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5 June 2025	Cabinet Member Portfolio Priorities	To invite Cllr Duggins and Cllr AS Khan to identify their priorities for the coming year, for Scruc to be able to identify future items and hold Cabinet Members to account	Cllr Duggins Cllr AS Khan
	One Strategic Plan and Education Capital Programme 2024-2028 (Cabinet Report)	To consider the Council's plan for school places. To invite members of SB2 included Co-optees. Mapping of in-year migration and home education and impact of forecast data	Cllr Sandhu R Sugars
3 July 2025	Coventry Protocol for Addressing Adult Modern Slavery (Cabinet Report)	A Cabinet Report to agree the protocol for Modern Slavery	Hebe Lawson D Blackburn Cllr AS Khan
	The Re-Commissioning of Housing Related Support Services (Cabinet Report)	A Cabinet Report to agree the requirements for the commissioned housing related support services from 1 st April 2026	Pete Fahy Cllr N Akhtar
21 August 2025	One Coventry Plan Performance Report (Cabinet Report)	To consider the annual performance report and recommend a further deep dive by scrutiny	Clare Boden-Hatton Cllr Duggins
	Scrutiny Annual Report 2024-25	To approve the report scheduled for Council in September	Cllr Lloyd
	Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman Review Letter	To note the letter from the Ombudsman and agree a further item in the Council's response.	Cllr Lloyd
25 September 2025	Scrutiny Work Programmes	An opportunity to have oversight of all scrutiny board work programmes	Scrutiny Team Cllr Lloyd
	Communications Strategy	To consider the refreshed Communications Strategy with the new Director in post – To include Internal comms to promote the One Coventry Priorities.	Carl Holloway Cllr Duggins
30 October 2025	SEP Progress 24-25		Rhain Palmer
	Shareholder Committee Performance Reports	To invite all scrutiny members to the meeting	

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	One Coventry Plan Performance – Deep Dive Review Recommendations	To consider recommendations arising from the deep dive review of performance indicators	Cllr Lloyd G Holmes T Robinson
20 November 2025	Change (Transformation) Programme update	An update on progress following the item in November 2024	Cllr Brown C Boden-Hatton
	City Centre PSPO progress update	To provide information on the impact of the addition of e-bikes and e-scooters to the city centre PSPO in November 2023	Cllr AS Khan Davina Blackburn
	Supporting Benefit Claims	To look at work done to encourage residents to claim all benefits they are entitled to	Barrie Strain/ Cllr Brown
11 December 2025	WMCA Scrutiny Update	To update Committees on the role and work of WMCA's Scrutiny function and to better support coordination and information sharing.	
	WMCA Corporate Update	An overview of key themes/topics that relate to the WMCA	
15 January 2026	Selective Licencing (Joint meeting with SB4)		
5 February 2026	Complaints Reports	When the Committee consider this issue, appropriate officers from service areas attend the meeting	Adrian LeCras Mandeep Chouhan Cllr Brown
	Community Growing Spaces	Members requested further information on plans to increase community growing spaces following the OCP deep dive session on Climate Change. Scruco's contribution will be represented in a Cabinet report for March	Rhian Palmer Cllr O'Boyle
	Creative Industries Strategy (Cabinet Report)		Salla Virman Cllr N Akhtar

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12 March 2026	Shareholder Reports (Shareholders Panel Reports)	Final published accounts of the organisations that the Council are shareholder for.	Cllr Duggins
	One Strategic Plan (Cabinet Report)	Meeting our statutory duty to provide sufficient school places and capital programme. To invite SB2 including co-optees.	Cllr Sandhu Rachael Sugars Chloe Webb Thomas Allen
9 April 2026	Youth Justice	A scrutiny session with the police and relevant partners to examine the impact of changes in police approach to knife crime, including the effectiveness of criminalisation versus diversion and early intervention, and invite Simon Foster (PCC) to attend. As part of the OCP Deep Dive sessions to better understand police investigation and prosecution policies. To bring police representatives session to discuss decision-making processes, trends in types of offences, and reoffending rates. To include more detailed data on offence types and outcomes.	Cllr AS Khan PCC Simon Foster S Sen C Heeley
2025-26	Domestic Abuse	A regular update item on the progress of delivery on the Domestic Violence and Abuse Strategy – to include government policy and funding announcement	J Ross Cllr AS Khan Cllr P Akhtar
	Climate Change	To consider what the Council is doing to protect the city from the impact of climate change, including partners involved in the delivery and represented on the Climate Change Board, including Resilience and Adaptation, SEP and flood risk by ward. EV Charging points accessibility.	Cllr O'Boyle Colin Knight Rhian Palmer Bret Willers
	Offender Management	Following an item on Local Policing Update at their meeting 21 st February 24 the committee agreed to consider a further item on Offender Management	Cllr AS Khan Davina Blackburn

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	Regulation 19 Local Plan – representations and findings	As agreed at their meeting on 18 th December the committee requested the representations and any findings on the consultation on the Regulation 19 Stage of the review of the Local Plan, to time with any Cabinet and Council report.	Cllr N Akhtar R Back
	WMCA Integrated Settlement	To look in more detail at the work that will be delivered though the integrated settlement from the devolution deal	Cllr Duggins Kim Mawby etc.
	Sherbourne Recycling Plant – possible visit	To scrutinise the delivery of the recycling plant, as majority shareholders.	Cllr Hetherton Mark Adams
	AI - Progress	A progress update on recommendations made at the meeting on 6 March 2025	Paul Ward Cllr Hetherton/Cllr Brown
	Child Poverty - Systemic Approach	To undertake a piece of work on the systemic approach to child poverty, ensuring cross-partner collaboration and consideration of generational worklessness and private sector involvement. Recommended as part of the OCP Deep Dive sessions. Links with the Marmot City framework and One Coventry Programme	Cllrs Caan, Sandhu, Seaman S Sen, A Duggal
	The Coventry Skills and Employment Board	Following a meeting with SB3 on the Progress Made Against Coventry Economic Development and Skills Strategies and Coventry & Warwickshire Economic Plan on 26 th November 25	Steve Weir / Cllr Sandhu
Future items 2026-27	PSPO reviews – 2027-28	To be considered by scrutiny as part of the 3-year review A further update on the on the actions taken in relation to the City Centre Public Spaces Protection Order be submitted to the Committee in 6-months' time (May/June 2026) – including alternative routes for e-bike food deliveries	Davina Blackburn

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Date	Title	Detail	Cabinet Member/ Lead Officer
	One Coventry Plan KPI's	To not only review performance in the One Coventry Plan but to delegate KPI's to all scrutiny boards for consideration. Also to consider progress on identifying KPI's in other strategies/documents such as the CIPFA Code and aligning them.	Cabinet C Boden-Hatton
	Communications Reputation and Insight	To provide progress on issues raised at the meeting on 25 September 2025 – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standardising community engagement across the council • Update on policy and public affairs • Review of the Council's website • Digital Exclusion Policy 	C Holloway C Boden-Hatton Cllr Duggins
	Change (Transformation) Programme update	An update on progress following the item in November 2025	Cllr Brown C Boden-Hatton

Work Programme Decision Flow Chart

