

Ethics Committee

Time and Date

11.00 am on Thursday, 14th December, 2023

Place

Diamond Rooms 1 and 2 - Council House

1. **Apologies**
2. **Declarations of Interest**
3. **Minutes** (Pages 3 - 8)
 - a) To agree the Minutes of the previous meeting held on 28 September 2023
 - b) Any matters arising
4. **Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman Annual Report** (Pages 9 - 38)

Report of the Chief Executive
5. **Monitoring Officer/Code of Conduct/Members Complaints Update** (Pages 39 - 46)

Report of the Chief Legal Officer
6. **Ethics Committee Work Programme 2023/24** (Pages 47 - 52)

Report of the Chief Legal Officer
7. **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, 6 December 2023

Note: The person to contact about the agenda and documents for this meeting is Suzanne Bennett, Governance Services Email: suzanne.bennett@coventry.gov.uk

Membership: L Bigham, P Hetherington, S Nazir (Chair), E M Reeves, and D Welsh

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

Substitute Members: Councillors S Gray, M Mutton and P Seaman

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