

# Executive Committee

Tue 15 Oct 2024 6.30 pm

Oakenshaw Community Centre Castleditch Lane

Redditch B98 7YB



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# **GUIDANCE ON FACE-TO-FACE MEETINGS**

Please note that this is a public meeting.

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#### Notes:

Although this is a public meeting, there are circumstances when Council might have to move into closed session to consider exempt or confidential information. For agenda items that are exempt, the public are excluded.



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## Agenda

### Membership:

Cllrs:

Joe Baker (Chair) Sharon Harvey (Vice-Chair) Juliet Barker Smith Bill Hartnett Wanda King Jen Snape Jane Spilsbury Monica Stringfellow Ian Woodall

## **1.** Apologies

## **2.** Declarations of Interest

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.

- **3.** Leader's Announcements
- **4.** Minutes (Pages 5 20)
- 5. Contaminated Land Inspection Strategy (Pages 21 64)

Members are asked to note that this item is due to be pre-scrutinised at a meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee scheduled to take place on 14<sup>th</sup> October 2024. Any recommendations arising from that meeting on this subject will be tabled for Members' consideration at the Executive Committee meeting.

- 6. Response to the Proposed reforms to the National Planning Policy Framework and other changes to the planning system (Pages 65 - 92)
- 7. Recommendation from the Audit, Governance and Standards Committee meeting held on 25th July 2024 (Pages 93 96)
- 8. Referral From the Council meeting held on 16th September 2024 Motion on Composting (Pages 97 100)
- **9.** Minutes / Referrals Overview and Scrutiny Committee, Executive Panels etc.

To receive and consider any outstanding minutes or referrals from the Overview and Scrutiny Committee, Executive Panels etc. since the last meeting of the Executive Committee, other than as detailed in the items above.

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**10.** To consider any urgent business, details of which have been notified to the Assistant Director of Legal, Democratic and Property Services prior to the commencement of the meeting and which the Chair, by reason of special circumstances, considers to be of so urgent a nature that it cannot wait until the next meeting

## **11.** Exclusion of the press and public

Should it be necessary, in the opinion of the Chief Executive, during the course of the meeting to consider excluding the public from the meeting on the grounds that exempt information is likely to be divulged, it may be necessary to move the following resolution:

"That, under S.100 (A) (4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following matter(s) on the grounds that it/they involve(s) the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the relevant paragraphs (to be specified) of Part 1 of Schedule 12 (A) of the said Act".

These paragraphs are as follows:

Subject to the "public interest" test, information relating to:

- Para 1 <u>any individual;</u>
- Para 2 the identity of any individual;
- Para 3 financial or business affairs;
- Para 4 <u>labour relations matters;</u>
- Para 5 legal professional privilege;
- Para 6 <u>a notice, order or direction;</u>
- Para 7 the prevention, investigation or

prosecution of crime;

and may need to be considered as 'exempt'.

## **12.** Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Pages 101 - 132)

Minutes from the meetings of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 29<sup>th</sup> August and 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2024 have been attached for the Executive Committee's consideration.

There are no outstanding recommendations from these Overview and Scrutiny Committee meetings requiring consideration.