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North Yorkshire County Council

Corporate and Partnerships Overview and Scrutiny Committee

12 September 2011

One Council

1 Purpose of the Report

1.1 To provide the Committee with the background papers relating to One Council and to outline the performance reporting arrangements.

2 Background

2.1 In relation to One Council, the Executive (held on 5 July 2011), agreed the overall, Member engagement and future monitoring arrangements. It was agreed that the Corporate and Partnerships Overview and Scrutiny Committee is to take an overall view on the One Council Change Programme. Discussions remain ongoing as to how this will work in future but it is anticipated that the One Council Change Programme will be considered by both on a regular basis.

3 Member engagement and monitoring arrangements

3.1 The Corporate and Partnerships Overview and Scrutiny Committee will have the opportunity to consider the One Council quarterly performance report prior to presentation to the Executive. The dates of future meetings are set out in the table below.

Corporate and Partnerships Overview	14 November 2011.	23 January 2012.
and Scrutiny Committee	(Report deadline: 02/11/11).	(Report deadline: 11/01/12).
Executive Performance Monitoring	22 November 2011.	28 February 2012.
	(Report deadline: 10/11/11).	(Report deadline: 16/02/12).

- 3.2 Once an overall programme plan has been agreed, the Corporate and Partnerships Overview and Scrutiny Committee will receive a summary highlight report at their scheduled committee meetings. This will be supported by a verbal update, presented by the Programme Director, followed by a question and answer session. Members will also be able to access the monthly highlight reports, which will be published under the One Council section of the intranet.
- 3.3 The Committee is also recommended to set up a Task Group to take forward the detail of the work, and this is discussed in greater detail in the Work Programme and Forward Plan Report. Provisional dates have been set for the Task Group to

meet initially in October and November to feed into the development of the One Council programme.

4 Recommendation

- 4.1 That the Committee notes the content of the report.
- 4.2 That the Committee agrees to the monitoring arrangements and reporting schedule outlined in the report.

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Background Documents:

Executive, 5 July 2011 One Council report

https://www3.northyorks.gov.uk/n3cabinet_exec/reports_/20110705_/05onecouncilcha/05_onecouncilcha.pdf

Executive, 5 July 2011, One Council Change Programme

https://www3.northyorks.gov.uk/n3cabinet_exec/minutesdecision_/20110705executi/2011 0705executi.pdf