

**DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
IMPROVEMENT AND SCRUTINY - MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

14 July 2015

Report of the Director of Legal Services

Review Proposals

1. Purpose of the Report

To consider a number of review proposals submitted since the last meeting of the Improvement and Scrutiny Management Committee.

2. Information

The following review proposals have been received since the last meeting of the Committee on 23 February;

Review title	Proposer	Committee
Hate Crime	Cllr Kath Lauro	Places
Visitor Giving	Cllr Kath Lauro	Places
20mph speed limits/zones	Cllr Dean Collins	Places
Tourism in Derbyshire	Cllr Kevin Gillott	Places
Impact of funding cuts to community safety in Derbyshire	Cllr Kevin Gillott	Places
Radicalisation in schools	Cllr Clive Moesby	People
Child Sexual Exploitation	Cllr Clive Moesby	People
Acute Hospital Discharges	Cllr Sean Bambrick	Health
Markham Vale	Cllr Beth Atkins	Resources

Further details of each proposed review are set out in the proposal forms which are attached to this report.

Members are asked to consider each proposal and determine its potential as a scrutiny review for the appropriate Committee.

3. Considerations

In preparing this report the relevance of the following factors has been considered: financial, human relations, legal and human rights, prevention of

crime and disorder, equality and diversity, environmental, health, property and transport considerations.

4. Officer's Recommendation

The Improvement and Scrutiny – Management Committee is asked to consider the scrutiny review proposals set out in the report.

John McElvaney
Director of Legal Services

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Improvement and Scrutiny Review Proposal Form

Date:	17/03/2015
Title of review:	Hate Crime Reporting and Victim Support Services
Review proposer (name):	Kath Lauro Chair of Places I&S Committee
Job Title:	Councillor
Organisation:	Derbyshire County Council
Contact Details:	Kath.lauro@derbyshire.gov.uk

How will the review contribute to the Council Plan ?

This review will contribute to the Council Plan pledge to deliver “A Safer Derbyshire” with “Resilient and Safe Communities”. The Council Plan specifically states that victims of hate crime will be given a higher priority and that there will be better integration around the commissioning of support services.

What are the main objectives of this review?

A Partnership Hate Crime Strategy has been developed by the Derby and Derbyshire Hate Crime Steering Group.

The objective of this review will be to provide pre-decision scrutiny that will contribute to the effective delivery of two actions identified in the Action Plan for the Partnership Hate Crime Strategy .

The review will scrutinise and contribute to:

- The development of a communications plan to raise awareness of hate crime and to promote the reporting of hate crime incidents. This is in light of a significant fall in the number of incidents reported in Derbyshire last year and a low level of referrals to Victim Support.
- Work to map existing services for hate crime victims, to identify the needs of service users and specify the shape of future provision. This information will ultimately be available to help inform the Police and Crime Commissioner prior to commissioning Universal Services for victims in 2016.

Who would you expect to involve as witnesses in this review?

The Derby and Derbyshire Hate Crime Steering Group, Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner, Victims of hate crime, Victim Support, StopHate UK. Signposting centres in Derbyshire, Voluntary groups and other organisations providing hate crime services, DCC Community Safety Manager, Cabinet Member for Health and Communities, Strategic Director Health and Communities.

Will the public be involved, if so how?

The review will explore ways to capture the views of hate crime victims who have reported incidents and accessed support services. This maybe by consulting victims directly or by using

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service evaluation data collected by reporting and victim support services. The review team will aim to find out what aspects of the service work well and how services can be improved to meet the needs of victims.

What will the desirable outcomes of the review be ? e.g. benefits to a community, efficient service etc.

A co-ordinated and person-centred approach to hate crime reporting and support services across Derby and Derbyshire.

How will equality and diversity issues be considered in this review?

The review will consider the five monitored strands of hate crime: Race, Religion, Disability, Sexual orientation, and Transgender and where possible take account of the specific needs of different hate crime victims.

What value can a scrutiny review add to this proposed review area?

Key contributions will include:

- A focus on the views and experiences of hate crime victims so that their needs are at the heart of future service provision.
- Consideration of initiatives and service provision in other areas of the country so that Derby and Derbyshire can learn from best practice.
- An opportunity to identify duplication and gaps in service provision and to foster better partnership working.

