Environment and Community Safety Overview and Scrutiny Committee Draft Work Plan 2009 – 2010

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22 June 2009		
Grass mowings; question from conservation groups	Consider question and officer briefing	Referred to 23 July Cabinet Member Meeting and then on to senior officers
Night time economy	Overview with representatives of Sussex Police, taxi and licensed trades.	Officers and Partners thanked for work in achieving Beacon Status
Draft waste management strategy	Pre-decision policy development	Comments including dealing with food waste to be forwarded for inclusion as the Committee's response to the Waste Management Strategy and Consultation Plan
SPD London Road Joint ECSOSC/CTEOSC Scrutiny Workshop	Noting comments from the workshop that were taken forward to 7 May 2009 Cabinet Member meeting	Outcomes of public consultation to be reported back to ECSOSC
Crime and Disorder Committees	Noting ECSOSC responsibilities as a Crime and Disorder Committee	Officer-led review of implementation of CDRP scrutiny; and CSF to be asked to do the same

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ECSOSC Work Plan	For discussion and monitoring	Maintain under review		
14 September 2009				
Older People and Community Safety – report of the scrutiny panel	Receiving report of findings and recommendations for endorsement. Presented by Panel Chair Councillor Mo Marsh	Scrutiny Panel Report endorsed by Committee for consideration by the Executive. Meanwhile report to go to 19 October Community Safety Forum for discussion. Monitoring outcomes added to ECSOSC work programme Additional publicity recommended. To be reported to Council 28 January 2010.		
Performance reporting; Full Summary for 2008/2009. Plus questioning off-target areas	Noting last year's performance and questioning re NI 30 – Prolific and Priority Offenders	That officers consider the format of the performance reports; for example those presented to Community Safety Forum.		
Refuse & Recycling Collection and Communal Bins Complaints	Opportunity to question progress	Progress noted.		
Scoping report on potential issues for in-depth scrutiny: cycling, road safety, LTP	Committee to agree matter for scrutiny review.	Panel set up to investigate the road safety measures being taken by the Council and its partners, and issues		

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(local transport plan)		affecting the number of killed and seriously injured.
ECSOSC Draft Work Plan	For discussion and monitoring.	Downland Management report on agenda Environment CMM 24 Sept. Additional items requested; bus fares for young people (9 November) and
		policing the use of drugs (February 2010)
6 October 2009 1pm		
Two call-in requests: Pedestrian Network Phase 2 and Downland Management	ECSOSC meeting called to determine whether or not to refer back two decisions: Pedestrian Network Phase 2 (17 September Cabinet) and Downland Management (24 September Environment CMM)	On the basis of informal consultation with residents present, Pedestrian Network Phase 2 decision not referred back.
		Environment CMM (5 November) asked to reconsider Downland Management
9 November 2009		
Report from Community Safety Forum (CSF)	Summary by Councillor Dee Simson and questions from the Committee	Update from Councillor Simson and request for information on reported levels of hate crime

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Draft Waste and Minerals Core Strategy for Consultation following report to 15 October Cabinet	Results of public consultation	Members noted the outcome of the consultation and were asked to comment individually
Report on roadworks	Request for report following letter from Councillor Steedman	Policies and processes were noted and officers were congratulated for their success in achieving joint working
Young people and concessionary bus fares as requested at 14 September ECSOSC	As requested at Committee	Members needing further information would contact the officer, unable to be present.
SPD London Road – outcome of consultation		Comments to be taken into consideration in the final version of the London Road Central Masterplan
ECSOSC draft work plan	For discussion and monitoring	Two Scrutiny panels set up: support services for victims of rape and sexual assault and 20mph speed zones/limits
18 December 2009 (2pm) pos	tponed to 19 January 2010	
Budget Seminar; postponed to 19 January 2010 due to snow and ice	Opportunity to make recommendations on budget proposals for OSC 26 January to take forward to 11 February Cabinet	Comments to be taken forward to OSC and Cabinet on: subsidised bus services, seafront maintenance and alternative sources of funding, the

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		business case for a transport model and post of hate crime caseworker
8 February 2010		
Discussion with Environment Cabinet Member		
Council's response to weather conditions		
Policing the use of drugs: Operation Reduction	As requested at 14 September Committee following magazine article	
19 April 2010		
Half-yearly report from CSF		
Health Impact Assessment of Licensing; Referral to ECSOSC from November 2009 Licensing Committee	For noting	
Performance reporting – third quarter	Outline report of different national and local indicators relating to Environment Directorate in greater detail to help clarify data. Possibly use Community Safety Forum performance reporting style more widely	