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24 June 2026	Scrutiny Annual Report 25/26	To agree the scrutiny annual report for 2025-26 for presentation to Council		Scrutiny Coordinator
	Scruco Work Programme 2026-27	To consider items for the work programme for coming municipal year		
26 August 2026	Cabinet Member Priorities	Written Briefing Note of priorities to be circulated to the Board ahead of the meeting		
	City Centre PSPO (Cabinet Report)	To consider the Cabinet Report with the renewal of the City Centre PSPO plus additional prohibitions.	Community Safety and Cohesion – Cllr McNicholas	Davina Blackburn
	One Coventry Plan – a) Annual Performance Report (Cabinet Report) b) One Coventry Plan KPI's recommendations progress report	The Annual Performance report. To not only review performance in the One Coventry Plan but to delegate KPI's to all scrutiny boards for consideration. To review the recommendations raised during the Scruco Deep dive in 2025 that was agreed by Cabinet. Also to consider progress on identifying KPI's in other strategies/documents such as the CIPFA Code and aligning them.	Policy and Leadership – Cllr Duggins	Sunairah Miraj, C Boden-Haton
16 September 2026	Local Ombudsman Complaints Report	Following from the previous meeting - Officers to provide case studies outlining the types of complaints that result in financial remedy payments, including real examples (appropriately anonymised) that illustrate why a payment was made and how the level of redress was determined. Also the national guidance as reference.	Policy and Leadership – Cllr Duggins	Adrian LeCras
	Customer Communication and Service Standards	To establish a task and finish group to look at Customer Communication and Service Standards	Strategic Finance and Resources plus others	Clare Boden-Hatton
7 October 2026				

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12 November 2026	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	Children & YP	S Sen, A Duggal
	Shareholder Committee Reports	To consider the reports ahead of the Shareholder Committee	Shareholder Committee	
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2026-27	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	CM – Community Safety and Cohesion	J Ross
	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.	CM - Jobs Regen & Climate Change	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	CM - Community Safety and Cohesion	Davina Blackburn
	WMCA Integrated Settlement	To look in more detail at the work that will be delivered though the integrated settlement from the devolution deal	CM - Policy & Leadership	Kim Mawby
	Sherbourne Recycling Plant – possible visit	To scrutinise the delivery of the recycling plant, as majority shareholders.	CM - City Services	Mark Adams
	AI - Progress	A progress update on recommendations made at the meeting on 6 March 2025	CM - Strat Finance & Resources/ City Services	Paul Ward
	Off-line Support for Residents	Following an item at the meeting in April 2026, the board requested any Cabinet Report was considered by scruco as part of that process	CM – Adult Services	Paul Ward Laura Waller
	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	CM - Education & Skills	Steve Weir

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	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	CM - Community Safety and Cohesion	Davina Blackburn
	Communications Reputation and Insight	To provide progress on issues raised at the meeting on 25 September 2025 – • Standardising community engagement across the council • Update on policy and public affairs • Review of the Council's website • Digital Exclusion Policy	CM - Policy & Leadership	C Holloway C Boden-Hatton
	Change (Transformation) Programme update	An update on progress following the item in November 2025	CM - Strat Finance & Resources	C Boden-Hatton
	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.	CM - Community Safety and Cohesion	PCC Simon Foster S Sen C Heeley

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	Enforcement of Trading Standards – Protecting Communities	To look in more detail at how illegal activity and the high street is addressed across the city	CM - Community Safety and Cohesion	Davina Blackburn

Work Programme Decision Flow Chart