What category does this proposal come under?

Policy Review

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Holding executive to account

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How long do you expect the review to take?

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Date:	19/03/2015
Title of review:	Visitor Giving Schemes
Review proposer (name):	I&S Places Committee Chair - Cllr K Lauro
Job Title:	Councillor
Organisation:	DCC
Contact Details:	Kath.lauro@derbyshire.gov.uk

How will the review contribute to the Council Plan ?

The Council Plan identifies “Sustainable and Green Communities” as a priority. This review will explore opportunities to raise funds to support community based projects that will promote and protect Derbyshire’s unique landscape and heritage.

This review will also contribute to the Council Plan pledge to deliver a “Derbyshire that Works”. Under the heading “A Strong Economy” the Council Plan specifically states that support and networking opportunities will be provided to the tourism sector and that the Council will maximise the level of funding coming into the county from external sources. Although this review will be about inviting small donations from visitors, collectively the donations could have a significant impact on the size and number of community based projects that can be delivered.

What are the main objectives of this review?

Across the country there are examples of Visitor Giving (or Visitor Payback) schemes. Through such schemes visitors are invited to make small donations towards the upkeep of an area or tourist attraction they have enjoyed visiting. The money raised helps fund projects (usually delivered by voluntary groups or not-for-profit organisations) which contribute to the management of local heritage sites, the landscape or environment.

The review would explore the potential of Visitor Giving, consider the success or otherwise of schemes that have been trialled or are currently operating in Derbyshire and reflect on opportunities for (and the feasibility of) future Visitor Giving Schemes in Derbyshire.

Who would you expect to involve as witnesses in this review?

The review will consider partnership working with the tourism sector to raise funds and ways of engaging local groups and organisations to deliver local heritage, landscape and environment projects. The review will therefore be relevant to several Cabinet portfolios (Health and Communities; Highways, Transport and Infrastructure; Strategic Policy and Budget) and two departments (ETE and Health and Communities).

Witnesses would include: organisations with experience of hosting Visitor Giving Schemes, Tourism businesses, Visit Peak District, Voluntary groups (interested in heritage, conservation and the environment), District and Borough Councils, Peak District National Park. Officers from Legal Services and Finance would also be consulted.

Will the public be involved, if so how?

Initially the public would not be involved in the review. Visit England has carried out public

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consultation and published results about the proportion of visitors who are prepared to donate when asked to do so and how much they are prepared to donate. The review would draw on this information and other published research and would seek to gauge public interest by learning from organisations that have trialled Giving Schemes in Derbyshire.

What will the desirable outcomes of the review be ? e.g. benefits to a community, efficient service etc.

The review would lead to a better understanding of Visitor Giving Schemes. In particular the review would consider operating frameworks , accountability and governance, suitability of hosting organisations, operating costs, mechanisms for collecting donations, the success or otherwise of visitor payback schemes that have operated in Derbyshire and opportunities for new payback schemes in Derbyshire.

How will equality and diversity issues be considered in this review?

If a Visitor Giving Scheme were to be established equality and diversity issues would be considered at the point when decisions were being made about which community projects would be funded.

What value can a scrutiny review add to this proposed review area?

Potentially Visitor Giving could provide a new funding stream to support community based projects to conserve and maintain visitor destinations and improve sustainable tourism within the county

What category does this proposal come under?

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External Partnership(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Policy development	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other (please specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Public health & Wellbeing			
Social Capital			

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Date:	13/04/2015
Title of review:	20mph Speed Limits and 20mph Zones
Review proposer (name):	Cllr Dean Collins
Job Title:	Cabinet Member – Highways Transport and Infrastructure
Organisation:	Derbyshire County Council
Contact Details:	Dean.Collins@derbyshire.gov.uk

How will the review contribute to the Council Plan ?

This review will contribute to the Council Plan pledge to deliver “A Derbyshire that works ” with “Well connected communities”. In particular it will contribute to the Council Plan priority to reduce the number of people killed or seriously injured on Derbyshire’s Roads.

The review will gather evidence about 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones, and consider their influence on road casualties, road users and local communities.

What are the main objectives of this review?

