

# Scrutiny Committee Agenda



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A meeting of the

## Scrutiny Committee

will be held on Tuesday, 7 February 2017

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  
Vicky Jenkins  
Mohinder Kainth

Monica Lovatt  
Ben Mabbett  
Chris Palmer  
Judy Roberts

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M Reed".

Margaret Reed  
Head of Legal and Democratic Services

# Agenda

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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. Declarations of interest

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

#### 3. 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.

#### 4. 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

#### 5. Budget 2017/18

To consider the head of finance's report. **REPORT TO FOLLOW**

#### 6. Work schedule and dates for all South and Vale scrutiny meetings (Page 3)

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 Please note, although the dates are confirmed, the items under consideration are subject to being withdrawn, added to or rearranged without further notice.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

**Schedule for Scrutiny Committees 2016/17**

(further items to be added to schedule as required)

<b>Meeting date</b>	<b>Type and chair</b>	<b>Agenda items</b>	<b>Cabinet members</b>	<b>Head of Service</b>
Thurs 9 Feb	<b>South</b>	Review of Final Draft Budget	Jane Murphy	<b>WJ</b>
Thurs 9 March	<b>Joint</b>	Community Safety Partnership  Spending commuted sums & affordable housing	Anna Badcock/Eric Batts Elizabeth Gillespie/Elaine Ware	<b>MR</b>  <b>GB</b>
Thurs 30 March	<b>Vale</b>	Council Tax Reduction Scheme Review Future Work Programme	Robert Sharp  All	<b>WJ</b>  <b>All</b>
Tues 4 April	<b>South</b>	Policy for individual councillors' grant decisions	Elizabeth Gillespie	<b>CK</b>

**Item for future Scrutiny Committees (date to be determined)**

**Vale**

Consultation (*may be Joint*)  
Corporate Development Plan

**South**

Corporate Development Plan

**Joint**

Temporary accommodation strategy  
Unitary status

The Cabinet work programmes can be accessed via the following links:

**South**

<http://democratic.southoxon.gov.uk/mgListPlans.aspx?RPId=121&RD=0>

**Vale**

<http://democratic.whitehorsedc.gov.uk/mgListPlans.aspx?RPId=507&RD=0>

**Heads of Service**

GB = Gerry Brough    AD =Adrian Duffield    ADo = Andrew Down  
CK =Clare Kingston    WJ =William Jacobs    MR =Margaret Reed

**Meeting Start times:** Joint: 6:30; South: 6:30; Vale: 7.00