

Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee 2025/26

WORK PROGRAMME

REPORT TITLE	LEAD OFFICER	PURPOSE	ORIGINATED/COMMITTEE HISTORY DATE(S)	CORPORATE/ PRIORITY
10 November 2025				
Leisure Energy Update on Grantham Meres Public Sector Decarbonisation Scheme	Leisure Energy (external)	Update presentation on the progress of the Public Sector Decarbonisation Scheme funded works at Grantham Meres leisure centre to install new low-carbon heating system and supporting upgrades.		Sustainable South Kesteven
Tree Management Policies Update	Andrew Igoea (Tree Officer)	Update on the new Tree Management Policies (replacing the SKDC Tree Guidelines).		Sustainable South Kesteven
Corporate Plan: Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) Q2	Charles James (Policy Officer)	To present the Council's performance against the Corporate Plan 2024-27 Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) for quarter 2 2025/26.		Effective Council
Green Fleet Update	Kay Boasman (Head of Waste and Markets)	To update on implementation of the actions of the Green Fleet Strategy		Sustainable South Kesteven
Climate Action Plan Update	Serena Brown (Sustainability & Climate Change Manager)	To update on the Climate Action Plan		Sustainable South Kesteven

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Biodiversity Action Plan Update	Louise Case (Sustainability Project Support Officer)	To update on the newly developed Biodiversity Action Plan.	December 2023	Sustainable South Kesteven
13 January 2026				
Grantham Canal Partnership Presentation	Grantham Canal Society [External]	To present the work of the Grantham Canal Society and develop the renewal of the Grantham Canal Partnership.		Sustainable SK
Grantham Canal Maintenance Works Update	Gyles Teasdale (Head of Service – Property & ICT)	To provide committee with the works to be undertaken in respect of the CSKDC owned section of Grantham Canal.		Sustainable SK
Update on recently published Section 19 reports	Tom Amblin-Lightowler (Environmental Health Manager)	To review the recommendations to mitigate and prevent future flooding risks.	February 10 th 2025	Sustainable South Kesteven
Air Quality Annual Update	Tom Amblin-Lightowler (Environmental Health Manager)	To provide an update on the air quality within South Kesteven District Council in particular against the Air Quality Objectives and the Air Quality Management Area.		Sustainable South Kesteven
3 March 2026				
Unscheduled future items				

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Role of the District's Rivers, Canal, and Drainage Board				
National Hedge Laying Association				
Flooding Working Group Update		To update on the formation and development of the Flooding Working Group.	18 March 2025	Sustainable South Kesteven

The Committee's Remit

The remit of the Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee will be to work alongside Cabinet Members to assist with the development of policy and to scrutinise decisions in respect of, but not limited to:

- Air quality
- Animal welfare licensing (Policy)
- Commercial, industrial, and clinical waste collection and management
- Dog breeding and control orders
- Domestic waste and recycling management
- Energy efficiency
- Environment SK Ltd
- Environment SK Commercial Services Ltd
- Estate and grounds maintenance
- Flooding
- Food hygiene and safety
- Health and safety
- Noise
- Renewable energy
- Scrap metal dealers
- Green open space management