

Appendix 1 – Benefits and Dis-Benefits

	Option	Benefits	Dis-benefits
Option 1	Utilise existing separate Partnership Committees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cost avoidance of developing a new structure - Integrates into an existing structure - Increased local member engagement regarding the LSB 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No benefit from a wider perspective/other views -
Option 2	Utilise existing separate Partnerships Committees with co-option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Improved process - Improved staff engagement from Co-optee organisations - Increased local member engagement regarding the LSB - Wider perspective/views of co-optees which could strengthen scrutiny 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Increased resources required to train/maintain co-optees
Option 3	Develop a new joint Conwy and Denbighshire LSB Scrutiny Committee with no co-option (Sub-Committee of the Partnership Scrutiny)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Improved reputation and seen nationally as leading the way in relation to the draft regulations regarding Joint Overview and Scrutiny Committees 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Increased resources required - Diluted member involvement at a local level if a new joint committee does not include all Members from both Counties
Option 4	Develop a new joint Conwy and Denbighshire LSB Scrutiny Committee with co-option (Sub-Committee of the Partnership Scrutiny)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Improved reputation and seen nationally as leading the way in relation to the draft regulations regarding Joint Overview and Scrutiny Committees - Wider perspective/views of co-optees which could strengthen scrutiny 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Increased resources required to train/maintain co-optees
Option 5	Option 3 & 4 but independent from the existing local authority system	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - LSB has more ownership of the Scrutiny 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Increased resources required above and beyond all the other options.