



Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Thu 5 Dec
2019
6.30 pm

Committee Room Two
Town Hall
Redditch

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The total maximum time permitted for public speaking is 15 minutes and the time limit for individual speakers is 3 minutes.

Only those members of the public who have registered to speak in advance of the meeting will be permitted to do so.

To register to speak you must contact Democratic Services by phone on 01527 64252 ext 3268, or by email at democratic@bromsgroveandredditch.gov.uk before 12 noon on the day of the meeting.

When registering to speak you must give your name and contact telephone number and indicate which agenda item you wish to speak about.

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Agenda

Membership:

Cllrs:

Joe Baker (Chair)
Debbie Chance (Vice-Chair)
Salman Akbar
Joanne Beecham
Michael Chalk

Peter Fleming
Andrew Fry
Mark Shurmer
Jennifer Wheeler

1. Apologies and named substitutes

2. Declarations of interest and of Party Whip

To invite Councillors to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and / or Other Disclosable Interests they may have in items on the agenda, and to confirm the nature of those interests, and any Party Whip.

3. Minutes (Pages 1 - 20)

4. Public Speaking

To invite members of the public who have registered in advance of the meeting to speak to the Committee.

5. Civil Contingencies Annual Report (Pages 21 - 22)

6. Redditch Partnership Annual Report (Pages 23 - 28)

7. Skills in the Local Workforce - Presentation (Pages 29 - 30)

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8. Executive Committee Minutes and Scrutiny of the Executive Committee's Work Programme - Selecting Items for Scrutiny (Pages 31 - 48)

The minutes from the meeting of the Executive Committee held on 11th November 2019 are attached. The next edition of the Executive Committee's Work Programme is due to be published on 2nd December 2019, after the publication of the agenda for this meeting. The work programme will therefore be published in an Additional Papers pack for Members' consideration.

NOTE: Minute 67 of the Executive Committee minutes contains exempt information which will only be made available to Members and relevant Officers.

Should Members wish to discuss any exempt information contained in this minute in any detail, a decision will be required to exclude the public and press from the meeting on the grounds that exempt information is likely to be divulged, as defined in paragraph 3 of Schedule 12 (a) of Section 100 1 of the Local Government Act 1972, as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006. (Paragraph 3: Subject to the "public interest" test, information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).)

The next edition of the Executive Work Programme is due to be published on Monday 2nd December 2019, after the publication of the agenda for this meeting. This document will therefore be published for the consideration of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee in a supplementary pack for the meeting.

9. Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme (Pages 49 - 52)

10. Task Group Reviews - Draft Scoping Documents

11. Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Panel - Chair's Update Report (Pages 53 - 58)

12. Task Groups, Short Sharp Reviews and Working Groups - Update Reports

- a) Budget Scrutiny Working Group – Chair, Councillor Wheeler
- b) Parking Enforcement Task Group – Chair, Councillor Mark Shurmer
- c) Performance Scrutiny Working Group – Chair, Andrew Fry
- d) Suicide Prevention Scrutiny Task Group – Chair, Councillor Debbie Chance

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13. External Scrutiny Bodies - Update Reports

- a) West Midlands Combined Authority (WMCA) Overview and Scrutiny Committee – Council representative, Councillor Chalk; and
- b) Worcestershire Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (HOSC) – Council representative, Councillor Chalk.