

Scrutiny Board Work Programme 2024/25

Safer Neighbourhoods and Active Communities



Standing Items:-

- Tracking and Monitoring of Recommendations to the Executive
- Work Programme (including Cabinet Forward Plan)

Meeting Date	Item	Presented by
10 September 2024	Approval of 2024/ 25 Municipal Year Work Programme	Alex Goddard/ John Swann
	Housing Repairs Update	Sarah Ager
	Strong and Resilient Neighbourhoods Strategy	James McLaughlin
5 December 2024	Homelessness and Rough Sleeper Strategy Update	Karl Robinson/ Nigel Collumbell
	Housing Repairs Update	Alan Lunt
9 January 2025	Retail encroachment and enforcement options	Nicola Plant
	Anti- social behaviour and low- level crime	Nicola Plant
	Housing Capital Investment Programme	Sarah Ager
6 February 2025	Visitor Services Review (to incorporate heritage assets)	Ben Percival
	Housing Repairs Update	Alan Lunt/ Sarah Ager
13 March 2025	Implementation of Sandwell Community Safety Strategy 2022-26 (Safer Sandwell Partnership)	Chief Supt. Kim Maddil/ Nicola Plant
	Review of Leisure Management Contract	Ben Percival
	Overview of how budget for adaptations to houses is spent	Manny Sehmbi

To be Scheduled

Reports of the Tenant and Leaseholder Scrutiny Group on:- (Nigel Collumbell) – (Dependent upon T+LSG Work Programming – timescales TBC)

- Building Safety Review
- Responsive Repairs & Customer Satisfaction Review

Housing Hub Review (Report of the Tenant and Leaseholder Scrutiny Group) - Implementation of Recommendations Update. – Nigel Collumbell -2025/ 26

Home Improvement Programme and Social Decarbonisation Fund (SHDF) – Dean Epton/ Phil Deery

Transformational Plan for Housing - Tom Hogan/ Nigel Collumbell

Housing Co- operative – Nigel Collumbell

Briefing Notes

West Bromwich Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) – Nicola Plant (Board to maintain oversight)

Utilisation of confectionary stands in Sandwell Parks including associated revenues – Ben Percival
Tenant Satisfaction (Same as one submitted to regulator) – Nigel Collumbell/ Tom Hogan

Voluntary/ Community Sector Support Grants – Manny Sehmbi/ Nigel Collumbell/ Alan Lunt

Briefing Sessions

Green Spaces Strategy – to include the tree cutting and grass cutting strategies. – Ben Percival (could become an item at Board)

Houses of Multiple Occupancy (Update of Article 4 and additional licensing measures) – Nigel Collumbell (Possible spotlight session)

Scrutiny Review

Bringing Communities Together.