Provisional Scrutiny Work Programme 2011/12 Municipal Year

The work programme for the scrutiny panels is scheduled to be determined at the Scrutiny Management Panel meeting held on 13 September. The table below shows the topics carried over from 2010/11 and the new topics that have been suggested for 2011/12.

Topics carried over from 2010/11	Suggested topics for review during 2011/12
Economic Development, Culture & Leisure	Economic Development, Culture & Leisure
Local Asset Backed Vehicles Review (completed)	 A review into the future of library provision in Portsmouth. A review into whether Portsmouth should consider an amendment to planning policy to include a viability test before a public house is converted to another use or is demolished. A review into whether the resident workforce in Portsmouth has the requisite skills to satisfy the current and future needs of the city, its residents and local employers.
	NB The panel also agreed that a scoping document should be produced looking at the evening and night time economy in Portsmouth but this would be an extensive review and would need to be agreed by the panel members in place at the time: • A review into the development of a thriving evening and night time economy in Portsmouth which offers a variety

	of leisure and cultural opportunities for its residents and visitors and which places the city on the path towards Purple Flag accreditation.
 Education, Children & Young People Carrying out a scrutiny review on "Review of Admissions to Springfield School having regard to the number of pupils living in the catchment area and attending feeder schools who failed to gain a place at the school for September 2011." (via a Notice of Motion which falls outside the normal scrutiny process) 	 Education, Children & Young People Review on coordinated multi-agency for families with multiple problems. Review on targeted support for children and young people who demonstrate behaviours that may put them at risk.
Traffic, Environment & Community Safety Information report for HOSP on "Discharge of patients from QA and St James's Hospitals" (possibly superseded by Portsmouth LINk report – to be confirmed)	 Traffic, Environment & Community Safety Review of Resident parking scheme, particularly around Fratton Park on match days. More topics to be circulated at the meeting as TECS meet after SMP distribution.
Housing & Social Care	Housing & Social Care "How nuisance behaviour is tackled by housing providers (ie landlords) in a residential environment" "To review the policy of re-housing after a relationship

	 breakdown" "To consider the impact on the rented housing market of welfare reform proposals"
Scrutiny Management Panel	Scrutiny Management Panel PCC website/internet strategy and use of social media