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Meeting Budget and Performance Overview & Scrutiny

Committee

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Subject Budget and Performance Overview &

**Scrutiny Committee Forward Work** 

**Programme 2011/12** 

Report of Scrutiny Office

Summary This report outlines the Committee's work programme during

2011/12.

Officer Contributors None
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Wards Affected All

Enclosures Appendix A – Budget and Performance Overview & Scrutiny

Committee Work Programme 2011/12 (To Follow)

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### 1. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1.1 That the Committee consider and comment on the items included in the 2011/12 work programme of the Budget and Performance Overview & Scrutiny Committee (Appendix A).
- 1.2 That the Committee identify items to be taken forward for the 2011/12 Overview & Scrutiny Work Programme.

# 2 CORPORATE PRIORITIES AND POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

- 2.1 The Overview and Scrutiny Committees must ensure that the work of Scrutiny is reflective of the Council's priorities.
- 2.2 The three priority outcomes set out in the 2010-2013 Corporate Plan are: -
  - Better services with less money
  - Sharing opportunities, sharing responsibilities
  - A successful London suburb

#### 3. RELEVANT PREVIOUS DECISIONS

3.1 None.

# 4. RISK MANAGEMENT ISSUES

4.1 None in the context of this report.

### 5. EQUALITIES AND DIVERSITY ISSUES

- 5.1 In addition to the Terms of Reference of the Committee, and in so far as relating to matters within its remit, the role of the Committee is to perform the Overview and Scrutiny role in relation to:
  - The Council's leadership role in relation to diversity and inclusiveness; and
  - The fulfilment of the Council's duties as employer including recruitment and retention, personnel, pensions and payroll services, staff development, equalities and health and safety.
- 6. USE OF RESOURCES IMPLICATIONS (Finance, Procurement, Performance & Value for Money, Staffing, IT, Property, Sustainability)
- 6.1 None in the context of this report.

### 7. LEGAL ISSUES

7.1 None in the context of this report.

### 8 CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS

8.1 The scope of the Overview and Scrutiny Committees/Sub-Committees is contained within Part 2, Article 6 of the Council's Constitution; the Terms of Reference of the Scrutiny Committees / Sub-Committees are included in the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules (Part 4 of the Council's Constitution).

# 9. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- 9.1 The Budget and Performance Overview & Scrutiny Committee's Work Programme 2011/12 indicates forthcoming items of business for consideration by the Committee.
- 9.2 The work programme of this Committee is intended to be a responsive tool, which will be updated on a rolling basis following each meeting, for the inclusion of areas which may arise through the course of the year.
- 9.3 The Committee is empowered to agree its priorities and determine its own schedule of work within the programme.

### 10. LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

10.1 None.