
Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee

Time and Date

10.00 am on Wednesday, 19th March, 2014

Place

Committee Rooms 2 and 3 - Council House

Public Business

1. **Apologies and Substitutions**

2. **Declarations of Interest**

3. **Minutes** (Pages 5 - 10)

(a) To agree the minutes of the previous meeting held on 19th February, 2014

(b) Matters Arising

4. **Welfare Reform** (Pages 11 - 44)

Joint Briefing Note. To receive presentations on the following:-

(a) Universal Credit and the Local Support Services Framework (10.05 a.m.)

(b) Impact on Disabled People (10.55 a.m.)

(c) The Impact of the Economic Downturn and Welfare Reforms on Health (11.15 a.m.) (Pages 45 - 52)

The following people have been invited to attend for consideration of this item:

Martin Buxcey, District Operations Manager, Department for Work and Pensions

John Fraser, Universal Credit Implementation Lead, Department for Work and Pensions

Gaynor Smith, Relationship Manager, Department for Work and Pensions

5. **Report back on the Work of Outside Bodies (11.50 a.m.)**

(a) Coventry Citizens Advice Bureau (Pages 53 - 56)

Report of Councillor Ruane, Cabinet Member (Housing and Heritage) who has been invited to attend the meeting for the consideration of this item.

- (b) Coventry Association for International Friendship (Pages 57 - 58)

Report of Councillor Lakha, who has been invited to attend the meeting for the consideration of this item.

6. **Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee Work Programme 2013/2014** (Pages 59 - 64)

Report of the Scrutiny Co-ordinator

7. **Outstanding Issues**

All outstanding Issues have been included in the Work Programme

8. **Any Other Items of Public Business**

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

Private Business

Nil

Chris West, Executive Director, Resources, Council House Coventry

Tuesday, 11 March 2014

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Membership: Councillors F Abbott, J Blundell, J Clifford (Deputy Chair), C Fletcher (Chair), T Khan, R Sandy, T Skipper, S Thomas, K Taylor, K Caan, A Gingell,

R Lakha and E Ruane

By invitation:-

Councillors Caan, Deputy Cabinet Member (Health and Adult Services)

Councillor Gingell, Cabinet Member (Health and Adult Services)

Councillor Lakha

Councillor Lucas, Cabinet Member (Policy and Leadership)

Councillor Ruane, Cabinet Member (Housing and Heritage)

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