



## Provisional Work Programme Place Overview and Scrutiny Committee

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Topic	Relevant strategic priorities	Purpose	Type	Lead presenters
<b>24 June 2026</b>				
<b>Ox:Bus Plan for 2040 and Enhanced Partnership Plus proposals</b>	Fairer; Greener; Healthier	To provide the Committee with an high-level overview of the Bus Plan (including the structure, vision, objectives, and key outcomes) as well as the overall project programme the Council is working towards delivering. This would be to provide the Committee with the opportunity to influence the approach before the public consultation in September.	Overview and Scrutiny	Paul Fermer, Katharine Broomfield, Ashley Hayden
<b>Flag-flying protocol</b>	Fairer	To consider the policy for flying flags on the buildings and land owned or managed by the Council before it is recommended to Cabinet in July. The policy aims to comply with the planning regulations, respect the national and local significance of certain dates and events, and accommodate the requests of organisations that wish to fly their own flags. It states the responsibilities and decision-making process for	Overview and Scrutiny	Susannah Wintersgill, Lauren Bond

		the flying of flags, and which flags are excluded. It does not refer to flags flown by citizens on highways or assets, which are treated separately under enforcement powers.		
<b>23 September 2026</b>				
<b>Police and Crime Plan for Oxfordshire</b>	Fairer; Greener; Healthier	As part of its Crime and Disorder Panel responsibilities, the Committee has invited the Police and Crime Commissioner and the Chief Constable of Thames Valley Police to report on progress against the Police and Crime Plan. The Head of the Road Policing Unit has also been invited.	Crime and Disorder Panel	Matthew Barber; Jason Hogg
<b>Movement and Place Plans: West Oxfordshire Lowlands and Kidlington &amp; Surrounding Villages</b>	Fairer; Greener; Healthier	To review the proposed Movement and Place Plans, which set out key objectives for the areas, and which are part of the work supporting and delivering the Council to deliver its LTCP targets and its Policies 52 and 53 which noted the aspiration to deliver localised movement and place plans, before they are recommended to Cabinet in October.	Overview and Scrutiny	Paul Fermer; Ashley Hayden
<b>Transport Working Group: Update on Recommendations</b>	Fairer; Greener; Healthier	To receive an update on actions arising from the Committee's recommendations (submitted to Cabinet in June 2025 and responded to by Cabinet on 16 September 2025).	Overview and Scrutiny	Paul Fermer
<b>21 October 2026 – additional meeting</b>				
<b>Oxfordshire Fire and Rescue Cover Model</b>	Fairer; Greener; Healthier	To consider the latest proposals for the OFRS Cover Model following consultation and before submission to Cabinet	Overview and Scrutiny	Rob MacDougall; Hal Davison
<b>Fire and Rescue Improvement Programme: Update</b>	Fairer; Greener; Healthier	To receive the annual update on the progress OFRS has made in response to the areas for improvement highlighted in the HMICFRS report of 2024.	Overview and Scrutiny	Rob MacDougall



<b>25 November 2026</b>				
<b>Quiet Lanes: Phase 1 Review</b>	Fairer; Greener; Healthier	To receive an update on Phase 1 of the Quiet Lanes policy and to consider plans for Phase 2	Overview and Scrutiny	Paul Fermer; Daniel McCrory; Melissa Goodacre
<b>Infrastructure Funding Statement 2025/26 and s106 Improvement Programme Update</b>	Fairer; Greener; Healthier	To review the Infrastructure Funding Statement for 2025/26 and to receive an update on the s.106 Improvement Programme.	Overview and Scrutiny	Robin Rogers; Ian Dyson; Tahira Khan
<b>03 February 2027</b>				
<b>21 April 2027</b>				

<b>Sub-groups/Working Groups</b>				
<b>Name</b>	<b>Relevant strategic priorities</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Outcomes</b>	<b>Members</b>
<b>None at present</b>				