Environment & Regeneration Select Committee

Update to Executive Scrutiny Committee – 20 February 2007

Update on Progress (including issues/problems/successes)

The Committee has commenced its second review of Cemeteries and Memorials. The first phase of the review will examine the future development of cemeteries.

At its last meeting, the Committee received evidence from Care For Your Area, Finance and Property Development. The next meeting will be focusing on extending choice and presentations will be received from Jayne Robins (Registration and Bereavement Manager) and Mike Chicken (Environment Project Manager). Arrangements are also being made for Viewpoint Focus Groups and visits to Faith Groups in February.

Timescale for Review

The first phase of the Cemeteries and Memorials review is due to report to Cabinet in April 2007.

Monitoring

The Committee will be receiving the Action Plan relating to the implementation of the Street Lighting Review at its next meeting and receiving a progress report on the previous Planning Review in March.