



North Yorkshire County Council

Richmond (Yorks) Area Constituency Committee

12 June 2019

Work Programme

Purpose of Report

That Members review the Committee's work programme, taking into account the outcome of discussions on previous agenda items and any other developments taking place across the area.

Work Programme

The work Programme is attached at **Appendix 1**. Taking account of the areas of work identified at previous meetings and by the previous Area Committee, highlighted in Appendix 1, and the suggested area of work based upon current scrutiny activity at **Appendix 2**, Members are asked to continue to develop the Committee's work programme for 2019/20 and beyond.

Remit of the committee

The Area Constituency Committees:

- 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)

- Make recommendations on the application of Innovation funding (supported by the Stronger Communities Team)
- Develop a working relationship with the local MP, sharing updates and information on relevant local issues being addressed by the committee.

Scheduled committee dates in 2019/20

Forthcoming committee dates are:

- 10am on Wednesday 28 August 2019
- 10am on Wednesday 20 November 2019
- 10am on Wednesday 25 March 2020

Recommendation

Members are asked to consider and develop the Committee's work programme.

Steve Loach
Democratic Services

June 2019

**Richmond (Yorks) Area Constituency Committee
Work Programme 2018/19 and 2019/20**

10.00 a.m. on Wednesday 12th June 2019

Subject	Description
Economic Development Strategy	To provide an overview of the current Economic Development strategy for the Constituency Area and to consider whether there are any specific topics the Committee would like to undertake further, in-depth analysis of.
Digital Strategy	To provide an update on the development of a range of technologies that will improve connectivity, access to services and the opportunities for business
Yorkshire Ambulance Service	Detailing the work of the Yorkshire Ambulance Service and addressing the issues outlined at the Special Meeting of the Committee held on 9 April 2019
Work Programme	To consider the Committee's Work Programme for 2019/20.

10.00 a.m. on Wednesday 28th August 2019

Subject	Description
Discussion of issues with Local MP	Rishi Sunak will be attending to discuss topical issues.
Community Safety	Overview of community safety issues, including updates from: Yorkshire Ambulance Service Police; Fire and Rescue; Community Safety; Highways – Road Safety (including Annual Road Casualty Report); Stronger Communities; and Public Health – identification of any further lines of enquiry
Cybercrime and scams	To consider the action being undertaken by Trading Standards to address cybercrime and scams
Work Programme	To consider the Committee's Work Programme for 2019/20

10.00 a.m. on Wednesday 20th November 2019

Subject	Description
Schools Educational Achievement & Finance	To provide an overview of the local educational landscape, educational achievement and the financial challenges affecting schools in the constituency area.
Work Programme	To consider the Committee's Work Programme for 2019/20
Issues identified for future work programme	
Subject	Description
Supported Living	Update on implementation of review
Lorry Driver parking	Follow up to consider how issue is being addressed following earlier consideration
Small Schools	Review of educational outcomes at small schools – linked to the Young People's Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Delayed Transfers of Care	Further review of work by Health and Social Care to reduce Delayed Transfers of Care following consultation – linked to the Care and Independence Overview and Scrutiny Committee
The expansion of Catterick Garrison	To further consider the impact of such a large confluence of people who are not local to the area and how this might be mitigated (following on from 29 August 2018).
Friary and Friarage Hospitals	To consider updates on these facilities.

Scheduled Meeting dates for 2019/20:-

28th August 201920th November 201925th March 2020

Area Constituency Committee

Work Programme - Suggested areas of work – based upon current scrutiny activity

Subject	Description	Area Constituency Committee	Overview and Scrutiny Committee
NHS finances	Impact of deficits in 2017/18 and any recovery plans for 2018/19	All	Scrutiny of Health
Mental health services	Reconfiguration of mental health services and local impact.	All	Scrutiny of Health
Highways England	Improvement of a roads and key road routes in the county	All	Transport Economy and Environment
Road Casualties	Annual report – could be taken as part of a session on ‘safety’ or ‘place’	Where relevant	Transport Economy and Environment
20 mph speed limits	Introduction and enforcement of speed limits and Vehicle Activated Signs	Where relevant	Transport Economy and Environment
Rural Bus Services	Access to services and the role of community transport – linked to the Stronger Communities agenda and volunteering	All	Transport Economy and Environment
Local Nature Partnership	Links with sustainable tourism and health and wellbeing (particularly mental health)	Where relevant	Transport Economy and Environment
Promotion of heritage	Links with sustainable tourism and the local economy, particularly in the more remote areas of the county	Where relevant	Transport Economy and Environment
Funding for supported housing	Local review undertaken by HAS which may have particular local impacts	Where relevant	Care and Independence
Extra care charging regime	Local review undertaken by HAS which may have particular local impacts	Where relevant	Care and Independence
Mental health prevention services	Local review undertaken by HAS and CCGs which may have particular local impacts	All	Care and Independence

Subject	Description	Area Constituency Committee	Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Drug, alcohol and smoking prevention and treatment services	Re-procurement of substance misuse services by Public Health which may have a local impact	All	Care and Independence
Rural Crime Strategy	Review effectiveness of plans to tackle rural crime	Where relevant	Police and Crime Panel and/or district crime and disorder committees
101 non-emergency service	Review effectiveness of 101 service	All	Corporate and Partnerships
Wildlife crime	Response to high level of wildlife crime in parts of North Yorkshire	Where relevant	Police and Crime Panel and/or district crime and disorder committees
Small schools	Review of the educational outcomes achieved by small schools	All	Young People's Overview and Scrutiny
Under performing schools	Identification of under-performing schools and an assessment of what is being done to improve their outcomes	Where relevant	Young People's Overview and Scrutiny
Parent governors	Roles and responsibilities and whether more can be done to recruit and retain them	Where relevant	Young People's Overview and Scrutiny
School exclusions	Review of levels of exclusions and 'hot spots'	Where relevant	Young People's Overview and Scrutiny
SEND transport	Follow up once the proposed changes to charging have been implemented to ascertain the impact	All	Young People's Overview and Scrutiny

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