

Self-assessment of Overview and Scrutiny Good Practice – 2025

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Section 1: Scrutiny Purpose and Governance

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Section 2: The work of Scrutiny Committees

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23	Does the committee have good working relations with key people and organisations, including the Executive and Corporate Management Team?										
24	Are Officer and Cabinet Members proactive in highlighting issues and topic for additional scrutiny?										
25	Do Scrutiny Committees identify key lines of enquiry and questioning in advance of their meetings?										
26	Is adequate secretariat and administrative support to the committee provided?										

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Section 4: Effectiveness of the Committee

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31	Does the Scrutiny function effectively communicate its work to the rest of the Council and the wider public?										
32	Does Scrutiny Committee activity contribute to the decision making process and the development of new policy?										
33	Are examples of best practice captured and used by Scrutiny Committees?										
34	Is the “Voice” of the local community heard? Does Scrutiny have process for the involvement of the public?										

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Additional Comments

<p>As a member of a Scrutiny Committee what training would you benefit from?</p> <p>What do you think the key strengths of Scrutiny are?</p> <p>What improvements could be made to further develop Scrutiny at the Council?</p>	
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