

Agenda

Time and Date

10.00 am on Thursday, 15 December, 2022

Place

Diamond Room 1 and 2, Council House, Coventry

1. Apologies

- 2. **Declarations of Interest**
- 3. **Minutes** (Pages 3 8)
 - a) To agree the Minutes of the previous meeting held on 29 September, 2022
 - b) Any matters arising
- 4. Complaints to the Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman 2021/22 (Pages 9 - 34)

Report of the Chief Executive

5. Civility in Public Life and Digital Citizenship Update (Pages 35 - 46)

Report of the Chief Legal Officer

6. **Member/Officer Protocol Review** (Pages 47 - 68)

Report of the Chief Legal Officer

7. Code of Conduct Update (Pages 69 - 78)

Report of the Chief Legal Officer

8. Work Programme for the Ethics Committee 2022/23 (Pages 79 - 84)

Report of the Chief Legal Officer

9. Any other items of public business which the Chair decides to take as matters of urgency because of the special circumstances involved

Julie Newman, Chief Legal Officer, Council House, Coventry

Wednesday, 7 December 2022

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Membership: Councillors L Bigham, P Hetherton, S Nazir (Chair), D Welsh

Independent Persons: S Atkinson, A Barton, R Wills, P Wiseman

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