

People Select Committee Chair's Update – November 2019

Scrutiny Review – Local Council Tax Support Scheme (Working Age Adults)	
Achieved since last meeting	Stockton District Advice and Information Service provided information on the impact of the current scheme on its clients, and views on the development of any future scheme.
Problems or concerns	None.
Planned next month	The Council Tax Team is now working on modelling more detailed options for potential changes to the scheme. The Committee will next meet to consider the results of this work once it's complete. If a substantial change is proposed, this will then require public consultation.
On track – yes / no	Yes.

Scrutiny Review – Smarter Working in Stockton (SWIS) – Accommodation and Buildings (Task and Finish)	
Achieved since last meeting	The Task and Finish Group agreed its final report and this was signed off by People Committee at its October meeting.
Problems or concerns	None.
Planned next month	n/a
On track – yes / no	Yes. The review will report to Cabinet in November.

Overview / Performance and Quality Assurance	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	None.
Requests for more information	None.

Monitoring	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	The following Progress Reports are due this year: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> March – Digital Optimisation
Requests for more information	The Progress Report of the Mental Health including Suicide and Self Harm Review was considered and agreed in September. The details of the Schools & Students Health Education Unit Survey results will be reported back to the Committee in the near future, and a further full update was requested for 12 months time.

Next Meeting
9 December 2019 - 1.30pm