

Report to:	Council	Date of Meeting:	11 July 2024
Subject:	Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2023/24		
Report of:	Executive Director of Corporate Resources and Customer Services	Wards Affected:	(All Wards);
Portfolio:	Former Adult Social Care (now Adult Social Care and Health) Former Children's Social Care (now Children, Schools and Families) Former Communities and Housing (now Communities and Partnership Engagement and Housing and Highways) Former Education (now Children, Schools and Families) Former Health and Wellbeing (now Public Health and Wellbeing) Former Locality Services (now Cleansing and Street Scene and Housing and Highways) Former Planning and Building Control (now Housing and Highways) Former Regeneration and Skills (now Regeneration, Economy and Skills) Former Regulatory, Compliance and Corporate Services (now Corporate Services)		
Is this a Key Decision:	No	Included in Forward Plan:	No
Exempt / Confidential Report:	No		

Summary:

To present formally the Annual Report of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board and the four Overview and Scrutiny Committees for 2023/24.

Recommendation:

That the Chairs of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board and the four Overview and Scrutiny Committees introduce their Annual Reports for 2023/24.

Reasons for the Recommendation(s):

To comply with the Local Government Act 2000 and the formal reporting mechanism to Council.

Alternative Options Considered and Rejected: (including any Risk Implications)

No alternative options have been considered as the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report needs to be submitted to Council.

What will it cost and how will it be financed?

There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.

(A) Revenue Costs – see above

(B) Capital Costs – see above

Implications of the Proposals:

Resource Implications (Financial, IT, Staffing and Assets):	
None	
Legal Implications:	
None	
Equality Implications:	
There are no equality implications	
Impact on Children and Young People: No	
There are no direct children and young people implications arising from this report. Any children and young people implications arising from the consideration of reports referred to in the Annual Report would have been contained in such reports when they were presented to Members during the previous year; or will be contained in future reports during the forthcoming year.	
Climate Emergency Implications:	
The recommendations within this report will	
Have a positive impact	Neutral
Have a neutral impact	Neutral
Have a negative impact	Neutral
The Author has undertaken the Climate Emergency training for report authors	Yes
There are no direct climate emergency implications arising from this report. Any climate emergency implications arising from matters referred to in the Annual Report would have been contained in reports when they were presented to Members during the previous year; or will be contained in future reports during the forthcoming year.	

Contribution to the Council’s Core Purpose:

Protect the most vulnerable: None directly applicable to this report
Facilitate confident and resilient communities: None directly applicable to this report
Commission, broker and provide core services: None directly applicable to this report
Place – leadership and influencer: None directly applicable to this report
Drivers of change and reform: None directly applicable to this report

Facilitate sustainable economic prosperity: None directly applicable to this report
Greater income for social investment: None directly applicable to this report
Cleaner Greener: None directly applicable to this report

What consultations have taken place on the proposals and when?

(A) Internal Consultations

This report is not subject to FD/LD consultation. Any specific financial and legal implications associated with any reports referred to in the Annual Report have been subject to the LD and FD process when they were originally submitted to Committee. Likewise, any reports referred to in the “Year Ahead” section of the Annual Report will be subject to the LD and FD process prior to their submission to Committee during the 2024/25 Municipal Year.

(B) External Consultations

Not applicable

Implementation Date for the Decision

Immediately following the Council meeting.

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Appendices:

Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2023/24

Background Papers:

There are no background papers available for inspection.

Introduction/Background

1. Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2023/24

- 1.1 Each year the Council receives the Annual Report of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board and the four Overview and Scrutiny Committees.
- 1.2 Attached as an Appendix to the report is the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2023/24.

1.3 The Chairs of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board and the four Overview and Scrutiny Committees have been requested to introduce their Annual Reports for 2023/24.