Monitoring and Audit Committee

Date: Thursday, 23rd July 2015
Time: 7.00pm
Venue: Committee Room, Municipal Offices.
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AGENDA

1. Notification of Chair

2. Notification of Deputy Chair

3. Apologies

4. Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 14th April 2015 to be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

5. Declarations of Interest*
   - Disclosable Pecuniary Interests
   - Personal Interests

6. Any matters referred to the Committee for a decision in relation to a call-in to be considered.

7. Any responses of the Executive to reports of Scrutiny Committees to be considered where appropriate.

8. The Chair of the Committee to ask members of the public present if they wish to speak on any public items on the Agenda.

9. Any items of urgency the Chair decides should be considered.
10. Reports

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* Members are asked to make any declarations of financial or other interests they may have in relation to items on this agenda. Members are reminded to make a declaration at any stage throughout the meeting if it becomes apparent that this may be required when a particular item or issue is considered.

** If a member of the Committee has a question on any matter arising from this item, it would be appreciated if they could contact David Pope so that an update can be provided at the meeting.

The membership of this Committee is: -

**Councillors Linda Adams, Mike Brown, Jenny Henson, Cliff Moreton, Mick Scrimshaw, Michael Tebbutt and Greg Titcombe**

Substitutes:

Councillors Maggie Don, Alan Mills, David Soans and Karl Sumpter
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