

Monmouthshire's Scrutiny Forward Work Programme 2025-26

People Scrutiny Committee				
Meeting Date	Subject	Purpose of Scrutiny	Responsibility	Type of Scrutiny
24 th February 2026	Disability Confident Pledge	Report outlining actions for the next three years.	Pennie Walker	Policy Development
	Corporate Parenting Strategy	To conduct pre-decision scrutiny.	Jane Rodgers Dianne Corrister	Pre-decision Scrutiny
31 st March 2026 To be confirmed				
To be confirmed	Poverty and Inequality	To be confirmed	Lucinda Boyland	
To be confirmed	Youth Service	To review the service.	Josh Klein	Service Review
	Monmouthshire Public Library Strategy 2025-30 Invite Place Members?	To scrutinise the Monmouthshire Public Library Strategy 2025-30 following public consultation.	Richard Drinkwater	Policy Development
<i>To be confirmed</i>	WESP (Welsh in Education Strategic Plan) – Invite P&O Members	To scrutinise performance against the plans.	Sharon Randall Smith Will McLean Cllr Wright	Performance Monitoring
<i>New Year – to be confirmed</i>	Homelessness Update	To scrutinise a progress update.	Ian Bakewell Rebecca Cresswell	Policy Development

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<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To scrutinise performance against the action plan.</i>	<i>Lucinda Boyland Cllr Sandles</i>	<i>Performance Monitoring</i>	
<i>To be confirmed</i>	Planning and Provision of School Places	<i>To scrutinise data and projections for pupil places and the impact of future housing development.</i>	<i>Will Mclean Matthew Jones</i>	<i>Policy Development</i>
Corporate and Community Plan Items for the Committee's consideration for inclusion into the People Scrutiny Forward Plan:				
Participatory Budgeting Programme				
Race equality action plan for Wales				
LGBTQ+ action plan				
Disability Action Plan				
Gender Equality Action Plan				
Homes for Social Rent and work to bring empty properties back into use				

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Review and update shared housing allocations policy				
Rapid Rehousing approach/rapid rehousing action plan delivery				
Care without profit – increase in-county placement options				
Support effective discharge from hospital – integration between health and social care				
Provide a high-quality residential care facility for people with dementia				
Chief Officer for Social Care and Health Annual Report				

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Safeguarding Performance Report				
Develop a broader 14-19 education offer through collaboration with partners				