

SCRUTINY

WORK PROGRAMME 2009/10

IDEAS FOR THE WORK PROGRAMME 2009/10

IDEAS	LINK TO CORPORATE PRIORITIES	DECISION	REASONS
Update on Recommendations made during last two years	Linked to and support all the corporate priorities through the various work undertaken by Overview and Scrutiny.	To establish a Task and Finish Group	To look at how many recommendations made by O & S have been accepted and which have been implemented. To look at what impact these recommendations have had. To seek reasons why recommendations had not been accepted, where appropriate.
Dentistry	Encouraging healthy and respectful communities	To establish a light touch task and finish group	Lancashire County Council has already undertaken a Lancashire Wide look at oral health, it was agreed to look at the provision of dentists in Rossendale
Tourism	Delivering quality services to our customers/Promoting the Borough	To invite the Tourism Officer to a meeting of Performance O & S	To be informed of what literature is available to promote Tourism, what is happening locally to promote tourism and any other information available to the Committee.

Review of Partnerships	Encouraging healthy and respectful communities/ Providing value for money services/ Delivering quality services to our customers	To review through Performance O & S	To receive 6/12 monthly reports on their performance
Review of Enforcement	Delivering quality services to our customers	Policy O & S to receive reports throughout the year	To look at reviewing all enforcement services during the year to ensure that services demonstrate how they are adhering to the Regulators' Compliance code
Value for Money of the Council's Services	Providing value for money services/ Delivering quality services to our customers	To establish a Task and Finish Group	To look at a selection of service areas to ensure the Council are providing value for money services.
Reporting of LAA/MAA	Linked to and support all the corporate priorities	To establish a Task and Finish Group	To develop performance management arrangements each LAA theme could be looked at separately by the Task and Finish Group and a final report be presented to the O & S Management Board

TASK AND FINISH GROUPS - In relation to Task and Finish Groups, these should be limited to two at any one time, to ensure that sufficient support can be given to the groups.

COUNCILLOR CALL FOR ACTION -

Members will be aware that recent legislation introduced a new Councillor Call for Action, which could also impact on the work to Overview and Scrutiny. Any Councillor Call for Actions forms will be discussed at an Overview and Scrutiny Management Sub Committee.