

18 March 2024

**Committee** Overview and Scrutiny

Date Tuesday, 26 March 2024

Time of Meeting 4:30 pm

Venue Tewkesbury Borough Council Offices,

Severn Room

# ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ARE REQUESTED TO ATTEND

**Agenda** 

## 1. ANNOUNCEMENTS

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# 2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS

To receive apologies for absence and advise of any substitutions.

#### 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Pursuant to the adoption by the Council on 24 January 2023 of the Tewkesbury Borough Council Code of Conduct, effective from 1 February 2023, as set out in Minute No. CL.72, Members are invited to declare any interest they may have in the business set out on the Agenda to which the approved Code applies.

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4.	MINUTES	5 - 20
	To approve the Minutes of the meeting held on 13 February 2024.	
5.	EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FORWARD PLAN	21 - 34
	To determine whether there are any questions for the relevant Lead Members and what support the Overview and Scrutiny Committee can give to work contained within the Plan.	
6.	OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE ACTION LIST	35 - 54
	To consider the actions arising from previous meetings.	
7.	OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME 2023/24	55 - 70
	To consider and approve the Overview and Scrutiny Committee Work Programme 2024/25.	
8.	FINANCIAL UPDATE REPORT	71 - 102
	To consider the financial update for quarter three 2023/24.	
9.	HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS STRATEGY ACTION PLAN MONITORING REPORT	103 - 132
	To consider progress against delivery of the actions in relation to the Housing and Homelessness Strategy.	
10.	CUSTOMER CARE STRATEGY ACTION PLAN UPDATE	133 - 142
	To consider the progress made against the actions within the Customer Care Strategy 2023/24 action plan.	
11.	DEPOT SERVICES WORKING GROUP ANNUAL REPORT	143 - 150
	To consider the progress made by the Working Group in 2023/24.	
12.	OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT 2023/24	151 - 166
	To approve the annual report as required by the Council's Constitution to ensure that the activities of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee are promoted, both internally and publicly, to reinforce transparency and accountability in the democratic process.	
13.	GLOUCESTERSHIRE POLICE AND CRIME PANEL UPDATE	To Follow
	To receive an update from the Council's representative on matters considered at the last meeting (22 March 2024).	
14.	GLOUCESTERSHIRE HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE	167 - 168
	To receive an update from the Council's representative on matters considered at the last meeting (12 March 2024).	

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# DATE OF NEXT MEETING TUESDAY, 11 JUNE 2024 COUNCILLORS CONSTITUTING COMMITTEE

Councillors: N D Adcock, C Agg, H J Bowman, T J Budge, C L J Carter (Vice-Chair), M Dimond-Brown (Chair), P A Godwin, G C Madle, H C McLain, C E Mills, G M Porter, E C Skelt, M J Williams, P N Workman and I Yates

## **Substitution Arrangements**

The Council has a substitution procedure and any substitutions will be announced at the beginning of the meeting.

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