



Committee: OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date: WEDNESDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER 2015

Venue: MORECAMBE TOWN HALL

Time: 6.00 P.M.

Councillors are reminded that as Members of overview and scrutiny they may not be subjected to the Party Whip, which is prohibited under the Lancaster City Council Constitution.

A G E N D A

1. Apologies for Absence

2. Minutes

Minutes of the Meetings held on Wednesday, 14th and 28th October, 2015 (previously circulated).

3. Items of Urgent Business authorised by the Chairman

4. Declarations of Interest

To receive declarations by Members of interests in respect of items on this Agenda.

Members are reminded that, in accordance with the Localism Act 2011, they are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests which have not already been declared in the Council's Register of Interests. (It is a criminal offence not to declare a disclosable pecuniary interest either in the Register or at the meeting).

Whilst not a legal requirement, in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10 and in the interests of clarity and transparency, Members should declare any disclosable pecuniary interests which they have already declared in the Register, at this point in the meeting.

In accordance with Part B Section 2 of the Code Of Conduct, Members are required to declare the existence and nature of any other interests as defined in paragraphs 8(1) or 9(2) of the Code of Conduct.

5. Consideration of any requests for Councillor Call for Action (in accordance with the process)

6. Consideration of any Petitions (in accordance with the process)

7. Locality Working

8. Community Safety (Pages 1 - 32)

Report of the Chief Officer (Environment).

Issues included in the Committee's Work Programme to be discussed at the meeting :

- Update on the impact of the new Anti-social Behaviour Act 2014 on Ridge Square.
- Reviewing the City Council's contribution to PCSOs and the provision received.
- Vandalism issues within City Council Parks.
- Safety on the Cycle Track.

9. Discussions with Councillor David Smith

Cabinet Member with responsibility for:

- Community Safety
- Clean and Green

The Cabinet Member is also invited to discuss the potential for a Task Group to investigate Litter in the District.

Councillor Smith has been invited to the meeting.

10. Work Programme Report (Pages 33 - 36)

Report of Chief Officer (Governance).

ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

(i) Membership

Councillors Nigel Goodrich (Chairman), June Ashworth (Vice-Chairman), Lucy Atkinson, Alan Biddulph, Brett Cooper, Rob Devey, Caroline Jackson, David Whitaker and Phillippa Williamson

(ii) Substitute Membership

Councillors Tracy Brown, Andrew Gardiner, Geoff Knight, Roger Mace, Terrie Metcalfe, Abi Mills and Nicholas Wilkinson

(iii) Queries regarding this Agenda

Please contact Jenny Kay, Democratic Services - telephone (01524) 582065 or email jkay@lancaster.gov.uk.

(iv) Changes to Membership, substitutions or apologies

Please contact Democratic Support, telephone 582170, or alternatively email democraticsupport@lancaster.gov.uk.

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