



Buckinghamshire County Council
Select Committee
Environment, Transport and Locality Services

Date: Tuesday 13 May 2014

Time: 10.00 am

Venue: Mezzanine Room 2, County Hall, Aylesbury

AGENDA

9.30 am Pre-meeting Discussion

This session is for members of the Committee only. It is to allow the members time to discuss lines of questioning, areas for discussion and what needs to be achieved during the meeting.

10.00 am Formal Meeting Begins

Agenda Item	Time	Page No
1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE / CHANGES IN MEMBERSHIP	10.00am	
2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST To disclose any personal or disclosable pecuniary interests.		
3 MINUTES Of the meeting held on 8 April 2014 to be confirmed as a correct record.		1 - 16



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4 PUBLIC QUESTIONS

This is an opportunity for members of the public to put a question or raise an issue of concern, related to Environment, Transport and Locality Services. Where possible, the relevant organisation to which the question/issue is directed will be present to give a verbal response. The member of public will be invited to speak for up to four minutes on their issue. A maximum of 30 minutes is set aside for the Public Questions slot in total (including responses and any Committee discussion). This may be extended with the Chairman's discretion.

For full guidance on Public Questions, including how to register a request to speak during this slot, please follow this link:

<http://www.buckscc.gov.uk/about-your-council/scrutiny/get-involved/>

No public questions have been received for this meeting

5 CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

For the Chairman of the Committee to provide an update to the Committee on recent scrutiny related activity.

6 TRADING STANDARDS

10.10am 17 - 24

Members will receive a briefing on the recent work, activity and approach of the service area. Members will also consider proposed plans to create a Joint Trading Standards Service with Surrey County Council providing the opportunity for the Committee to provide its views and comments prior to a decision that may be made in October 2014.

Amanda Poole, Trading Standards Manager
David Pickering, Team Leader Trading Standards
Steve Ruddy, Surrey County Council

Papers

- Trading Standards update
- Appendix – Food authenticity

7 COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME

10.40am 25 - 28

Members will discuss the Committee's work programme and proposals for future items with input from The Strategic Director for Communities and the Built Environment.

Neil Gibson, Strategic Director for Communities and the Built Environment

Papers:
Committee Proposed Work Programme

8 DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING 11.00am

The next meeting is due to take place on Tuesday 17 June 2014 in Mezzanine 2, County Offices, Aylesbury at 10.00am. There will be a pre-meeting for Committee Members at 9.30am.

Future meeting dates for 2014

Tuesday 2 September

Tuesday 14 October

Tuesday 18 November

11.00AM

CLOSE OF THE MEETING AS THE ENVIRONMENT, TRANSPORT AND LOCALITY SERVICES SELECT COMMITTEE

11.05AM

MEETING OF THE ETL AS THE DESIGNATED CRIME AND DISORDER COMMITTEE

9 OPENING COMMENTS FROM THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN 11.05am

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10 CRIME AND DISORDER ANNUAL UPDATE 11.10am 29 - 52

Members will receive the statutory annual update from the County Council's crime and disorder reduction partnership; The Safer and Stronger Bucks Partnership. They will review partnerships progress over the past year against the plan and consider the priorities for the coming year providing their views and comments on the plan.

James Sainsbury, Acting Safer and Stronger Bucks Partnership Manager

Papers:

Crime and Disorder information paper

Draft Safer Bucks Plan

11 CLOSE OF THE MEETING 12.00pm

Purpose of the committee

The Environment, Transport and Locality Services Select Committee shall carry out scrutiny functions for all policies and services relating to environment, transport and locality services, including: Environmental sustainability; Planning & development; Transportation; Road maintenance; Locality services; Community cohesion; Countryside services; Waste, recycling and treatment; Trading standards; Resilience (emergency planning); Voluntary & community sector; Drugs and alcohol issues; and Crime and disorder and crime and disorder reduction partnerships (community safety partnerships).

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