

# LONDON BOROUGH OF CROYDON

<b>REPORT:</b>	<b>Scrutiny &amp; Overview Committee</b>	
<b>DATE OF DECISION</b>	<b>17 September 2024</b>	
<b>REPORT TITLE:</b>	<b>Scrutiny Annual Report 2023-24</b>	
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<b>LEAD MEMBER:</b>	<b>Councillor Rowenna Davis,</b> <b>Chair of the Scrutiny &amp; Overview Committee</b>	
<b>AUTHORITY TO TAKE DECISION:</b>	The attached draft report summarises the work of Scrutiny during 2023-24 and is presented to the Scrutiny & Overview Committee for sign-off before submission for the Council meeting on 9 October 2024.	
<b>KEY DECISION?</b>	<b>No</b>	
<b>CONTAINS EXEMPT INFORMATION?</b>  <i>(* See guidance)</i>	<b>No</b>	Public
<b>WARDS AFFECTED:</b>	All	

## 1. SCRUTINY ANNUAL REPORT 2023-24

- 1.1. The Council's Constitution required the Scrutiny & Overview Committee to make an annual report to Council summarising its work over the previous year.
- 1.2. A draft version of the Scrutiny Annual Report is attached at Appendix 1 for the Committee to review. The Committee is able to suggest possible amendments for inclusion in the final version of the report, which will be presented to the Council meeting on 9 October 2024.

## 2. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to: -

1. Approve the draft version of the Annual Scrutiny Report for submission to Council on 9 October 2024.
2. To note that any amendments made as a result of the comments of the Committee will be agreed by the Scrutiny Chairs, to meet the timeline for delivery to the Council meeting.

### **3. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 3.1. It is a requirement set out in part 4E: Scrutiny and Overview Procedure Rules of the Council's Constitution for the Scrutiny & Overview Committee to submit an annual report on the work of itself and its sub-committees to the first full meeting of the Council of the new year.

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#### **Appendix A: Draft Scrutiny Annual Report 2023-24**