

**Request by Member for Scrutiny Review
2015/16 Work Programme**



Please complete the form below to request consideration of your issue by the
Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Proposers Name: Cllr. David Wixley	Date of Request 25 Nov. 2015
Supporting Councillors (if any): Cllr. R Morgan	
Summary of Issue you wish to be scrutinised: It's sometime since Paul Thompson, Superintendent of Epping Forest and Judy Adams, Chairman of the Friends of Epping Forest addressed O&S. I am therefore requesting a joint return visit given the widespread general interest in Epping Forest. Plus current issues such as the public consultation on the Forest Management Plan 2017 – 2027 which covers 6 themes and 58 management issues.	
<p align="center">NOTE: ENTRIES BELOW RELATE TO ISSUE CATEGORIES OF THE PICK PROCESS. PLEASE REFER TO THE EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THIS FORM FOR FURTHER INFORMATION</p>	
Public Interest Justification: Also, the public interest in the proposed City of London (Various Powers) Bill which according to the press reports has resulted in 14000 signatures on an on-line petition, because of the possibility of charges being levied for using the forest.	

Impact on the social, economic and environmental well-being of the area:

I consider these issue covered by the statement on the previous page.

Council Performance in this area (if known: Red, Amber, Green):

Not Known

Keep in Context (are other reviews taking place in this area?)

I am aware of moves to set up a new group to meet 4 times a year consisting of representatives from EFDC and the City of London to discuss issues relating to the Forest.

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Pick score:

Considered By OSCC: