

SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

15 MARCH 2011

DRAFT ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

Strategic Priority: SP5 - Attractive and Inclusive City

Corporate Priorities: CI01 – Delivering Customer Focused Services, CI04 – Improving Partnership Working To Deliver ‘One City’

1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

- 1.1 To consider the contents of the draft Annual report of the Committee as part of the overall scrutiny Annual Report 2010/11.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 In previous years each scrutiny committee has published an individual account of the work conducted by the committee in an annual report, and was presented to Council. The annual report reflected the committees work programme and included achievements, highlights and policy review work.
- 2.2 This will be the second year that the Annual Report will be a single combined report of all seven Scrutiny Committees. The annual report will outline the development in the scrutiny function and provide snapshots of the outcomes achieved during the last 12 months.
- 2.3 In June 2010, the members of the Scrutiny Committee agreed their annual work programme for the municipal year 2010/11. The Work Programme brought together the issues raised by members as the major priorities and challenges facing the city for the year ahead.

3. CURRENT POSITION

- 3.1 The draft content of the annual report of the Committee is set out in Appendix 1.

4. CONCLUSION

- 4.1 The Committee has delivered a busy work programme in 2010/11, which is reflected in the annual report. The Scrutiny Committee has worked with elected members, council directorates, partner organisations and voluntary and community representatives to deliver

the work programme and has tackled a number of key issues making suggestions for improvements to services delivered across the city.

5. RECOMENDATION

- 5.1 Members are asked to consider and comment on the draft end of year report of the Committee.
- 5.2 That the report, together with the comments of members, be submitted to the Management Scrutiny Committee on 14 April 2011.

6. BACKGROUND PAPERS

Sustainable Scrutiny Committee Agendas 2010/11

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