

Overview and Scrutiny Committee

10 October 2012

Consideration of the scrutiny task group report – Events Submission

1. Why has this come to scrutiny?

- 1.1 Under the new scrutiny arrangements, final reports from the scrutiny task groups come to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee (O&S) before putting their recommendations to Cabinet or Council. The O&S committee are asked to endorse the report and make any comments.
- 1.2 The O&S committee will be able to review the report of the task group and satisfy themselves that the original terms of reference they set for the task group have been met and make any general comments on the report.
- 1.3 When the task group report is sent to Cabinet, it will be supported by an officer covering report which will set out the implications should Cabinet decide to accept the recommendations of the task group. This report follows the standard template for all Cabinet reports. A covering report has been drafted by officers and is included in these papers for information.

2. Points to note on this report

- 2.1 It has been noted that there needs to be some further work before the task group recommendations go to Cabinet. In particular the agencies who would be potentially involved in the Events Consultation Group, recommended in the report, need to be consulted and give their views. This has not been completed in time for this meeting but the task group were keen to seek the views of the O&S committee in time for the report to be considered by the November Cabinet.

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