

Ethics Committee

Time and Date

11.00 am on Thursday, 24th September, 2026

Place

Diamond Rooms 1 and 2 - Council House

1. **Apologies**
2. **Declarations of Interest**
3. **Minutes** (Pages 3 - 6)
 - a) To agree the Minutes of the previous meeting held on 25 June, 2026.
 - b) Any matters arising
4. **Review of Prospective Councillor Information Booklet and Candidates Briefing** (Pages 7 - 32)

Report of the Director of Law, Governance and Safer Communities
5. **Local Code of Corporate Governance** (Pages 33 - 58)

Report of the Director of Law, Governance and Safer Communities
6. **Members Gifts and Hospitality Registers - Declarations for January to June 2026** (Pages 59 - 72)

Report of the Director of Law, Governance and Safer Communities
7. **Officers Gifts and Hospitality Registers - Inspection of Registers for January to June 2026** (Pages 73 - 88)

Report of the Director of Law, Governance and Safer Communities
8. **Code of Conduct Update** (Pages 89 - 104)

Report of the Director of Law, Governance and Safer Communities
9. **Work Programme for Ethics Committee 2026/27** (Pages 105 - 112)

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

Julie Newman, Director of Law, Governance and Safer Communities, Council House, Coventry

Wednesday, 16 September 2026

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: Councillors A Hopkins (Chair), L Bigham, W Davies, S Gray, M Heaven, P Hetherton, D McCann, S Atkinson, R Wills and P Wiseman

Independent Persons: S Atkinson, R Wills, and P Wiseman

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