

Select Committee on Environment – 23rd June 2009

Work Programme for 2009/10

Report of the Lead Officer

Purpose of Report

1. To consider a Work Programme for the Select Committee for 2009/10.

Background

- 2. It has previously been agreed as a matter of good practice, by Select Committee Chairmen, that Select Committees should identify a modest number of key priorities to form the basis of their Work Programmes. This is to ensure that members have sufficient time to scrutinise issues in detail whilst retaining some flexibility to add additional items to the Programme as they arise during the course of the year.
- 3. Members at their meeting in March 2009 identified the following issues:-

ITEM		MEETING	DIRECTORATE
•	Food Service Plan	June 2009	Urban Environment
•	Presentation on the Work of the Pest Control Team	June 2009	Urban Environment
•	Work Programme	June 2009	Law, Property and Human Resources
•	Quarterly Reports on Corporate Performance Management	June and November 2009, January and March, 2010	Law, Property and Human Resources
•	Appointment of Working Groups	June 2009	Law, Property and Human Resources
•	Equality and Diversity	June 2009	Finance, ICT & Procurement
•	Drainage Report	September 2009	Urban Environment
•	Annual Report of the Committee to Council	September 2009	Law, Property and Human Resources
•	Final Evaluation of the North Dudley Gardening Initiative	September 2009	Adult, Community & Housing Services.

•	Food Service Plan Progress	November 2009	Urban Environment
•	Update of the Council's Capital Strategy	November 2009	Finance, ICT & Procurement
•	Tenancy and Estate Management – Patch-Working	November 2009	Adult, Community & Housing Services.
•	Air Quality Management Progress	January 2010	Urban Environment
•	Proposed Revenue Budget 2009/10	March 2010	Finance, ICT & Procurement
•	Outline Work Programme 2009/10	March 2010	Law and Property
•	Equality and Diversity Action Plan Report	March 2010	Finance, ICT & Procurement
•	Choice Based Lettings – Points to Banding	March 2010	Adult, Community & Housing Services

Finance

4. There are no immediate financial implications arising from this report.

<u>Law</u>

5. Section 111 of the Local Government Act, 1972 enables the Council to do anything, which is calculated to facilitate or is conducive or incidental to the discharge of its functions.

Equality Impact

6. This report complies with the Council's policies on equality and diversity. A number of the issues to be considered will have both a direct and indirect impact on children and young people.

Recommendation

7. That approval be given to the Work Programme of the Committee for 2009/10, as set out in paragraph 3 above.

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List of Background PapersMinutes of the Meeting of the Committee held in March, 2009.