

**DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
PEOPLE IMPROVEMENT AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

5 March 2014

Report of the Director of Legal Services

WORK PROGRAMME 2014/15

1. Purpose of the Report

To consider the People Improvement and Scrutiny Committee's work programme for 2014/15.

2. Information

The Committee is currently engaged in two short-term reviews relating to a broader review of the Council's approach to equality, diversity and inclusion which was agreed at the 31 July Committee meeting. These reviews concern the areas of decision making and recruitment and selection, with working groups and key lines of inquiry for each review established.

The main focus of the Committee's work over future months will be on *safeguarding children* and *corporate parenting*.

3. Considerations (to be specified individually where appropriate)

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 People Improvement and Scrutiny Committee note the work programme for 2014/15.

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Director of Legal Services**

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Appendix A

14 May 2014	Cabinet Member discussion	Cllr K Gillott, <i>Cabinet Member for Children and Young People</i>
	Corporate Parenting Performance Report	Ian Johnson, <i>Deputy Strategic Director (Children & Younger Adults)</i>
	Healthwatch Derbyshire standing item	Helen Hart, <i>Intelligence and Insight Co-ordinator</i>
	Safeguarding Ofsted inspection report	Ian Johnson, <i>Deputy Strategic Director (Children & Younger Adults)</i> and Christine Cassell, <i>Independent Chair of Derbyshire Safeguarding Children's Board (TBC)</i>
	Progress Reports on Equality and Diversity and Recruitment and Selection working groups	Cllrs D Charles and S Freeborn
	Progress Report from Safeguarding sub-group	Cllr D Charles
	Work Programme Report	Cllr D Charles, <i>Chair I&S People</i>
9 July 2014	Cabinet Member discussion	Cllr C Neill, <i>Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care</i>
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