

CITY COUNCIL – 9 JULY 2012

REPORT OF THE CHAIR OF THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY ANNUAL REPORT 2011-12

1. SUMMARY

- 1.1 2011/12 was the first year of operation for a new Overview and Scrutiny structure in Nottingham. The statutory function was delivered through an Overview and Scrutiny Committee, which agreed and co-ordinated the overall work programme and carried out scrutiny of key strategic issues. This Committee was supported by Health Scrutiny Panel, Joint Health Scrutiny Committee, the Call-in Sub Committee and Scrutiny Review Panels commissioned by the main Overview and Scrutiny Committee.
- 1.2 I would like to record the Council's thanks to the following individuals, organisations and groups who supported Overview and Scrutiny during the last Municipal Year:
- Our partners and Executive Councillors who have been involved in overview and scrutiny work, both in providing the evidence that underpins our reports and in responding to our recommendations;
 - The many community representatives, voluntary and community sector groups and individual citizens who have contributed to and supported Overview and Scrutiny; and
 - Colleagues in the Council who support our work.
- 1.3 The Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2011-12 is appended to the Council booklet as a separate document for the consideration of Council.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

IT IS RECOMMENDED that the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2011-12 be accepted.

3. LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS OTHER THAN PUBLISHED WORKS OR THOSE DISCLOSING CONFIDENTIAL OR EXEMPT INFORMATION

None.

4. PUBLISHED DOCUMENTS REFERRED TO IN COMPILING THIS REPORT

Reports, agenda and minutes of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee, Health Scrutiny Panel, Joint Health Scrutiny Committee, Call-in Panel and Scrutiny Review Panels during the municipal year 2011-12.

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