

NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNCIL
Scarborough and Whitby Area Constituency Committee
22 March 2024

Scarborough and Whitby Area Constituency Committee
Work Programme 2023/24

Report of the Assistant Chief Executive (Legal and Democratic Services)

1.0 Purpose of the report
1.1 Members are asked to consider, amend and add to the Committee's draft work programme (see Appendix 1), as required.

2.0 Remit of the committee

2.1 The Area Constituency Committees perform a wide range of functions including:

- Act as a forum for Members to bring forward issues affecting their local Electoral Divisions
- Hear and respond to questions and statements from members of the public relating to anything affecting the community within the constituency area
- Agree a Work Programme which lists items of business which the Committee wishes to consider at future meetings
- Undertake meaningful scrutiny of local health issues within their constituency area, complementing the strategic work undertaken by the Scrutiny of Health Committee
- Undertake meaningful scrutiny of local transport issues within their constituency area, complementing the strategic work undertaken by Transport, Economy and Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee
- Act as consultees in major decisions that affect their constituency area (including responding to consultations)
- To make recommendations to the Corporate Director of Community Development in respect of 'seed funding' or match funding for projects to be allocated from any delegated Area Constituency Committee Budget the Director may have.
- Develop a working relationship with the local MP, sharing updates and information on relevant local issues.

3.0 Financial implications

3.1 The financial implications are set out in the body of this report.

4.0 Legal implications

4.1 The legal implications are set out in the body of this report.

5.0 Climate change Implications

5.1 There are no significant climate change implications arising from this report.

6.0 Equalities implications

6.1 There are no significant equalities implications arising from this report.

7.0 Recommendations

7.1 That Members consider, amend and add to the Committee's draft work programme (see Appendix 1), as required.

Appendices:

Appendix 1 – Committee Work Programme

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14 March 2024

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Note: Members are invited to contact the author in advance of the meeting with any detailed queries or questions.