

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**Report**

Committee:	Policy & Resources Select Committee
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1. Purpose of Report

1.1. Part of the role of the Policy & Resources Select Committee according to the Hampshire County Council Constitution is to Coordinate Scrutiny:

- To ensure resources of all scrutiny functions are being effectively targeted.
- To ensure the outputs and outcomes of Scrutiny are having impact and being evaluated.
- To prioritise topics for scrutiny task and finish groups (thematic reviews).

1.2. To assist with this role the attached summary has been provided, to highlight to the Members of this committee the current schedule of scrutiny committee meetings, and an overview of recent and ongoing work by each of the Select Committees.

1.3. To ensure the resources of scrutiny are being effectively targeted, when new pieces of work are under consideration, Members will wish to take into account existing commitments across the scrutiny function, and the priority and timeliness of items, to ensure that any scrutiny taken on can be undertaken to an appropriate quality.