Scrutiny Committee Agenda



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A meeting of the **Scrutiny Committee**

will be held on Thursday, 28 July 2016 at 7.00 pm Meeting Room 1, 135 Eastern Avenue, Milton Park, Milton, OX14 4SB

Members of the Committee:

Councillors Debby Hallett (Chairman) Alice Badcock (Vice-chairman) Edward Blagrove Katie Finch Vicky Jenkins

Monica Lovatt Ben Mabbett Chris Palmer Judy Roberts

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Margaret Reed Head of Legal and Democratic Services

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Council's Vision

The council's vision is to take care of your interests across the Vale with enterprise, energy and efficiency.

1. Notification of substitutes and apologies for absence

To record the attendance of substitute members, if any, who have been authorised to attend in accordance with the provisions of standing order 17(1), with notification having been given to the proper officer before the start of the meeting and to receive apologies for absence.

2. Minutes

<mark>(Pages 4 - 6)</mark>

To adopt and sign as a correct record the committee's minutes from its meeting on 6 July 2016.

3. Declarations of interest

To receive any declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests in respect of items on the agenda for this meeting.

4. Urgent business and chairman's announcements

To receive notification of any matters, which the chairman determines, should be considered as urgent business and the special circumstances, which have made the matters urgent, and to receive any announcements from the chairman.

5. Statements, petitions and questions from the public relating to matters affecting the Scrutiny Committee

Any statements and/or petitions from the public under standing order 32 will be made or presented at the meeting.

REPORTS AND ISSUES FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF THE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

6. Capital and New Homes Bonus grant schemes (Pages 7 - 14)

To receive the report of the head of corporate strategy (attached).

7. Statement of Community Involvement

(Pages 15 - 64)

To invite the committee to comment on the draft Statement of Community Involvement. The following documents are attached (with a report to follow):

- Part 1 Getting involved in shaping our future
- Part 2 Getting involved in the preparation of the Local Plan and planning policy
- Part 3 Getting involved in planning applications
- Draft equalities impact assessment (EqIA)

8. Work schedule and dates for all South and Vale scrutiny meetings (Page 65)

To review the attached scrutiny work schedule. Please note, although the dates are confirmed, the items under consideration are subject to being withdrawn, added to or rearranged without further notice.

Exempt information under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972

None