

Section E

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Pursuant to Article 6 of Part 2 of this Constitution, the Council has established 6 Scrutiny Committees to discharge the functions set out in Section 9F of the Local Government Act 2000 and in Article 6.

The Scrutiny Committees, membership and the specific remit of each committee is as set out below:

Committee	Membership	Remit
Children and Young People	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ At least ten elected members of the Council ▪ One representative of the Diocese of Manchester ▪ One representative of the Diocese of Salford and Shrewsbury ▪ Three elected parent governor representatives ▪ Two teacher representatives as non-voting co-opted members 	<p>To exercise scrutiny functions in relation to the Council's Children's Services functions and other matters affecting children and young people, including –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ School Standards and Improvement ▪ Children and Families ▪ Early Years (0-5's) and Play ▪ <u>CAMHS</u> ▪ Children with Special Educational Needs ▪ Safeguarding Arrangements ▪ Education and Skills Development (for ages 0-15) ▪ Transition at 16 ▪ Disabled Children ▪ Valuing Young People
Communities and Equalities (the designated Crime and Disorder Committee)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ At least ten elected members of the Council 	<p>To exercise scrutiny functions in relation to matters concerning citizenship and inclusion, including –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Community Cohesion ▪ Respect Agenda ▪ Equality and Inclusion ▪ Older People ▪ Information and Advice Services ▪ Youth Offending/Disorder ▪ Domestic Violence/Abuse ▪ Crime and Policing ▪ Libraries, Leisure and Sport ▪ Voluntary Sector ▪ Homelessness <p>To review and scrutinise decisions or actions taken in connection with the discharge by the responsible authorities of their crime and disorder functions, namely-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reduction of crime and disorder (including anti-social and other

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		<p>behaviour adversely affecting the local environment)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Combating the misuse of drugs, alcohol and other substances and reducing re-offending ▪ To review the provision of services to homeless people within the city and to consider services provided to rough sleepers
Environment, Climate Change and Neighbourhoods	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ At least ten elected members of the Council 	<p>To exercise scrutiny functions in relation to matters concerning environment and climate change (communities and neighbourhoods), including –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Environmental issues concerning the City ▪ The Climate Change Strategy ▪ Waste ▪ Street Management ▪ Carbon Emissions and Climate Change ▪ Neighbourhood Working ▪ Flood Management ▪ Compliance (excl Planning) ▪ Planning policy and related enforcement ▪ Parks and green spaces
Economy and Regeneration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ At least ten elected members of the Council 	<p>To exercise scrutiny functions in relation to matters relating to the economy, employment and skills, including –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Economic Growth ▪ Strategic Transport ▪ Employment ▪ Regeneration ▪ Tourism ▪ City Region ▪ Core Cities ▪ Skills Development (aged 16+) ▪ Worklessness ▪ Street management ▪ Highways ▪ Housing ▪ Culture (including galleries and theatres)
Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ At least ten elected members of the Council 	<p>To exercise scrutiny functions in relation to any matter relating to the planning, provision and operation of health services in Manchester, to</p>

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		<p>issues affecting the health and well-being of the community, including -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Adult Social Care ▪ Aspiration and Well-being ▪ Health Services ▪ Health Inequalities ▪ Health Protection and Safeguarding ▪ Public Health and Healthy Living ▪ Mental Health and Well-being ▪ Patient and Public Involvement ▪ CQC Inspections of Health and Social Care Provision ▪ Any matter relating to health or social care services or providers referred by Healthwatch
<p>Resources and Governance</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ At least ten elected members of the Council 	<p>To exercise scrutiny functions in relation to resources and governance including those not falling within the remit of the other Scrutiny Committees and -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Finance and Budget Setting ▪ Capital Programme ▪ Procurement & Commissioning ▪ Property Management ▪ Human Resources ▪ Corporate and Partnership Governance ▪ City Region Governance ▪ Revenue and Benefits ▪ ICT