

Proposed revised responsibilities for functions for scrutiny committees

(No change to the general provisions of the scrutiny committees)

Specific functions for the Tourism, Economy and Resources Scrutiny Committee

1. To scrutinise the functions and responsibilities within the portfolios of the Leader of the Council, Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Projects and Partnerships.
2. To undertake financial management monitoring including holding relevant budget holders to account.
3. To monitor and comment on the Council's treasury management strategy.
4. To assist the Council and the Executive in the development of its budget framework.
5. To undertake a budget consultation exercise with the Trade Unions and Non-Domestic Ratepayers and feedback observations/ recommendations from the consultations to Executive.
6. To discharge the Council's additional statutory responsibilities in terms of crime and disorder scrutiny (Sections 19 to 22 of the Police and Justice Act, 2006)
7. To discharge the Council's additional statutory responsibilities in terms of flood risk (Chapter 2, 9FH of the Localism Act 2011)

Specific functions for the Children's Scrutiny Committee

1. To scrutinise the functions and responsibilities within the portfolio of the Cabinet Secretary relating to Children's services.

Specific functions for the Adults and Health Scrutiny Committee

1. To scrutinise the functions and responsibilities within the portfolio of the Cabinet Secretary relating to Adult Services.
2. The scrutiny of local health services in accordance with the Health and Social Care Act 2001, S190 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012, the Local Authority (Public Health, Health and Wellbeing Boards and Health Scrutiny) Regulations 2013, and any consequential regulations, directions or guidance issued by the Secretary of State and in particular:
 - (i) To review how and to what effect health policy is being implemented, and health improvement achieved, by the Council and local National Health Service bodies and to make reports and recommendations, as appropriate.
 - (ii) To promote greater awareness of health issues within the borough and to engage the people of Blackpool in the health improvement agenda.

- (iii) To scrutinise any proposals for a substantial development or variation of health services within the authority's area, or any substantive changes that affect National Health Service patients residing within the authority's area.
 - (iv) To consider such other proposals as are referred to it by National Health Service bodies and the Council and to report back the result of its considerations to the referring body and others as appropriate.
 - (v) To appoint members to Joint Overview and Scrutiny Committees with other local authorities, as directed under the Health and Social Care Act 2001, to respond to consultation initiated by a National Health Service body, which is consulting more than one local authority on proposals for substantial development or variation in health services.
2. To scrutinise the functions and responsibilities of Public Health.