



**NORTHAMPTON
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OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

12 NOVEMBER 2018

BRIEFING NOTE:

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY – EVALUATION OF O&S REPORTS

1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 Since the last meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee, the Working Group has an evidence gathering meeting scheduled.

2 UPDATE

- 2.1 At the meeting scheduled for 19 November 2018, the Working Group will review the effectiveness of the following previous Overview and Scrutiny Reports:

Tree Policy - £100,000 for five years – Progress report

2010/2011

[Northamptonshire Alcohol Strategy](#)

2011/2012

[Hate Crime](#)

2012/2013

[Serious Acquisitive Crime, Violent Crime and Community Safety](#)

201/2014

[Improving the Town's Parks](#)

2014/2015

[Tree Maintenance](#)

[Keep Northampton Tidy](#)

- 2.3 Further meetings are scheduled, with the next one set for 15 January 2019.
- 2.4 In accordance with the Scrutiny Panel Protocol the Chair of this Scrutiny Panel will provide written progress reports to future meetings of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee for information.

3 RECOMMENDATION

- 3.1 That the Overview and Scrutiny Committee notes the progress report.