

SCRUTINY CONSULTATION

102/05 - **PROJECT MANAGEMENT CODE OF PRACTICE:** The Executive Director (Corporate Policy and Improvement) submitted a written report to seek the Commission's views on a Code of Practice attached as an appendix to the written report and which would be used throughout the Council. The Code set out a framework of standards, protocols and processes for the identification of corporate management and control of projects. The framework was considered to be sufficiently flexible to cover projects of differing sizes and value from various professional disciplines.

It was intended that the Code of Practice be submitted to Cabinet for consideration at its meeting to be held on 24 May 2006 along with any comments the Commission would wish to make. The Executive Director referred to the input from a number of officers that had resulted in the Code of Practice and invited Members to comment and/or question the Code. In response to Members' questions the importance of the roles of "Project Owner" and "Project Manager" were acknowledged. It was **agreed** that the recommendations set out in the report be approved.

(7.04 pm – 7.07 pm)