

## Environment Scrutiny

- To develop policy proposals and to review and scrutinise the policies of the Council relating to planning policy, local development framework, transport policy (concessionary fares and subsidised bus routes), Highways Partnership, parking and economic development, energy conservation, waste management, parks and open spaces, historic buildings, conservation – green agenda and street scene.
- To consider matters referred to the Committee by the Executive/Portfolio Holder and refer the matter to the Executive following consideration of the matter on matters within the remit of the Committee.
- To take evidence from interested groups and individuals and make recommendations to the Executive and Council for policy change on matters within the remit of the Committee.
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- To consider issues referred by the Executive, or members of the Committee and where the views of outsiders may contribute, take evidence and report to the Executive and Council on matters within the remit of the Committee.
- To take evidence from interested groups and individuals and make recommendations to the Executive and council for policy change and review the performance of outside bodies on matters within the remit of the Committee.
- To consider any item referred to the Committee by any Member of the Council who is not a member of this Committee and decide whether that item should be pursued on matters within the remit of the Committee.
- To consider matters referred to the Committee by the Executive/Portfolio Holder and refer the matter to the Executive following consideration of the matter on matters within the remit of the Committee.