

## Vale of Glamorgan Council

## **Environment and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee**

# Forward Work Programme

## May 2023 - April 2024

Month	Report Title	Origin of Report, Links to Corporate Plan Objectives, and Previous Related Documents	Purpose of Report	Actual Impact of Report	Responsible Officer and Contact Details	Comment / Update / Reason for Slippage
23 <sup>rd</sup> May	4th Quarter	Last report	To report progress	To maintain effective	Gareth Davies	Presented to
2023	Scrutiny	March 2023.	on the Scrutiny	tracking of the	Democratic and Scrutiny Services Officer	Committee.
	Recommendation		recommendations	Committee's	01446 709249	
	Tracking 2022/23		[Jan,Feb,Mar] and	recommendations and	gjdavies@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	
	and Proposed		to confirm the	to plan its forward work		
	Annual Forward		Committee's work	programme for 2023/24.		
	Work Programme		programme for			
	Schedule 2023/24.		2023/24.			

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23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2023	The Vale of Glamorgan Local Development Plan 2011-2026: Supplementary Planning Guidance on Retail and Town Centre Development and Economic Development, Employment Land and Premises – Member Briefing Session Feedback	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item. Reference from Cabinet – 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2023	To advise Cabinet on the feedback from a Member briefing session in respect of the Supplementary Planning Guidance (SPG) in relation to Retail and Town Centre Development and Economic Development, Employment Land and Premises.	To allow the Scrutiny Committee to consider feedback and to assess new guidance.	Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place MJGoldsworthy@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Presented to Committee.
20 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Vale of Glamorgan Council: Annual Performance Calendar 2023/24	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To present the Vale of Glamorgan Council: Annual Performance Calendar 2023/24	To allow the Scrutiny Committee to comment on the Annual Performance Calendar	Tom Bowring, Director of Corporate Performance and Resources 01446 709766 TBowring@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Presented to Committee.
20 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Becoming a Placemaking Wales Charter	Reference from Cabinet – 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2023	To grant delegated authority for the Council to sign up	To allow the Scrutiny Committee to assess the Charter and provide feedback to Cabinet.	Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place MJGoldsworthy@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Presented to Committee.

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	signatory and developing Placemaking Plans		to the Placemaking Wales Charter and to grant delegated authority for the Council to apply for Welsh Government funding to develop Placemaking Plans for each of the four towns in the Vale.			
20 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Project Zero	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To consider progress in implementing the Climate Change Challenge Plan.	To seek Members views and provide an update.	Tom Bowring, Director of Corporate Performance and Resources 01446 709766 TBowring@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Presented to Committee.
20 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Cardiff Capital Region City Deal - Joint Scrutiny Committee Nominated Deputy.	Joint Scrutiny Arrangements	To seek nominations to the position of deputy to the Vale of Glamorgan representative to the Cardiff Capital Region City Deal - Joint Scrutiny Committee	To appoint a deputy member.	Gareth Davies Democratic and Scrutiny Services Officer 01446 709249 gjdavies@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Presented to Committee.

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18 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Closure of Accounts 2022/23	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	The accounts are complete and this report is to inform Cabinet of the provisional financial position of the Council for the 2022/23 financial year.	To review expenditure for 2022/23	Matthew Sewell, Principal Accountant. 02920 673 140  MSewell@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Presented to Committee.				
18 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Annual Delivery Plan Monitoring Report: Quarter 4 Performance 2022/23 (End of Year 2022/23 Performance Report)	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To present end of year (quarter 4) performance results for the period 1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023 in delivering our Annual Delivery Plan commitments as aligned to our Corporate Plan	To ensure the Council clearly demonstrates the progress being made towards achieving its commitments in the Annual Delivery Plan 2022/23	Tom Bowring, Director of Corporate Performance and Resources 01446 709766 TBowring@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk  Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport  Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place	Presented to Committee.				