Background:

Local highway authorities are responsible for determining speed limits on the local road network. In December 2011 the Strategic Director of the, then, Environmental Services Department submitted a report to Cabinet about the effectiveness of 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones. The report concluded that 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones can be effective as casualty reduction measures but that they are most appropriate where there is an existing casualty record. The report went on to recommend that 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones should be “used sparingly”

Since then, in January 2013, the Department for Transport has published revised guidance on setting local speed limits. The guidance encourages local highway authorities to keep their speed limits under review and to consider the introduction of more 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones based on criteria specified in the guidance.

Objectives:

This review will gather the current evidence about 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones, and consider their influence on road casualties, road users and local communities. It will look at how decisions about 20mph limits in Derbyshire are currently determined and whether the approach is applied consistently across the County and is in-line with the government guidance. The review will also consider the approaches and experiences of other highway authorities and, in doing so, will provide opportunities to learn from best practice.

Who would you expect to involve as witnesses in this review?

The Cabinet Member for Highways, Transport and Infrastructure.

The Cabinet Member for Health and Communities.

The Strategic Director of Economy, Transport and Environment and/or relevant officers from the Department.

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The Strategic Director for Health and Communities and/or relevant officers from the Department.
The Partnership Development Manager of Derby and Derbyshire Road Safety Partnership (and member organisations).
Councillors and officers from other Local Highway Authorities.
Derbyshire road users, residents and businesses.
Organisations representing motorists, cyclist and pedestrians.

Will the public be involved, if so how?

The review will seek the views of Derbyshire road users and residents. The precise mechanism for this will be determined once the review working group is convened.

What will the desirable outcomes of the review be ? e.g. benefits to a community, efficient service etc.

Desirable outcomes of the review include:

- Improved clarity, and therefore greater consistency of approach when setting 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones in Derbyshire
- Evidence to inform decisions about appropriate local speed limits, particularly (where conditions dictate) 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones.
- Greater transparency so that the public are better informed about the Council's decision making criteria for setting 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones.

How will equality and diversity issues be considered in this review?

The review will consider how 20mph speed limits and 20mph zones, and any associated traffic calming measures , might impact on disabled road users and pedestrians.

What value can a scrutiny review add to this proposed review area?

The review will add value by considering the balance between road safety, accessibility and environmental objectives and how these impact on the quality of life for local communities. Ultimately recommendations resulting from the review may lead to local speed limits that better reflect the needs of all road users.

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Date:	26/05/2015
Title of review:	Tourism in Derbyshire
Review proposer (name):	Cllr Kevin Gillott
Job Title/Position	Derbyshire County Councillor
Organisation:	Derbyshire County Council
Contact Details:	Kevin.Gillott@Derbyshire.gov.uk

How will the review contribute to the Council Plan?

This review will contribute to the Council Plan pledge to deliver “A Derbyshire that works” and the priority to support and grow “A strong economy”. It also links with the priority for “Sustainable and green communities” as the Council’s role in protecting and improving the county’s heritage and natural environment plays an important part in attracting visitors.

What are the main objectives of this review?

The main objectives will be:

- To understand the scale of tourism in Derbyshire in terms of the contribution it makes to the county’s economy and jobs market.
- To ascertain what Derbyshire County Council does currently to support the tourism sector and what lessons can be learnt from other local authorities.
- To identify opportunities for the Council to work (in partnership) with public, private and voluntary sector organisations to support tourism businesses, create jobs, and secure additional investment in the county.

Who would you expect to involve as witnesses in this review?

- The Cabinet Member for Highways, Transport and Infrastructure.
- The Strategic Director of Economy, Transport and Environment and/or relevant officers from the Department.
- Councillors and officers from other Local Authorities including Derbyshire District and Borough Councils and the Peak District National Park.
- Visit Peak District and Derbyshire (VPDD)
- Local tourist sites and businesses
- Chamber of Commerce (East Midlands Chamber)
- The Cabinet Member for Health and Communities and officers from the Health and Communities Department with regards to promoting Derbyshire as a destination by providing support to the heritage and arts sector.

Will the public be involved, if so how?

It is anticipated that the review working group will meet with local businesses and tourist site operators.

What will the desirable outcomes of the review be ? e.g. benefits to a community, efficient service etc. How will this be measured? e.g. performance monitoring.

