

Scrutiny Committee Forward Plan 2023/24

Work for scoping and/or allocation to the Forward Plan

Proposed date	Topic
11 January 2024	Joint Scrutiny and Overview budget meeting (9:00am – 5:00pm)
1 February 2024	Interim update on progress with S.106 and CIL Resources and Processes
1 February 2024	Portfolio Holder report on Finance and Assets (scope to be agreed)
1 February 2024	Portfolio Holder report on Sustainable Homes & Communities (scope to be agreed)
1 February 2024	Report on car parks review (following consideration by Cabinet)
7 March 2024	Report on future direction regarding grass cutting and re-naturing (Portfolio Holder Coast, Country and Environment) (agreed at October 2023 meeting)
7 March 2024	Portfolio Holder report on Strategic Planning (scope to be agreed)
7 March 2024	Portfolio Holder report on Climate Action and Emergency Response (scope to be agreed)
4 April 2024	Portfolio Holder report on Coast Country and Environment (scope to be agreed)
4 April 2024	Portfolio Holder report on Council and Corporate Co-ordination (scope to be agreed)
June 2024	Portfolio Holder report on Culture Leisure Sport & Tourism (scope to be agreed)
Late summer 2024	Report on progress with S.106 and CIL Resources and Processes
Dates to be confirmed	
TBC	Report from MPs setting out their actions on requiring improvements from South West Water (response from Richard Foord MP awaited)
TBC	Invitation to SWW CEO to attend a Scrutiny Committee meeting to answer questions. A report from SWW to be requested in advance of the

	meeting setting out the issues, when they were first identified and what actions have been taken (agreed at October 2023 meeting)
TBC	Proposal from Mid Devon DC Scrutiny Committee regarding a joint review into the planning controls and regulatory requirements associated with the bio-energy industry within Devon, in particular anaerobic digesters. Note: no response was received from MDCC with regard to their proposal; this to be followed up again and detailed scoping required
TBC	Review of effectiveness of Blackdown House in terms of fit for purpose for both employees and Members – proposal form from Councillors and scoping required
TBC	Devon County Council's flood event report
Correspondence regarding Scrutiny Committee topics	
Date received	Details