

Scrutiny at Southend
(including health scrutiny)

Held - Monday 17th June 2013

Evaluation of the course

12 Councillors and 3 co-opted members attended the training session. The session was provided by John Williams, Head of Legal & Democratic Services and Fiona Abbott, Principal Committee Officer. Tim Row also attended.

We received 10 completed evaluation response forms.

Q1 Did the course meet its stated objectives?

Fully met	6	5	4	3	2	1	Not at all
<i>Responses to this Question:</i>							
X	5	5	X	X	X	X	X

Q2 Has your knowledge of the subject or your skills improved as a result of the training?

Much improved	6	5	4	3	2	1	Not changed
<i>Responses to this Question:</i>							
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More a reaffirmation of what I know already • Already quite knowledgeable 							
X	3	3	1	1	1	X	1

Q3 Will you be able to use the knowledge/skills gained?

Yes Fully	6	5	4	3	2	1	Not at all
<i>Responses to this Question:</i>							
3	4	3	X	X	X	X	X

Q4A Has this course met your needs?

Yes Fully	6	5	4	3	2	1	Not at all
<i>Responses to this Question:</i>							
1	4	4	1	X	X	X	X

Q4B Do you need any further support in this area?

Yes	2
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No	7
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Comments:

- Yes - as changes are made
- Not sure yet
- We have been welcomed to email any further questions – helpful
- Clarification on declarations for the financial year

Q5 How well did the trainer deliver the course in a way that was useful to your learning?

Very useful	6	5	4	3	2	1	Not at all
<i>Responses to this Question:</i>							
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1	7	2	X	X	X	X	X

Q6 Did the venue/environment aid your learning?

Very	6	5	4	3	2	1	Not at all
<i>Responses to this Question:</i>							
1	1	5	3	X	X	X	X

Q7 How effective was the course administration?

Very effective	6	5	4	3	2	1	Not effective
<i>Responses to this Question:</i>							
X	7	3	X	X	X	X	X

Q8 What will you do differently as a result of attending this course?

Comments:

- Ensure scrutiny is maintained
- Understand the system better
- Understanding the call-in process better. Take confidence in scrutiny meetings
- Clearer understanding of role

Q9 What additional comments would you like to make about the course overall?

Comments:

- Always a good introduction
- Effective & beneficial
- Would like to read all the literature in depth to see if there are any gaps that I need further clarification on
- Very useful overview of role of scrutiny

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