OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY SUB-COMMITTEE

Functions

General

Undertake such functions or tasks as are allocated by O&S Committee

Receive recommendations from STGs and forward to Cabinet, Council, committee or the appropriate body (including commissioning boards)

Scrutiny

Where requested by O&S Committee, consider call-ins¹ and decide appropriate action (including the establishment of STGs) and carry out any other actions covered by the Overview and Scrutiny Rules

Where requested by O&S Committee, consider a STG report/recommendations in respect of a councillor call for action or petition

Question Cabinet Members, committees, the Chief Executive, Executive Directors, Directors or representatives under joint arrangements regarding decisions taken, service delivery, initiatives or projects

Question, call for and gather evidence from any external person or organisation (with their consent) in order to carry out the scrutiny process

Make reports and recommendations to Cabinet, Council, a committee or an external body arising from the outcome of the scrutiny process

Policy review and development

Receive and comment on plans, strategies and budget proposals that comprise the Budget and Policy Framework²

Contribute to the monitoring, review and ongoing improvement of services provided either directly by the Authority or on behalf of the Authority

Monitor the implementation of any O&S recommendations accepted by Cabinet, Council or other bodies

Crime and disorder

Consider any crime and disorder matters³

² In accordance with Rule # Budget & Policy Framework Rules (see Part 4#)

¹ Rule # Overview & Scrutiny Rules (see Part 4#)

³ Under s# Police and Justice Act 2006 the Authority must specify a committee to deal with such matters