

RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

MUNICIPAL YEAR 2014-2015

**COMMUNITY AND CHILDREN'S
SERVICES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

10TH SEPTEMBER 2014

**REPORT OF:
DIRECTOR OF LEGAL AND
DEMOCRATIC SERVICES**

Agenda Item No. 6

2014/15 WORK PROGRAMME

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1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1.1 The purpose of this report is to consider the revised forward work programme for the Committee for the 2014/15 Municipal Year

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 It is recommended that Members agree the work programme for the 2013/14 Municipal Year as set out at Appendix 1.

3. WORK PROGRAMME

3.1 At the last meeting of the Committee held on 2nd July 2014, Members considered a draft work programme and agreed issues for inclusion on during 2014/15.

3.2 The work programme has been revised to take account of the discussion at the last meeting and also some changes to timescales. However, Members are reminded that work programmes need to be flexible to respond to changing priorities.

3.3 Members are asked to note in particular,

- (i) the agenda items proposed for the next scheduled meeting of the committee on 8th October, namely
- Quarter 1 exception reports
 - Implementation of the Social Care & Wellbeing Act
 - Regional Adoption Collaborative
 - The Foster Care Action Plan arising from the feedback from the last CSSIW inspection (as requested at the last meeting of the Committee); and
- (ii) The November meeting will take place on Tuesday, 4th November 2014 at 5 pm.

3.4 In conclusion, the Committee is asked to confirm whether it is in agreement with the work programme set out at Appendix 1.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972

as amended by

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985

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LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

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PREPARATION OF A WORK PROGRAMME

- Work Programme Report - Community & Children's Services Scrutiny Committee meeting held on 2nd July 2014 (Minute No. 7 refers)

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Appendix 1

**COMMUNITY AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
WORK PROGRAMME 2014/15**

Weds 2nd July 14 5 pm	Weds 10 th Sept 14 5 pm	Weds 8 th Oct 14 5 pm	Nov 14 TBA	Mon 8 th Dec 14 5 pm	Tues 27 th Jan 15 5 pm	March 15 TBA	Weds 15 th April 15 5 pm
Carers Strategy Fostering Preparation of a Work Programme	SS & Health – Promoting Integrated Services Director of SS Annual Report Pre- meetings work programme update	Q1 Budget & Performance Exception Report & Action Plans progress Implementation of the Social Care & Wellbeing Act Regional Adoption Collaborative Foster Care Action Plan Workforce planning	Fframwaith update Safeguarding reports	Part 1 - Budget Consultation Q2 Budget & Performance Exception Report & Action Plans progress Together for Mental Health update	Part 2 Budget CSSIW Annual Council Reporting Framework – Inspection, Evaluation & Review 2013/14	Communities First Review Community Housing Register	Q3 Budget & Performance Exception Report & Action Plans progress Delayed Transfers of Care Operation of the Joint Youth Offending Service

Additional:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Invite Jayne Komor, LHB to future meeting re. Carers' Strategy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Members to meet with foster carers
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visits to Vision Products and Butterfly Dementia Care Projects 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improvement Action Plans Scrutiny Working Groups (Sept and Spring 15)

