# SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES SCRUTINY 26 JULY 2011 COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME 2011-12

#### **REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE**

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES: SP2: Healthy City; SP3: Safe City; SP5: Attractive and Inclusive City

CORPORATE PRIORITIES: CIO1 Customer focused services; CIO2 One Council; CIO3 Efficient and effective council; CIO4 Improving partnership working

### 1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

- 1.1 The report attaches, for members' information, the work programme for the Committee's work during the 2011-12 Council year.
- 1.2 The work of the Committee in delivering its work programme will support the council in achieving its strategic priorities of Healthy City, Safe City and Attractive and Inclusive City. It supports the delivery of the related themes of the Local Area Agreement, and through monitoring the performance of the council's services, help the council achieve its Corporate Improvement Objectives CIO1 Customer focused services; CIO2 One Council; CIO3 Efficient and effective council; and CIO4 Improving partnership working.

#### 2. BACKGROUND

2.1 The work programme is a working document which the Committee can develop throughout the year. The work programme allows members and officers to maintain an overview of work planned and undertaken during the Council year.

## 3. CURRENT POSITION

3.1 The work programme reflects discussions that have taken place at the 14 June 2011 Scrutiny Committee meeting. The current work programme is attached as an appendix to this report.

## 4. CONCLUSION

4.1 The work programme developed from the meeting will form a flexible mechanism for managing the work of the Committee in 2011-12.

## 5 **RECOMMENDATION**

5.1 That members note the information contained in the work programme and consider the inclusion of proposals for the Committee into the work programme.

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