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18 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Proposed Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) for Exceptions to Wales 20mph Default Speed Limit and Implementation of Ancillary Speed Limits – Cabinet: 6th July, 2023.	Reference from Cabinet - Late Item added to Agenda – Not Iisted on Cabinet Forward Work Programme	To allow Scrutiny of proposals.	To ensure that the views of the Scrutiny Committee are considered prior to a future decision being taken by Cabinet on the proposed TRO	Miles Punter Director of Environment and Housing.	Present to Committee.
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19 <sup>th</sup> September 2023	Financial Strategy 2024/25	Reference from Cabinet - Late Item added to Agenda – Not listed for Scrutiny on Cabinet Forward Work Programme	To review the financial pressures over the medium term and put in place a strategy for delivering the 2024/25 budget and sustainable finances over the medium term	The Council is open to clear and transparent financial reporting and an appropriate level of challenge to the management of its finances. A key element of the challenge process is through the Council's scrutiny function.	Matthew Sewell, Principal Accountant. 02920 673 140  MSewell@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk  Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport  Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place	Presented to Committee.
19 <sup>th</sup> September 2023	Draft Capital Strategy 2024/25 and Initial Capital Programme Proposals	Reference from Cabinet - Late Item added to Agenda – Not listed on Cabinet	To gain approval for the Initial Capital Programme Proposals for 2024/25 to	In order for Members to be appraised of the initial status of the Capital Programme for 2024/25 to 2028/29	Matthew Sewell, Principal Accountant. 02920 673 140  MSewell@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk  Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport	Presented to Committee.

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	2024/25 to 2028/29	Forward Work Programme	2028/29 so that they may be submitted to Scrutiny Committees for consultation and to set out the Draft Capital Strategy for Cabinet Member to consider		Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place	
19 <sup>th</sup> September 2023	Revised Highway Maintenance Three Year Plan 2022 – 2024	Reference from Cabinet - Late Item added to Agenda – Not listed on Cabinet Forward Work Programme	To update Cabinet of the budget pressures impacting on the Three Year Resurfacing Plan and to agree the priority locations for resurfacing works for 2023/24.	To ensure that the relevant Scrutiny Committee can consider the details of the Highway Resurfacing Three Year Plan (2022-2024), prior to it being formally agreed.	Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport	Presented to Committee.
19 <sup>th</sup> September 2023	Draft Vale of Glamorgan Annual Self-Assessment Report 2022/23 (Pre-consultation Draft).	Reference from Cabinet.	Seeking members views.	To be confirmed.	Julia Archampong, Corporate Performance Manager. 01446 709 318 jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk  Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport  Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place	Presented to Committee.

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19 <sup>th</sup> September 2023	Annual Delivery Plan - Quarter 1 2023/24 Performance Report.	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To present quarter 1 performance results for the period 1st April 2023 to 30th June 2024 for the Corporate Plan.	To ensure the Council clearly demonstrates the progress being made towards achieving its Corporate Plan Wellbeing Outcomes.	Julia Archampong, Corporate Performance Manager. 01446 709 318 jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place	Presented to Committee.
19 <sup>th</sup> September 2023	Shared Prosperity Fund.	Reference from Cabinet	Update report	To assessing funding via the Shared Prosperity Fund.	Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place MJGoldsworthy@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Deferred to the October meeting
19 <sup>th</sup> September 2023	Revenue and Capital Monitoring 1st April 2023 to 31st May 2023.	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To advise Committee of the progress relating to revenue and capital expenditure for the period 1st April to 31st May 2023.	The Capital Economic Regeneration Reserve is managed effectively, and budgets are matched to operational responsibilities.	Matthew Sewell, Principal Accountant. 02920 673 140  MSewell@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Presented to Committee.
17 <sup>th</sup> October 2023	Update on Recycling and Waste Service Changes	Service Changes to Waste and Recycling – 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2023	To report the update position on the service changes.	To allow the Scrutiny Committee to assess progress.	Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport Colin Smith, Operational Manager	To be deferred to December meeting.

