

**Appendix A - Sustainable Communities Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme
2009 – 2010**

Ref.	Indicative Overview & Scrutiny Meeting Date	Report Title	Issue to be Considered	Comment
1.	4 August 2009	Highways Maintenance Programme 2010 – 2011	To agree a method for developing the highways maintenance programme for 2010 - 2011	Recommendations provided to officers
2.	4 August 2009	Street Lighting Strategy	To develop policy direction which balances community safety needs with maintenance liabilities and the Council's carbon footprint.	Recommendations provided to the Executive
3.	4 August 2009	Scrutiny of the LDFs and the Growth Agenda	A report setting out options for future scrutiny of the LDFs and the growth agenda generally	Recommendations provided to officers
4.	4 August 2009	Luton Dunstable Busway	Asks members to consider the issue of funding for advanced site clearance works on the Luton Dunstable Busway.	Recommendations provided to the Executive
5.	1 September 2009	LDF for the former Mid Beds Area: Gypsy & Traveller DPD	To agree criteria for site selection	
6.	1 September 2009	Development of Congestion Strategy	To develop policy direction on policies including parking and freight.	
7.	1 September 2009	Rationalisation of Supported Bus Services		
8.	9 September 2009	BEaR Project		
9.	29 September 2009	Harmonisation of waste services policy across Central Bedfordshire	To consider the available options and the associated delivery contracts.	

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10.	29 September 2009	Enforcement Policy Development Management	To review the policy for Central Bedfordshire, which aims to undertake the planning enforcement function in line with recommendations in the Government's Good Practice Guide for Local Planning Authorities – Enforcing Planning Control.	
11.	29 September 2009	Development Control Policy		Subject to confirmation by the Committee
12.	29 September 2009	Local Transport Plan (LTP3)	To consider the options for preparing LTP3 and the partnership/governance arrangements with other local transport authorities that will need to be put in place.	Pre-consideration of the draft LTP3 would be given by the LDF Task Force.
13.	29 September 2009	Site Allocations DPD		
14.	29 September 2009	Town Centre Management Reports	The report reviews the different Town Centre Management arrangements across Central Bedfordshire and recommends some options for improvement.	This report was moved at the request of officers from the meeting on 1 September. It will be considered by the Executive in November 2009.
15.	29 September 2009	Performance Report Q1		
16.	27 October 2009	LDF for the former Mid Beds Area: Core Strategy & Development Management DPD	To note the Inspector's final Report into the Core Strategy and Development Management DPD following Examination and the changes required by the Inspector	Pre-consideration may be required by the task force prior to Executive's consideration and adoption of the Core Strategy & Development Management DPD.

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17.	27 October 2009	Housing Strategy	To consider the strategic housing issues alongside a report to the LSP as part of the preparation for an SCS consultation. This will take on board the issues and options of the SHMA (Strategic Housing Market Assessment) and similar work around other strategies in ASC H and H. timetabled for September 2009. This will inform the development of the Housing Strategy which is to be subsequently incorporated in the Sustainable Community Strategy (SCS) by the Local Strategic partnership (LSP)	Committee may like to consider any links this item has with the SCHH OSC.
18.	24 November 2009	Development of a Uniformed Presence for Central Bedfordshire	To consider the options available for Central Bedfordshire to undertake enforcement of a range of environmental and community safety legislation (including the Environmental Protection Act (EPA) and Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act (CNEA)) and exploring the role that a uniformed team has in that respect.	
19.	24 November 2009	Local Area Economic Assessment	To review the outcome of the local area economic assessment and agree the priorities for the development of the Central Bedfordshire Economic Development and Regeneration Strategy and action plan.	
20.	22 December 2009	Luton-Dunstable Guided Busway	Report on Tender Returns and recommendation to progress scheme.	
21.	22 December 2009	Housing Strategy	To consider a draft Housing Strategy policies to be included the Sustainable Community Strategy (2 nd draft) being reported to the LSP in Jan./Feb 2010.	

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22.	26 January 2010	Joint Local Development Framework for Luton & the former South Beds Area: Core Strategy	To consider the Council's response to the Draft Submission Core Strategy following formal approval & publication by the Joint Planning Committee	Pre-consideration of the Draft Submission DPD would be given by the LDF Task Force.
23.	26 January 2010	TBC		
24.	23 February 2010	TBC		
25.	25 March 2010	TBC		
26.	20 April 2010	TBC		
27.	18 May 2010	Waste Management Strategy	To consider the first strategy document required by a new duty on all Local Authorities (providing waste minimisation and recycling solutions to 2020 ensuring alignment with other CBC policies/ priorities).	
28.	March 2011	LDF for the former Mid Beds Area: Gypsy & Traveller DPD	To note the Inspector's Draft Report into the Gypsy & Traveller DPD following Examination and the changes required by the Inspector	Pre-consideration may be required by the task force
29.	TBC	Central Bedfordshire Economic Development and Regeneration Strategy	To agree and adopt the strategy for Central Bedfordshire.	
30.	TBC	Local Transport Plan (LTP3)	To consider the proposed Local Transport Plan (LTP3) prior to submission to Executive for approval.	Pre-consideration of the draft LTP3 would be given by the LDF Task Force.