A desirable outcome of the review will be recommendations designed to maximise the positive contribution that tourism has on the economy, employment and quality of life in Derbyshire.

How will equality and diversity issues be considered in this review?

The review will be mindful of initiatives and opportunities to improve the accessibility of tourism.

What value can a scrutiny review add to this proposed review area?

It is anticipated that the review will provide a strategic overview of how the Council supports tourism, in Derbyshire, and through its investigations the review will identify further opportunities to support the sector and boost the local economy.

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How long do you expect the review to take?

6 Months

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Improvement and Scrutiny Review Proposal Form

Date:	26/05/2015
Title of review:	The impact of funding cuts on Community Safety in Derbyshire
Review proposer (name):	Cllr Kevin Gillott
Job Title/Position	Derbyshire County Councillor
Organisation:	Derbyshire County Council
Contact Details:	Kevin.Gillott@Derbyshire.gov.uk

How will the review contribute to the Council Plan?

This review will contribute to the Council Plan pledge to deliver "A Safer Derbyshire" and the priority to ensure "Resilient and Safe Communities"

What are the main objectives of this review?

This will be a strategic review during which the review working group will meet with organisations, that deliver crime prevention and victim support services in Derbyshire, to ascertain how funding cuts have impacted on their services. It is important to note that, it is not the intention to review the performance of individual agencies.

The working group will also invite written evidence from Districts and Borough Councils about noticeable impacts on services.

The main objectives of the review will be:

- To document the cumulative impact of government funding cuts on community safety services in Derbyshire and identify any resulting gaps in service provision.
- To identify opportunities for the Council to work with partners to counter the impact of funding cuts on crime prevention, community safety and victim support services.

Who would you expect to involve as witnesses in this review?

- The Cabinet Member for Health and Communities
- The Strategic Director of Health and Communities and/or relevant officers from the Department.
- Councillors and officers from District and Borough Councils
- Member organisations of the Derbyshire Community Safety Partnerships
- Derbyshire Police and the Chief Constable
- The Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire
- Third sector organisations providing support services
- Community representatives

Will the public be involved, if so how?

It is anticipated that the review team will meet with community representatives to find out whether from their perspective changes to services have had an impact in their communities.

What will the desirable outcomes of the review be ? e.g. benefits to a community, efficient service etc. How will this be measured? e.g. performance monitoring.

The outcomes of the review will be:

- An assessment of the cumulative impact of government funding cuts on the prevention of crime and disorder in Derbyshire.
- Recommendations for future ways of working to counter the impact of funding cuts on crime prevention and victim support services in Derbyshire in a climate of continuing austerity.

How will equality and diversity issues be considered in this review?

The review will consider whether groups with protected characteristics (as described in the Equality Act) have been disproportionately affected by reductions in service delivery.

What value can a scrutiny review add to this proposed review area?

It is anticipated that this strategic review will document the cumulative impacts of government spending cuts on community safety in Derbyshire and make policy recommendations to drive a strategic approach to collaborative working to bridge gaps in service delivery.

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How long do you expect the review to take?

6 Months

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Date:	09/04/2015
Title of review:	Radicalisation in Schools
Review proposer (name):	Clive Moesby, Chair of I&S Management Committee
Job Title:	Councillor
Organisation:	Derbyshire County Council
Contact Details:	Clive.moesby@derbyshire.gov.uk

How will the review contribute to the Council Plan ?

This review will contribute to the Council Plan pledge to deliver “A Derbyshire that cares” with “Thriving children, young people and families” as well as “A Safer Derbyshire” through “Resilient and Safe Communities”.

What are the main objectives of this review?

Radicalisation in school has been brought into the national spotlight more in recent years. The objectives will be:

- review the current activity of the Council in partnership with police, schools, health and probation to deter radicalisation in Derbyshire schools
- assess the extent, if any, of issues and risks of past, present and future radicalisation including from connected locations such as Derby, Sheffield, Manchester etc..
- understand how these risks are identified and monitored
- consult with young people on their knowledge and awareness of radicalisation and the value of the services being delivered by the Council and partners
- identify gaps in service provision
- review good practice in other authorities

Who would you expect to involve as witnesses in this review?

