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Colchester	28 June 2023	
Report of	Group Manager – Neighbourhood Author Owen Howell Services 282518	
Title	Work Programme 2023-24	
Wards affected	Not applicable	

# 1. Executive Summary

1.1 This report sets out the dates of the Work Programme for 2023-2024 for the Policy Panel and gives the Panel an opportunity to consider what subjects for which it may wish to request Cabinet approval for the Panel to consider in the 2023-24 municipal year, and to formally make recommendations to put these to Cabinet for approval. Cabinet may also wish to consider what subjects it might want the Policy Panel to consider during 2023-24.

# 2. Recommended Decision

2.1 The Panel is asked to note the dates of the Panel's Work Programme for 2023-2024 as set out below and to consider if it wishes to request Cabinet approval for work items to be added.

# 3. Alternative Options

3.1 This function forms part of the Panel's Terms of Reference and, as such, no alternative options are presented.

# 4. Background Information

4.1 The Policy Panel's Work Programme will evolve as the municipal year progresses. Items can be added to the Work Programme by request of Portfolio Holders and/or Cabinet requesting policies, strategies or other issues to be reviewed.

# 5. Standard References

5.1 There are no specific references to publicity or consultation considerations; or financial; equality, diversity and human rights; community safety; health and safety or risk management implications.

# 6. Strategic Plan References

- 6.1 Policy review is integral to the delivery of the Strategic Plan's priorities and direction for the City as set out under the themes of:
  - Respond to the climate emergency;
  - Deliver modern services for a modern city;
  - Improve health, wellbeing and happiness;
  - Deliver homes for those most in need;
  - Grow our economy so everyone benefits;
  - Celebrate our City, heritage and culture.

# Policy Panel Work Programme 2022-23

#### 28 June 2023

• Work Programme 2023-24

# 2 August 2023

• Work Programme 2023-24

# 27 September 2023

- Universal Credit/Financial Inequality
- Work Programme 2023-24

# 29 November 2023

• Work Programme 2023-24

# 10 January 2024

• Work Programme 2023-24

#### 6 March 2024

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# Items which need to be scheduled for 2023-24

Potential update on Voter ID arrangements, depending on whether the Panel membership for 2023-24 wishes to receive this [Item requested by Panel in 2022-23].