (Community Commissioning Lead), Julietta Federico (Contract and Relationship Manager)
		Executive-Scrutiny protocol	Scrutiny business	Jodie Kloss (Senior Democratic Services Officer)
15 November	7 November	Update on hospital development	 Review of outside organisations and partnerships 	Representatives from WHTHT
		Watford Business Park	Service review	 Lauren Sharkey (Property Development Project Manager), Peter Hall (Associate Director of Property and Asset Management)
		Establishment of task group	Policy development	Jodie Kloss (Senior Democratic Services Officer)
13 December	5 December	 Council Plan and performance update (Quarter 2 2023/24) 	Performance and delivery	Liam Hornsby (Associate Director of Customer and Corporate Services), Lee Pound (Executive Head of HR and OD), Claire Dow (Intelligence, Performance and)

			monitoring	Improvement Lead)
		 Spotlight on service delivery – street cleansing 	Service performance	Associate Director for Environment and Service delivery leads
31 January	23 January	Update on recommendations of Sustainability Strategy Task Group	Scrutiny business	Alan Gough (Director of Partnerships), Susheel Rao (Sustainability Officer)
		 Update on recommendations of the Sustainable Transport Strategy Task Group 	Scrutiny business	Ben Martin (Associate Director of Planning, Infrastructure and Economy)
		Update on the Electric Vehicle Task Group	Scrutiny business	 Ben Martin (Associate Director of Planning, Infrastructure and Economy)
		 Performance of the high street 	 Review of outside organisations and partnerships 	Representatives of the BID and Atria
21 February	13 February	Community Safety Partnership	Review of outside organisations and partnerships	Liam Fitzgerald (Community Safety Manager) and CSP partners
		Task group final report	Scrutiny business	Jodie Kloss (Senior Democratic Services Officer)

13 March	7 March	Council Plan and performance update (Quarter 3 2023/24)	Performance and delivery monitoring	 Liam Hornsby (Associate Director of Customer and Corporate Services), Lee Pound (Executive Head of HR and OD), Claire Dow (Intelligence, Performance and Improvement Lead)
		Spotlight on service delivery	Service performance	Associate Director and Service Delivery Leads (TBC)

Other items for longer-term planning:

- Briefing on the Parking Service and contract (arranged for October 2023)
- Recruitment and retention at WBC
- Update on the BID
- Visit Herts
- Shared services (St Albans/ Three Rivers)
- Voluntary Sector Commissioning Framework (End of Year Report 2022-2023)
- Neighbourhood Locality Fund process review (2024/25)
- Review of CCTV service (2024/25)
- Affinity Water