

Committee: Overview and Scrutiny Commission

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Subject: Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2022/23

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Recommendations:

That, subject to any changes agreed by the Commission at its meeting on 5 July 2023, the Commission approves the Annual Report to be presented to Council on 13 September 2023.

1 PURPOSE OF REPORT AND EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 1.1. The Commission is invited to comment on the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report.

2 DETAILS

- 2.1. The Overview and Scrutiny Commission is required to produce an annual report outlining the work of the overview and scrutiny function over the course of the municipal year. The Commission has used the report as an opportunity to draw attention to some of the outcomes achieved during the year.

3 ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS

- 3.1. The Overview and Scrutiny Commission would be in breach of the constitution if it did not produce an annual report and present it to Council.

4 CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN OR PROPOSED

- 4.1. The Chairs of each of the Overview and Scrutiny Panels have been consulted on the draft text relating to the work undertaken by that Panel.

5 TIMETABLE

- 5.1. The agreed Annual Report will be presented to Council on 13 September 2023.

6 FINANCIAL, RESOURCE AND PROPERTY IMPLICATIONS

- 6.1. There are none specific to this report.

7 LEGAL AND STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

- 7.1. The Overview and Scrutiny Commission is constitutionally bound to produce an annual report for the overview and scrutiny function and to present the report to the full Council. The Overview and Scrutiny Commission would be in breach of the constitution if it did not do this.

8 HUMAN RIGHTS, EQUALITIES AND COMMUNITY COHESION IMPLICATIONS

- 8.1. There are none specific to this report.

9 CRIME AND DISORDER IMPLICATIONS

9.1. There are none specific to this report.

10 RISK MANAGEMENT AND HEALTH AND SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

10.1. There are none specific to this report.

11 APPENDICES – THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE TO BE PUBLISHED WITH THIS REPORT AND FORM PART OF THE REPORT

- Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2022/23

12 BACKGROUND PAPERS

12.1. None