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17 <sup>th</sup> October 2023	Local Development Plan Annual Monitoring Report.	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item. Reference from Cabinet	To report to Cabinet the findings of the Council's first Local Development Plan Annual Monitoring Report and to seek approval to submit it to the Welsh Government by the 31st October 2023.	To provide Cabinet with the views of the Scrutiny Committee.	Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place MJGoldsworthy@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Item on Agenda for 17 <sup>th</sup> October
17 <sup>th</sup> October 2023	Replacement Local Development Plan Preferred Strategy.	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To seek approval to commence a statutory public consultation on the Replacement Local Development Plan Preferred Strategy	To allow the Scrutiny Committee to assess the LDP Preferred Strategy.	Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place  MJGoldsworthy@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	To be presented in November.
17 <sup>th</sup> October 2023	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Scrutiny Decision Tracking of Recommendations and Updated Work Programme Schedule 2023/24.	Previous update 15 <sup>th</sup> May 2023	To report progress on the Scrutiny recommendations [Jul, Sept] and to confirm the Committee's work programme for 2022/23.	To maintain effective tracking of the Committee's recommendations.	Gareth Davies Democratic and Scrutiny Services Officer 01446 709249 gjdavies@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Item on the Agenda for 17 <sup>th</sup> October.

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14 <sup>th</sup> November 2023	Revenue and Capital Monitoring 1 <sup>st</sup> April to 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2023.	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To advise Committee of the progress relating to revenue and capital expenditure for the period 1st April to 31st October 2023.	The Capital Economic Regeneration Reserve is managed effectively, and budgets are matched to operational responsibilities.	C. James, Accountant. cjames@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	
12 <sup>th</sup> December 2023	Annual Delivery Plan - Quarter 2 2023/24 Performance Report.	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To present quarter 2 performance results for the period 1st July 2023 to 30th September 2023 for the Corporate Plan Well-being Outcome.'	To ensure the Council clearly demonstrates the progress being made towards achieving its Corporate Plan Wellbeing Outcomes aimed at making a positive difference to the lives of Vale of Glamorgan citizens.	Julia Archampong, Corporate Performance Manager. 01446 709 318 jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk  Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport  Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place	
12 <sup>th</sup> December 2023.	Review Financial Strategy and Medium Term Financial Plan Refresh	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item	To review the financial pressures over the medium term and put in place a strategy for delivering the 2023/24 budget and sustainable finances over the medium term	To allow scrutiny of the Financial Strategy	C. James, Accountant. cjames@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	

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17 <sup>th</sup> January 2024	Draft Annual Delivery Plan – 2024/25	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To advise Cabinet of the progress on the 2023/24 Capital Programme for the period 1st April to 31st August, 2023 and to request changes to the Capital Programme	To ensure the views of all key stakeholders including Scrutiny Committees, inform the Council's draft Annual Delivery Plan (Improvement Plan Part 1)	Julia Archampong, Corporate Performance Manager. 01446 709 318 jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk  Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport  Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place	
20 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	Updated Revenue Budget and Medium Term Financial Pan Report – 2024/25	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To inform Scrutiny Committee of the amended revenue budget for 2023/24 and to submit for consideration the revenue budget proposals for 2024/25.	In order that Cabinet can consider the comments of Scrutiny Committees and other consultees before making a final proposal on the budget.	C. James, Accountant. cjames@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	
20 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	Updated Capital Budget Report – 2024/25 to 2028/29.	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To submit the Initial Capital Programme Proposals for 2024/25 to 2028/29.	In order that Cabinet be informed of the comments of Scrutiny Committees and other consultees before making a final proposal on the budget.	C. James, Accountant. cjames@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	

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20 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	Vale of Glamorgan Council – Proposed Fees and Charges	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To propose service changes.	To allow scrutiny of proposals.	C. James, Accountant. cjames@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	
12 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Service Plans and Target Setting to Deliver the Vale of Glamorgan Annual Delivery Plan 2024/25.	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To deliver Annual Delivery Plan commitments as aligned to our Corporate Plan Well-being Objectives.	To ensure the views of all key stakeholders including Scrutiny Committees, inform the Council's draft Annual Delivery Plan (Improvement Plan Part 1)	Julia Archampong, Corporate Performance Manager. 01446 709 318 jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk  Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport  Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place	
12 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Annual Delivery Plan - Quarter 3 2023/24 Performance Report.	Cabinet Forward Work Programme Item.	To present quarter 3 performance results for the period 1st October 2023 to 31st December 2023 for the Corporate	To ensure the Council clearly demonstrates the progress being made towards achieving its Corporate Plan Wellbeing Outcomes.	Julia Archampong, Corporate Performance Manager. 01446 709 318 jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk  Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport	

