

Report of Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

Report to Scrutiny Board (Housing and Regeneration)

Date: 9 December 2014

Subject: Work Schedule

Are specific electoral Wards affected? If relevant, name(s) of Ward(s):	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are there implications for equality and diversity and cohesion and integration?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Is the decision eligible for Call-In?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Does the report contain confidential or exempt information? If relevant, Access to Information Procedure Rule number: Appendix number:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

Summary of main issues

1. The Board's work schedule is attached as appendix 1. The work schedule reflects discussions at the Board's November meeting. It will be subject to change throughout the municipal year.
2. The minutes of the Tenant Scrutiny Board meeting held on 13 November 2014 are attached at appendix 2 for the Board's information.
3. The minutes of the Executive Board meeting held on 19 November 2014 are attached at appendix 3 for the Board's information.
4. The Board held a working group meeting on 25 November to consider the draft Housing Strategy. A summary of the working group's comments will be circulated in advance of the Board meeting for confirmation by the Board.
5. At the last meeting of the Board, Members agreed to undertake further work in response to a request for scrutiny from George Hall, supported by a number of neighbourhood development groups. A proposal for taking this work forward will be circulated in advance of the Board meeting for approval by the Board.

Recommendation

6. Members are asked to:
 - (a) consider the work schedule and make amendments as appropriate;
 - (b) Confirm the Board's comments on the draft Housing Strategy; and

(c) Approve the proposals for further scrutiny arising from Mr Hall's request for scrutiny.

Background documents¹

None used

¹ The background documents listed in this section are available to download from the Council's website, unless they contain confidential or exempt information. The list of background documents does not include published works.