

### In-Depth Scrutiny Projects Since 2012

Since 2000, the Council has undertaken a number of in depth scrutiny projects and since 2012 has looked at the following areas:

- To review the level of domestic waste recycling in the Borough, in order to examine what influences residents in terms of their recycling habits and the barriers to achieving a higher rate of recycling and to consider ways of working with residents to improve domestic waste recycling - 2019/20 (Place Scrutiny Committee)
- The appropriate use of reablement for older people (65 and over) when discharged from hospital, to maximize the number of people at home after period of 91 days ('Home First' approach) - 2019/20 (People Scrutiny Committee)
- How the Council and Councillors communicate with local people and stakeholders - 2019/20 (Policy & Resources Scrutiny Committee)
- Re-imagining the Town Centre in the context of the vision for Southend 2050 – 2018/19 (Joint project Place / Policy & Resources Scrutiny)
- in context of vision for Southend 2050, what is the vision for young people which improves their lives and what are the pathways to achieve this ambition – 2018/19 (People Scrutiny)
- Maximizing the use of technology – 2017/18 (Place Scrutiny Committee)
- Connecting Communities to avoid isolation – 2017/18 (People Scrutiny Committee)
- Additional enforcement resources for Southend – 2017/18 (Policy & Resources Scrutiny Committee)
- Alternative provision – off site education provision for children & young people – 2016/17 (People Scrutiny Committee)
- To investigate the case for additional enforcement resources for Southend – 2016/17 (Joint Place / Policy & Resources Scrutiny)
- 20mph speed limits in residential streets – 2015/16 (Place Scrutiny Committee)
- Transition arrangements from children's to adult life – 2015/16 (People Scrutiny Committee)
- Control of personal debt and the advantages of employment – 2015/16 (Policy & Resources Scrutiny Committee)
- How the Council assists and excites individuals and community groups to achieve healthier lifestyles – 2014/15 (People Scrutiny Committee)
- The Council's Community Leadership role in promoting safer communities – 2014/15 (Policy & Resources Scrutiny Committee)
- Understanding erosion taking place on the Foreshore – 2014/15 (Place Scrutiny Committee)
- Southend primary schools' falling grammar school entry figures - 2013/14 (People Scrutiny Committee)
- Impact of welfare changes - 2013/14 (Policy & Resources Scrutiny Committee)
- Promoting a positive image for the town - 2013/14 (Place Scrutiny Committee)