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			Plan Well-being Outcome.'		Marcus Goldsworthy, Director of Place	
16 <sup>th</sup> April 2024						

#### Other matters requested by Committee to be added into schedule as and when available

Report/Presentations	Responsible Officer and Contact Details	Commentary
<ol> <li>Tree Strategy to be considered November or Deceber</li> <li>Update on the Coastal Erosion and Flooding</li> <li>Residential Parking Permits</li> <li>Local Bus Services – request from Councillors Ewan Goodjohn, Mark Hooper and Samantha Campbell.</li> </ol>	Emma Reed, Head of Neighbourhood Services and Transport	

<u>Site Visit</u> – Barry Docks Interchange visit to be arranged following meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> September.

#### **Possible Task and Finish Group Suggestions:**

Subject	Responsible Officer	Commentary

#### **Annual Reports**

Report	Responsible Officer and Contact Details	Commentary	
Performance Monitoring Reports			
Vale of Glamorgan Annual Delivery Plan (Improvement Plan Part 1) 20**/**.	Julia Archampong, Corporate Performance Manager. 01446 709 318 jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Usually March each year.	
End of Year 20**/** Performance Report	Julia Archampong, Corporate Performance Manager. 01446 709 318 jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Usually in September each year.	

Financial Reports		
Closure of Accounts 20**/**.	C. James, Accountant. cjames@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Usually in July each year.

Initial Revenue Programme Budget Proposals.	C. James, Accountant. cjames@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Usually in December each year.
Initial Capital Programme Budget Proposals.	C. James, Accountant. cjames@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Usually in December each year.

## **Biannual Reports**

Report	Responsible Officer and Contact Details	Commentary

### **Quarterly Reports**

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4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter Scrutiny Decision Tracking of Recommendations and Updated Work Programme Schedule 2023/24.	Gareth Davies, Democratic & Scrutiny Services Officer. 01446 709 249 gjdavies@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Usually May each year. Reporting on Jan, Feb and Mar.
1st Quarter Scrutiny Decision Tracking of Recommendations and Updated Work Programme Schedule 2023/24.	Gareth Davies, Democratic & Scrutiny Services Officer. 01446 709 249 gjdavies@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	Usually July each year. Reporting on Apr, May and Jun.

2nd Quarter Scrutiny Decision Tracking of	Gareth Davies, Democratic & Scrutiny	Usually October each year.
Recommendations and Updated Work Programme	Services Officer.	Reporting on July and September.
Schedule 2023/24.	01446 709 249	
	gjdavies@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	
3rd Quarter Scrutiny Decision Tracking of	Gareth Davies, Democratic & Scrutiny	Usually January each year.
Recommendations and Updated Work Programme	Services Officer.	Reporting on October, November and
Schedule 2023/24.	01446 709 249	December.
	gjdavies@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	
Quarter 1 2023/24 Performance Report:	Julia Archampong, Corporate	Usually October each year.
	Performance Manager.	Reporting on April, May and June.
	01446 709 318	
	jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	
Quarter 2 2023/24 Performance Report:	Julia Archampong, Corporate	Usually December each year.
	Performance Manager.	Reporting on July and September.
	01446 709 318	
	jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	
Quarter 3 2023/24 Performance Report:	Julia Archampong, Corporate	Usually March each year.
	Performance Manager.	Reporting on October, November and
	01446 709 318	December.
	jarchampong@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk	

#### <u>Infrequent</u>

- Cabinet References.
- Revenue and Capital Monitoring Reports.
- Requests for Consideration.
- Cabinet Call-in.

NB - The schedule is a proposed list of items for consideration and may be subject to change depending on prevailing circumstances.