

## Overview and Scrutiny Matters Arising Schedule

### Purpose:

To consider progress on the matters arising from previous Overview and Scrutiny Committee meetings.

**Recommendation:** That Members note progress on the matters arising and request corrective action if necessary.

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Status	Title	Action Required	Comments	Due Date	Allocated To
Black	<b>Emergency Plans: How are WLDC supporting Parish Council's</b>	Contact Andy Gray & Grant White with questions from Cttee - "Members raised concerns about the inconsistent progress of emergency planning across Parish Councils. Difficulties in completing framework plans were noted, particularly in identifying volunteers for key roles. It was clarified by the Chairman that the frameworks were adaptable and could be tailored to local needs. The importance of ensuring preparedness and building confidence at both community and authority levels was emphasised. It was agreed that, if the LRF could not attend earlier, alternative arrangements would be explored."	<b>Update: 11/11/2025 - Emailed Members of the Committee documents which address the questions raised recently at Overview &amp; Scrutiny Committee. Each question has been listed with a corresponding heading for clarity. Also attached was a summary presentation Grant prepared to help explain the Resilient Communities Programme. This is the key initiative that underpins our support to parish and town councils in developing their emergency plans.</b>	(blank)	Molly Spencer
Green	<b>Progress &amp; Delivery Working Group</b>	A working group be established by the Overview & Scrutiny Committee and include representation from Full Council	<b>... It was noted that the move towards a more streamlined reporting structure made considerable sense, particularly in terms of measuring efficiency and supporting the scrutiny function. The importance of holding officers, Members, and the Council collectively to account was emphasised. Support was expressed for the approach, with a suggestion that the working group established by the Committee could be broadened to include representation from Full Council, thereby ensuring a wider range of perspectives... From minutes of the Overview &amp; Scrutiny Committee 14.10.2025</b>	(blank)	Darren Mellors