DCC Community Safety Manager and relevant officers including from CAYA, Cabinet Member for Health and Communities, Strategic Director Health and Communities, Cabinet Member for Children and Young People, Strategic Director of Children and Young Adults. DCC Extremism Working Group, School Improvement Service.

Youth Council Members, School children, victims of radicalisation

PREVENT team at Derbyshire Police, Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner, Probation service, Healthcare professionals.

CVS groups and organisations involved in deterring radicalisation in schools.

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Will the public be involved, if so how?

The review will explore ways to capture the views of those who receive services aimed at preventing radicalisation in schools, including school pupils and teachers. Parents/Carers may be involved too.

What will the desirable outcomes of the review be ? e.g. benefits to a community, efficient service etc.

Evidence of services to stop radicalisation in schools, including measures such as awareness and satisfaction levels of users. Evidence of partnership working to ensure services are being delivered to schools. Evidence that risks are being monitored in terms of radicalisation from within and nearby areas to Derbyshire.

How will equality and diversity issues be considered in this review?

All institutions have a duty of care to provide a safe learning environment for staff and learners. This duty will be higher where vulnerable learners are concerned, and radicalisation may be viewed as a vulnerability. The Counter-Terrorism and Security Act 2015 specifies that the County Council has to have due regard to the need to prevent people from being drawn into terrorism. This duty is also relevant to Section 149 of the Equality Act 2010.

What value can a scrutiny review add to this proposed review area?

Key contributions will include:

- Influencing policy development and collaborative working between Council departments and partners.
- Analysis of the views and experiences of school pupils and their parents/carers of the services provided to raise awareness of radicalisation in schools.
- Consideration of initiatives and service provision in other areas of the country so that Derby and Derbyshire can learn from best practice.
- An opportunity to identify any duplication and gaps in service provision.

What category does this proposal come under?

Policy Review

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Date:	23/04/2015
Title of review:	Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE) Review
Review proposer (name):	Clive Moesby, Chair of I&S Management Committee
Job Title:	Councillor
Organisation:	Derbyshire County Council
Contact Details:	clive.moesby@derbyshire.gov.uk

How will the review contribute to the Council Plan ?

This review will contribute to the Council Plan pledge to deliver “A Derbyshire that cares” with “Thriving children, young people and families” as well as “A Safer Derbyshire” through “Resilient and Safe Communities”.

What are the main objectives of this review?

- the current CSE strategy and action plan and how it is delivering services to prevent CSE in Derbyshire (including on-line safety)
- how CSE risks are identified and monitored
- consulting with young people on their knowledge and awareness of CSE and the effectiveness of the services being delivered by the Council and partners and that their voice being heard in the development of the CSE strategy
- the CSE training provided to staff and whether front line staff feel that they have the right training and tools to equip them to work effectively with CSE
- gaps in service provision
- good practice in other authorities and whether our partners in District Councils have been adequately briefed - particularly on their licensing function
- the Council’s response to HM Governments guidance on tackling CSE

Who would you expect to involve as witnesses in this review?

Relevant officers from CAYA Safeguarding and Specialist Services, Youth Offending, Community Safety, Cabinet Member for Health and Communities, Strategic Director Health and Communities, Cabinet Member for Children and Young People, Strategic Director of Children and Young Adults, School Improvement Service.

Derbyshire Safeguarding Children’s Board.

Youth Council Members, young people, school teachers and support staff.

Public Protection Unit at Derbyshire Police, Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner, Probation service, Derbyshire Criminal Justice Board, Healthcare professionals.

CVS groups and organisations involved in raising awareness of CSE (eg Derby Safe and Sound), local religious groups (eg Diocese of Derby)

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Victim Services, Victim Support Services.

Will the public be involved, if so how?

The review will explore ways to capture the views of those who receive services aimed at raising awareness and tackling CSE, including school pupils and teachers. Parents/Carers may be involved too.

What will the desirable outcomes of the review be ? e.g. benefits to a community, efficient service etc.

Better understanding of services which raise awareness of CSE and that it is working, including measures such as satisfaction of people that received service. Better understanding of partnership working to ensure services are being delivered in line with the DSCB CSE strategy and action plan. Better understand that risks are being monitored in terms of CSE from within and nearby areas to Derbyshire.

How will equality and diversity issues be considered in this review?

