

**TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATIONS FROM
CONSTITUTION REVIEW WORKING PARTY**

Policy Framework

To amend section B-6:

- (a) **Policy Framework.** The policy framework means the following plans and strategies and such others as the Council shall determine to be included in the policy framework: -
- Best Value Performance Plan;
 - Financial Strategy
 - Crime and Disorder Reduction Strategy;
 - Plans and strategies which together comprise the Development Plan;
 - Council's Corporate Strategy
 - Food Law Enforcement Service Plan;
 - The plan and strategy which comprise the Housing Investment Programme; including the HRA Strategy and Business Plan
 - Community Strategy

This adds the Community Strategy but deletes the LA21 Strategy which is not now a separate strategy

Role of Scrutiny

That the title of the Scrutiny Committee be changed to "Scrutiny and Overview Committee" and any consequential amendments be made.

The Scrutiny Committee has raised no objections to this.

Position of the Conservation Portfolio Holder

That the position of Conservation Portfolio Holder be amalgamated into the Sustainability and Community Planning Portfolio Holder remit and any consequential amendments be made.

The Working Party considered that the workload could be amalgamated without problem because of its size and that the Leader has a workload heavy enough without this addition. It was felt that the portfolio was best distanced from planning issues and that amalgamation with Sustainability and Community Planning would enhance that portfolio's cross-cutting role.