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## Finance and Corporate Services Scrutiny Board (1)

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### Time and Date

2.00 pm on Thursday, 11th January, 2024

### Place

Diamond Rooms 1 and 2 - Council House

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### Public Business

1. **Apologies and Substitutions**

2. **Declarations of Interest**

3. **Minutes**

(a) To agree the minutes of the meeting held on 7 December 2023 (Pages 3 - 6)

(b) Matters Arising

4. **Consultation on Spending, Saving and Council Tax Proposals for 2024/25** (Pages 7 - 32)

Briefing Note

5. **Delivering Value for Money in Placement Costs** (Pages 33 - 38)

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6. **Work Programme and Outstanding Issues** (Pages 39 - 42)

Report of the Scrutiny Co-ordinator

7. **Any other items of Public Business**

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

### Private Business

8. **Delivering Value for Money in Placement Costs** (Pages 43 - 62)

Briefing Note

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Wednesday, 3 January 2024

Note: The person to contact about the agenda and documents for this meeting is Carolyn Sinclair [carolyn.sinclair@coventry.gov.uk](mailto:carolyn.sinclair@coventry.gov.uk)

Membership: Councillors J Blundell, R Brown (By Invitation), P Hetheron (By Invitation), J Innes, L Kelly, R Lakha, J Lepoidevin, P Male, K Maton, J McNicholas and E Ruane (Chair)

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