The protected characteristics under the Equality Act 2010 such as disability, ethnicity, sex, religion or belief, sexual orientation etc. will be considered. The particular needs and sensitivities of young people, children with a physical disability or learning disabilities, those from ethnic communities, or those for who English is not their first language, should be reflected in the provision of services.

What value can a scrutiny review add to this proposed review area?

Key contributions will include:

- Influencing policy development and collaborative working between Council departments and partners.
- Analysis of the views and experiences of school pupils and their parents/carers of the services provided to raise awareness of CSE
- Consideration of initiatives and service provision in other areas of the country so Derbyshire can learn from best practice.
- An opportunity to identify any duplication and gaps in service provision.

What category does this proposal come under?

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Date:	March 2015
Title of review:	Acute Hospitals Discharges
Review proposer (name):	Cllr Sean Bambrick
Job Title/Position	Chair of I & S Health Committee
Organisation:	Derbyshire County Council
Contact Details:	c/o Jackie Wardle, I & S Officer 01629 538247 jackie.wardle@derbyshire.gov.uk

How will the review contribute to the Council Plan?

This review will support the Council Plan in respect of its “Healthy Derbyshire” agenda. It will assess to what extent current processes are able to facilitate safe and timely patient discharge from acute hospitals to their home or other care settings and how service organisations work together to achieve this.

What are the main objectives of this review?

To investigate the current processes used to discharge patients from acute hospitals, identify any delays in the process and ascertain improvements to the process which may lead to a speedier discharge process and better patient experience.

Who would you expect to involve as witnesses in this review?

Acute Hospital managers/staff; Patients and their carers; Care home managers/staff; Community nurses/Health visitors; GPs; Social Care managers/workers ; District/Borough Housing providers; Healthwatch Derbyshire

Will the public be involved, if so how?

Patient/carers will be canvassed for their views and experiences

What will the desirable outcomes of the review be ? e.g. benefits to a community, efficient service etc. How will this be measured? e.g. performance monitoring.

If areas for improvement are identified, these will be referred to the appropriate services providers/commissioners with a view to action being implemented to achieve the desired outcomes. Progress of implementation will be monitored by the I & S Health Committee at strategic intervals.

How will equality and diversity issues be considered in this review?

As assessment of the current hospital discharge process will support some of the most vulnerable people in the community. In particular, elderly people experiencing the transition from hospital to home invariably have individual follow-on care needs and an efficient discharge process will provide them with the care and protection they require.

What value can a scrutiny review add to this proposed review area?

The Health Scrutiny Committee can offer an external view of the internal arrangements in a Health provider organisation and assess the working practises between partner organisations. The review will be able to consider the process from the service user perspective and identify any opportunities for improvement to share with all stakeholders.

What category does this proposal come under?

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How long do you expect the review to take?

6 -9 months

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Date:	12 th March 2015
Title of review:	Markham Vale – exploring the model as a value for money example for future similar expenditure?
Review proposer (name):	Beth Atkins
Job Title/Position	Councillor
Organisation:	DCC
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How will the review contribute to the Council Plan?

The review will decide whether exercises like Markham Vale are value for money; whether the model should be repeated; the review will assist in comparing value for money set against creating employment for Derbyshire residents – unemployment has a financial and social cost impact for the council plan.

Will repeating the project create more employment and energise communities?

What are the main objectives of this review?

To discover whether sufficient jobs have been created for residents in the areas needing regeneration and employment in Derbyshire to make the cost of the Markham Vale Project an exemplar exercise to repeat in other similar areas in need of Regeneration. It will look at the types of jobs created by the project. It will check where the new workers came from geographically and ensure unemployed Derbyshire residents were helped into employment. It will explore whether suitable training to support workers into employment was available or is needed for Derbyshire residents.

Who would you expect to involve as witnesses in this review?

Workers now employed at Markham Vale - Employers at Markham Vale

Job Centre Employees, Social Workers, - Colleges - Careers advisers – curriculum devisers

Unemployed Residents seeking work

Others?

What category does this proposal come under?

Policy Review	<input type="checkbox"/>	Holding executive to account	<input type="checkbox"/>
External Partnership(s)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Policy development	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other (please specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Expenditure re budget?	

How long do you expect the review to take?

Not sure depends on depth

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