

Communities & Localism Select Committee agenda

Date: Tuesday 22 February 2022

Time: 10.00 am

Venue: The Oculus, Buckinghamshire Council, Gatehouse Road, Aylesbury HP19 8FF

Membership:

M Harker OBE (Chairman), A Waite (Vice-Chairman), S Barrett, P Drayton, M Hussain JP, G Smith, M Stannard, P Bass, R Gaffney, L Smith BEM, J Baum, P Cooper, F Mahon and G Hollis

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Agenda Item

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- 1 Apologies for absence / Changes in membership
- 2 Declarations of Interest

3 Minutes

The minutes of the Select Committee held on 26th October 2021 and the informal working group meeting

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held on 16th December 2021 to be confirmed as a correct record.

4 Public Questions

Public questions is an opportunity for people who live, work or study in Buckinghamshire to put a question to a Select Committee.

The Committee will hear from members of the public who have submitted questions in advance relating to items on the agenda. The Cabinet Member, relevant key partners and responsible officers will be invited to respond.

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5 Chairman's update

6 Buckinghamshire Culture 10:10 19 - 20

The Committee will receive an update from Buckinghamshire Culture on the development of the Cultural Partnership first conceived in 2019. This will include an overview of the work undertaken in the past three years and a look forward to future opportunities.

Contributors:

Cllr Clive Harris, Cabinet Member for Culture and Leisure Julius Weinberg, Co-Chair, Buckinghamshire Culture Lallie Davis, Director, Buckinghamshire Culture Ruth Page, Culture and Leisure Services Development Manager

7 Domestic Abuse

Following the publication of the Buckinghamshire Domestic Abuse Strategy in December 2021, the Committee will receive an overview of the scale of the issue in Buckinghamshire, gain an understanding of the impact on victims and their families and the actions that are being taken to mitigate this.

Contributors:

Cllr Steve Bowles, Cabinet Member for Communities Claire Hawkes, Service Director, Communities and Strategic Partnerships Gideon Springer, Head of Community Safety 11:10 21 - 30

8	Work Programme The Committee will discuss the work programme and agree the items for the next meeting.	11:55	31 - 32
	Contributors: All Committee Members		
	Papers: Work Programme attached		
9	Date and time of the next meeting The next meeting will take place on 13 th April 2022 at 10am	12:05	

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