Communities Scrutiny Work Programme September 2013 – August 2014

	Title	Brief Description		
1.	Post 16 Transport	Scrutiny Investigation to be held		
2.	Control of caravans parking without permission on Council property and other areas	Issues which could be scrutinised have been considered and steps being taken to contact Natural Resources Wales, Snowdonia National Park along with the Council's Environmental Health with the intention of considering the matter again in the future.		
3.	The effect of planning policies on community viability	There is a need to look at the impact of planning policies on the viability of our communities and the obstacles young people face in obtaining planning permission		
4.	Parking fees	Cabinet Member – Envitonment to attend the meeting of the Communities Scrutiny Committee on 10 December, 2013.		
5.	Apprenticeship Plan			
6.	Caravan monitoring arrangements and enforcement	Consider the efficiency of the Regulatory Department in relation to monitoring if people are living in caravan parks or if they are on holiday		
7.	Attract and retain businesses in the County	How effective is the Council in attracting businesses and employment to the County?		
8.	Improve the one – bedroom housing stock	The benefits system penalises people with spare bedrooms. There is a need to encourage housing associations to build a one-bedroom housing stock.		
9.	Management of Hafan Pwllheli	Consider the possibility of returning the management to a private company.		
10.	Use of bike and walking paths			
11	Parc Glynllifon and Parc Padarn			
12.	Tourism	To consider the effect of the tourist industry on the ecomomy of Gwynedd.		
13.	Homelessness – Noddfa Hostel, Deiniolen	Preparatory notes for Scrutiny Investigation have been prepared		