### **Notice of Meeting**

# **Council Overview and Scrutiny Committee**



Date & time Place Contact Chief
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January 2012 County Hall at 10.00am Penrhyn Road

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#### **Committee Members**

Ms Denise Le Gal (Chairman), Mr Mel Few (Vice-Chairman)
Mr Mark Brett-Warburton, Mr Stephen Cooksey, Mr Steve Cosser, John Furey,
Dr Zully Grant-Duff, Mr David Harmer, Mr Eber A Kington, Mr Steve Renshaw,
Mrs Dorothy Ross-Tomlin, Mr Nick Skellett CBE, Mr Chris Townsend, Mr Richard Walsh,
Hazel Watson.

### **Ex Officio Members**

Mrs Lavinia Sealy (Chairman of the Council), Mr David Munro (Vice-Chairman of the Council)

### TERMS OF REFERENCE OF THE COMMITTEE

The Committee is responsible for the following service areas:

Performance, finance and risk monitoring for all	HR and Organisational Development
Council services	
Budget strategy/Financial Management	IMT
Improvement Programme, Productivity and	Procurement
Efficiency	
Equalities and Diversity	Other support functions
Corporate Performance Management	Risk Management
Corporate and Community Planning	Europe
Property	Communications
Contingency Planning	Public Value Review programme and
	process

### PART 1 IN PUBLIC

### 1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS

### 2 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING: 7 DECEMBER 2011

White

To agree the minutes as a true record of the meeting.

### 3 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

Agenda Item Only

To receive any declarations of personal and/or prejudicial interests from Members in respect of any item to be considered at the meeting.

#### Notes:

- 1. Declarations of interest should be made on a form available from the Democratic Services before the meeting.
- Members are reminded that in accordance with the Constitution, any Member declaring a prejudicial interest is required to withdraw from the meeting unless he/she has obtained a dispensation from the Standards Committee.

### 4 QUESTIONS AND PETITIONS

Agenda Item Only

To receive any questions or petitions.

### Notes:

- 1. The deadline for Member's questions is 12.00pm four working days before the meeting (16 January 2012).
- 2. The deadline for public questions is seven days before the meeting (13 January 2012).
- 3. The deadline for petitions was 14 days before the meeting, and no petitions have been received.

### 5 RESPONSES FROM THE CABINET TO ISSUES REFERRED BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE

Agenda Item Only

No issues were referred by the Committee at its last meeting.

### 6 ONE COUNTY ONE TEAM, CORPORATE STRATEGY 2012-2017

Green

Purpose of report: Policy Development and Review

To review the Corporate Strategy prior to its submission to the Cabinet on 31 January 2012.

# 7 BUDGET MONITORING REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 2011 (PERIOD White 8)

Purpose of report: Scrutiny of Services and Budgets

To review the month end budget report and make recommendations as appropriate.

### 8 DRAFT BUDGET 2012/2013

[Report not yet available]

Purpose of report: Scrutiny of Services and Budgets

To consider the draft budget for 2012/2013.

Select Committee Chairmen will report key issues arising from their Committee's budget discussions, and the Council Overview & Scrutiny Committee is asked to take an overview and make recommendations to the Cabinet as appropriate.

### 9 TREASURY MANAGEMENT PUBLIC VALUE REVIEW: TERMS OF REFERENCE

Green

Purpose of report: Policy Development and Review

To review the scoping document for the review of Treasury Management.

## 10 COMPLETED AUDIT REPORTS AND THE ANNUAL PLANNING PROCESS

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Purpose of report: Scrutiny of Services and Budgets

The purpose of this report is to inform Members of the Internal Audit reports that have been completed since the last report to this Committee in December 2011 and to seek views on areas for inclusion in the 2012/13 Internal Audit annual plan.

### 11 REVIEW OF CABINET MEMBER PRIORITIES

Green

Purpose of report: Policy Development and Review

To review the priorities of two of the Cabinet Members whose portfolios fall within the remit of this Committee:

- (a) Change & Efficiency Helyn Clack
- (b) Assets and Regeneration Programmes Tony Samuels

### 12 FORWARD WORK PROGRAMMES

White

The Committee is asked to review its Forward Work Programme (**Item 12a**) and the work programmes of Select Committees (**Item 12b**).

### 13 RECOMMENDATIONS TRACKER

Green

The Committee is asked to review its recommendations tracker.

### 14 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Agenda

The next meeting of the Committee will be at 10.00am on Tuesday 15 February 2012.

Item Only

#### 15 EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

Agenda Item

Only

**Recommendation**: That under Section 100(A) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information under the relevant paragraphs of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

### PART 2 IN PRIVATE

### 16 BUSINESS CASE FOR JOINT PROCUREMENT PARTNERSHIP

Yellow

Purpose of report: Scrutiny of Services and Budgets

To scrutinise the proposals for a joint procurement partnership with East Sussex County Council.

Confidential: Not for publication under Paragraph 3

Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).

### 17 PUBLICITY FOR PART TWO ITEMS

Agenda Item

To consider whether the item considered under Part 2 of the agenda should be made available to the Press and public.

Only

NOTE: The Chairman will adjourn the meeting for lunch at 12.45pm, unless the Committee's business can be completed by 1.15pm.

David McNulty Chief Executive 12/1/12

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