

WORK PLAN FOR CUSTOMER FOCUS SCRUTINY ITEMS 2025/26

Working Draft for March 2026

Customer Focus Scrutiny Committee	Item	Director	Portfolio Holder	Origin of Business	Status
19 March 2026	Portfolio Holder's Report (Cllr R Williams)	Strategic Director for Operations (AP)	Portfolio Holder for City Management		
19 March 2026	Portfolio Holder's Report (Cllr Foale)	Strategic Director for Place (IC)	Portfolio Holder for Arts, Culture & Tourism (Cllr Foale)		
19 March 2026	Update on Street Cleansing and Bin Collection – Recycling and Food Waste Collection	Head of Operations (CC)	City Management (Cllr R Williams)	Yearly report	
19 March 2026	Eton Walk Refuse bin – Petition	Strategic Director for Operations (AP)	City Management (Cllr R Williams)	Petition	Deferred from September 2025
18 June 2026	Quarter 4 Budget Scrutiny	Strategic Director for Corporate Resources (DH)	Leader (Cllr Bialyk)		
18 June 2026	Medium Term Financial Plan	Strategic Director for Corporate Resources (DH)	Leader(Cllr Bialyk)		
18 June 2026	Evaluation of the Commercialisation Strategy	Strategic Director for Corporate resources		Proposal from Councillor Moore (Dec 2025)	
18 June 2026	Scrutiny Annual Report	Strategic Director for Corporate Resources (DH)	Corporate Services & City Centre (Deputy Leader)	Statutory Duty	

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18 June 2026	Public Surveys				
18 June 2026	Petition – Save Little Exeter	Strategic Director for Operations	Deputy Leader & Portfolio Holder for Corporate Resources & City Centre		Added March 2026
24 September 2026	Portfolio Holder Update Report – Housing, Homelessness Prevention and Support Services				
24 September 2026	Progress on new strategy to end homelessness (Homelessness and Rough Sleeping Prevention Strategy)	Strategic Director – People and Communities (JY)	Housing, Homelessness Prevention and Support Services		
24 September 2026	Reducing the number of empty homes in Exeter	Strategic Director People and Communities (JY) Strategic Director for Operations (AP)	Housing, Homelessness Prevention and Support Services	Proposal from Councillor Moore (Dec 2025)	
24 September 2026	Community Safety Partnership Update Report	Strategic Director for Place (IC)	Deputy Leader, Portfolio Holder for Corporate Services & City Centre		
24 September 2026	Tenants Energy Review of our Passivhaus Council Homes	Strategic Director – People and Communities (JY)	Housing, Homelessness Prevention and Support Services	Scrutiny proposal Cllr Atkinson	Deferred – to be timetabled
12 November 2026	Quarter 2 Budget Scrutiny	Strategic Director for Corporate Resources (DH)	Leader		

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12 November 2026	Medium Term Financial Plan	Strategic Director for Corporate Resources (DH)	Leader		
12 November 2026	Portfolio Holder's Report - Leader				
12 November 2026	Portfolio Holder Update report – Climate, Ecological Change and Communities				
11 February 2027	Key People Activity Across the Council	Strategic Director – People and Communities (JY)	Corporate Services & City Centre (Deputy Leader)	Scrutiny proposal Cllr Palmer	
11 February 2027	Portfolio Holder Update report – Deputy Leader & Portfolio Holder for Corporate Resources & City Centre				
18 March 2027	Portfolio Holder Update report – City Management				
18 March 2027	Update on Waste & Recycling				
18 March 2027	Street Cleansing Update				

*Items in blue are suggested scheduling by the Chair in consultation with the Scrutiny Programme Board.