

## APPENDIX B(1)

<b>Scrutiny request</b> <b>Issue</b> - Scrutiny of Southern Water services
<b>Request from</b> - Councillor Russ Cochran - Worthing Borough Council
<b>Public interest</b> - Ability of Southern Water to deliver services in Worthing in areas of expansion in particular. Issue affects a large group of people in Worthing and potentially Adur.
<b>Score</b> = High
<b>Ability to change</b> - A JOSC discussion could help in the public understanding of how Southern Water delivers its services.
<b>Score</b> = Medium
<b>Performance</b> - This review could review the performance of Southern Water in terms of delivering its services.
<b>Score</b> = Medium
<b>Extent</b> - Issues affecting water supply in Adur and Worthing. Particularly on new estates.
<b>Score</b> = High
<b>Replication</b> - Issue has not been considered by JOSC before.
<b>Score</b> = High
<b>Expected Outcomes</b> - Clarification of the way that Southern Water will meet the needs of residents and increased demand in the future.
<b>Does the proposed review link with the Council strategic objectives or does the Joint Overview and Scrutiny Committee have the ability to influence and/or add value on the subject?</b>  Platforms for our Places: Going further - Platform 3 - Tackling climate change and supporting our natural environment - Commitment 3.4 - Improving water quality and reducing water consumption.  <b>Score</b> = Medium
<b>How could this review be undertaken?</b> Southern Water to attend a future JOSC meeting.

**Recommendations from Joint Overview and Scrutiny Committee  
Chairmen/Vice-Chairmen:-**

That the scrutiny request be supported and Southern Water be invited to attend the JOSC meeting in January 2022 to address JOSC on its general performance and the delivery of water services.

**(Note:** Southern Water are already due to attend JOSC in January 2022 to report on the bathing water quality results).