

# Environmental & Public Protection Scrutiny Committee – Forward Work Plan 2021/22

18 <sup>th</sup> May 2021 <b>CANCELLED</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2021	4 <sup>th</sup> October 2021	25 <sup>th</sup> November 2021	22 <sup>nd</sup> December 2021	1 <sup>st</sup> February 2022	7 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	8 <sup>th</sup> April 2022
E&PP Forward Work Programme 2021/22 <i>Forwarded to 2<sup>nd</sup> July</i>	E&PP Scrutiny Annual Report 2020/21	Quarterly Performance Monitoring Report Q1	Electrical Vehicle Strategy	Quarterly Performance Monitoring Report Q2	3-year Revenue Budget Consultation	Report on the provision of Pavements in Rural Areas <i>[Referral from Community &amp; Regeneration Scrutiny Committee]</i>	Quarterly Performance Monitoring Report Q3
Departmental Business Plans x 3 <i>- Forwarded to 2<sup>nd</sup> July</i>	Carmarthenshire Council Annual Report 2020/21	Flood Response	Update report from the Task and Finish Group	Public Conveniences Report	Revenue and Capital Budget Strategy	Public Space Protection Order (PSPO)	Net Zero Carbon Action Plan
	Task and Finish Planning and Scoping Document on Fly-Tipping	E&PP Scrutiny Committee Actions Update report.	Highways Maintenance Manual	Planning Enforcement Statement			Environment Act Forward Plan Update <i>[Deferred from December 2021]</i>
	Air Quality Management Area (AQMA) - Future Delivery Plan	Future Waste Strategy	Highways Asset Management Plan Annual Statement update				

**Items to be circulated under a separate cover to Scrutiny Committee members**  
*(as agreed at the Committee's Forward Work Programme development session on 9<sup>th</sup> April 2021.)*

Budget Monitoring [April 2020 to February 2021]		Graffiti Policy <i>(delayed to 2022/23)</i>	Budget Monitoring [April to August 2021]		Budget Monitoring [April to October 2021]	Budget Monitoring	Budget Monitoring
		Budget Monitoring April to June 2021			Local Environment Quality	Equestrian Strategy	
		Public Rights of Way Network Hierarchy					

## **OTHER REPORTS TO BE INCLUDED:**

The following reports will be included to the FWP at a later date:-

- Dog Breeders Licence Update (Change of Policy / Legislation – awaiting WG confirmation)
- Update on WG Speed Limit Review (20mph) – *dependant on WG publishing their review report*
- Carmarthenshire Pollinator Strategy and Action Plan – date to be confirmed
- Referral from P&R Scrutiny Committee (27/1/2020), Joint Transport Plan for South West Wales –  
**Delayed until 2022/23 [Update at the E&PP Scrutiny meeting on 14/12/2020, minute 5 refers].**

## **SCRUTINY FOCUS SESSION (Informal) - ITEMS FOR SC&H and E&PP SCRUTINY COMMITTEE'S – Date to be confirmed**

Informal Scrutiny Committee meeting with Social Care and Health– (to be confirmed):

- Area Planning Board's Drug & Alcohol Misuse Strategy Report
- Substance Misuse Service Report

## **TASK & FINISH REVIEW:**

The Committee at its FWP Development Session held on 9<sup>th</sup> April 2021, considered a topic suggestion received from Llandyfaelog Community Council suggesting that the Committee consider the issues in relation to fly-tipping in Carmarthenshire. Committee Members recognised that fly tipping was an increasing problem in Carmarthenshire and that the consequence of fly-tipping had a detrimental effect on the environment and communities.

The Committee at its meeting on 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021 unanimously resolved that its Task and Finish arrangements for 2021-22-23 would be as follows:

- 1) \*Review on the Fly tipping within Carmarthenshire
- 2) Review on Dog Breeding in Carmarthenshire.

The Task and Finish Group at its first meeting on 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 received an update from the Director of Environment on internal matters that had arisen since the Scrutiny Committee agreement on its Task and Finish arrangements and the endorsement of the review planning and scoping document in July. Considering the information received, the Group unanimously agreed to defer the review on Flytipping to 2022 following the Election process. A report outlining the reasons will be presented to the Committee at its meeting in November 2021.

*\*This decision supersedes the Committee's decision made at its meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> November 2019 – “unanimously resolved that dog breeding in Carmarthenshire be the subject for Committee's next Task and Finish review in 2021”.*