

COMMISSION'S WORK PROGRAMME AND CABINET FORWARD PLAN

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What is the Commission being asked to do?

- 1 The Commission is asked to:
 - i) Note the update on the Work Programme;
 - ii) Identify any topics from the Cabinet Forward Plan that require review by the Commission as a future meeting, ahead of any item scheduled for consideration by Cabinet: and
 - iii) Note the current position with regards to the Task and Finish Groups.

Task and Finish Groups

- 2 The Committee is permitted (under the Constitution) to establish four Task and Finish Groups at any one time (not including joint Task and Finish Groups).
- 3 The current position regarding the established Task and Finish Groups are as follows:

- **Remaking the River Wye Task and Finish Group**

The Task and Finish Group last met on 30 January 2018 and an update was provided by the Chairman, Councillor Hugh McCarthy, to the Improvement and Review Commission at its meeting on 14 March 2018. It was noted that an economic assessment was currently being undertaken the outcome of which was expected to be available at the end of July 2018. It was expected that the Group would meet as soon as this information was available.

Anti-Social Behaviour in the District Task and Finish Group

The Task and Finish Group most recent previous meetings were held on 10 May 2018 and 14 June 2018. The Chairman would provide an update to the Commission.

- **Budget Task and Finish Group**

Arrangements for the first phase of the Budget Task and Finish Group are to be agreed. The Task & Finish Group would be established once a draft budget is nearing completion, estimated to be around October 2018.

Proposed new Review Topics

- 4 If at any time Commission Members wish to suggest further topics for the Commission's consideration then please complete and return the new Work Programme Suggest Form (**Appendix A**) to the Democratic Services section for consideration at a future meeting of the Commission.

Scrutiny Work Programme

- 5 For items coming to meetings of the Commission that are not the subject of a Task and Finish Group, please see the table in **(Appendix B)**, the current active Task and Finish Groups are also featured in the Gantt chart at the end.

Cabinet Forward Plan

- 6 The Commission is also asked to consider the Cabinet Forward Plan published May 2018 **(Appendix C)**. The purpose of submitting the Forward Plan to the Commission is so that Members can review forthcoming items and highlight any reports that the Commission would like to consider ahead of Cabinet consideration.