

**ANNUAL REPORT**

**Report of the Community and Safer City Scrutiny Committee**

**1. Purpose of report**

- 1.1 To approve the Community and Safer City Scrutiny Committee report as part of the overall scrutiny annual report 2011/12.

**2. Background**

- 2.1 In line with last years arrangements, the annual report will be a single combined report of all seven scrutiny committees. The annual report will outline the developments in the scrutiny function and provide snapshots of the outcomes achieved during the last 12 months.

**3. Community and Safer City Scrutiny Committee 2011/12**

- 3.1 The proposed Community and Safer City report is attached at appendix 1 for members consideration. The report provides a very brief snapshot of the some of the main work undertaken by the committee during 2011/12. It should be noted that the report is written from the perspective of the Chair of the Committee reflecting over the year.

**4. Conclusion**

- 4.1 The Committee has delivered another successful work programme in 2011/12, which is reflected in the annual report. The Scrutiny Committee has worked well with Council Directorates, stakeholders and partner organisations to deliver the work programme. The Scrutiny Committee has tackled a number of key issues throughout the year and looked to work with officers and stakeholders to provide solutions and improvements to services delivered across the city.

**5. Recommendation**

- 5.1 That Members approve the Community and Safer City Scrutiny report 2011/12 for inclusion in the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2011/12.

**6. Background Papers**

- 6.1 2011/12 Agendas
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