

COMMITTEE: SCRUTINY BOARD

DATE: 30<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2002

SUBJECT: REFERENCE FROM REGENERATION & CITIZENSHIP  
SCRUTINY COMMITTEE - ANNUAL REPORT 2001-02  
AND WORK PROGRAMME 2002/03

REPORT BY: HEAD OF LOCAL DEMOCRACY

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IMPLICATIONS:

LEGAL ☐

COMMUNITY SAFETY ☐

EQUALITIES ☐

ENVIRONMENT ☐

FINANCIAL ☐

CONSULTATIONS ☐

STAFFING ☐

OTHER ☐

WARDS AFFECTED: ALL

**PURPOSE**

1. The purpose of the report is to submit the Regeneration and Citizenship Scrutiny Committee Annual Report 2001-02 and Work Programme for 2002-03 to the Scrutiny Board for their consideration and approval.

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

2. Scrutiny Board Committee is recommended to:
  - (i) approve the work programme of the Regeneration and Citizenship Scrutiny Committee for 2002-03;
  - (ii) give consideration to the recommendation of the Regeneration and Citizenship Scrutiny Committee that the Board put a procedure in place to allow all four of the Scrutiny Committees to track the decisions of the Executive;
  - (ii) note the Regeneration and Citizenship Scrutiny Committee, Annual Report 2001-02.

## **BACKGROUND**

3. At their meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> May, 2002 the Regeneration and Citizenship Scrutiny Committee considered their work programme for 2002-03.

## **REPORT**

4. Following consideration of their work programme for 2002-03 the Regeneration and Citizenship Scrutiny Committee agreed to concentrate on the following topics:
  - Community Safety  
(Safer Luton Partnership, safe streets, Crime and Disorder Act – monitoring reports)
  - Regeneration Initiatives  
(effectiveness/outcomes, reducing unemployment, effects on quality of life, exit strategies, Single Regeneration Budget (SRB), Objective 2, Neighbourhood Renewal Fund, European Social Fund)
  - Regeneration  
(development proposals for Vauxhall sites)
  - New Deal For Communities  
(Marsh Farm – monitoring reports)
  - Artezium
5. The Committee also recommended that the Scrutiny Board put a procedure in place to allow all four scrutiny Committees to track the decisions of the Executive.
6. They further resolved to submit the Annual Report for 2001-02 to the Scrutiny Board.

## **PROPOSAL/OPTIONS**

7. Scrutiny Board can either accept or reject the recommendations of the Regeneration and Citizenship Scrutiny Committee.

## **APPENDIX**

8. Appendix – Regeneration and Citizenship Scrutiny Committee – Annual Report 2001-02

## **LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS**

### **LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972, SECTION 100D**

9. Committee Report Ref: R&C/05/5.3