

Agenda

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Communities & Wellbeing Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Wednesday, 22nd October, 2014 at 1.00 p.m.
Queen Elizabeth Room, Scaitcliffe House

Membership

Chair: Councillor Kerry Molineux

Vice-Chair: Councillor Wendy Dwyer

Councillors: June Harrison, Dave Parkins, Joyce Plummer, Kath Pratt

Co-optees: Jean Battle, Dr. Mohammed Rahman & one Conservative Vacancy

Overview and Scrutiny Committee Principles

The Committee will exercise the following principles when conducting its business:-

1. At all times adhere to the code of conduct for members and the protocol for member/officer relations.
2. To treat people fairly and with respect and be constructive, especially when challenging people.
3. To seek consensus on the best solutions irrespective of party politics.
4. To be open and transparent.
5. To look for continuous improvement rather than blame.
6. To be inclusive and democratic.
7. To communicate well and constantly.
8. To make best use of available resources.
9. To ensure equality of opportunity.
10. To allow portfolio holders when present to deal with questions and facilitate officer input when under scrutiny.

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence

2. Declarations of Interest and Dispensations

3. Minutes of Last Meeting

To receive the Minutes of the meeting of the Communities and Wellbeing Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 10th September, 2014 for approval as a correct record. (Attached)

Recommended - That the Minutes be received and approved as a correct record.

4. Reducing Poverty – Final Report of the Scrutiny Panel

To present the final report of the Reducing Poverty Scrutiny Panel to the Committee.

Recommended

- (1) That the report be noted;**
- (2) That the Committee provide comments or suggested amendments to the report; and**
- (3) That the Committee approves a final report for submission to the next appropriate meeting of Cabinet.**

5. Lancashire County Council Health Scrutiny – Chairs Update

To receive a verbal update from the Chair on relevant information from Lancashire County Council's Health Scrutiny Committee.

Recommended - That the report be noted.