



## Finance & Resources Select Committee Agenda

Date: Thursday 22 September 2022

Time: 2.00 pm

Venue: The Paralympic Room, Buckinghamshire Council, Gatehouse Road, HP19 8FF

### Membership:

R Bagge (Chairman), D Goss (Vice-Chairman), D Anthony, M Ayub, D Barnes, M Bracken, S Chhokar, T Dixon, G Harris, I Macpherson, R Newcombe, W Raja, M Walsh, S Wilson and K Wood

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Agenda Item	Time	Page No
<b>1 Apologies for absence / Changes in membership</b>		
<b>2 Declarations of Interest</b>		
<b>3 Minutes</b> The minutes of the meeting held on 28 July to be confirmed as a correct record.		<b>5 - 12</b>

**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 Six Month Budget Scrutiny Update**

**14:15**

**13 - 30**

The Committee will consider a six-month review of the recommendations made by the 2022 Budget Scrutiny Inquiry Group.

**Contributors:**

Councillor Martin Tett, Leader

David Skinner, Service Director for Finance (Section 151 Officer)

**Papers:**

Six Month Budget Scrutiny Update

**6 Employee Experience and Workforce Ambition**

**14:45**

**31 - 80**

The Committee will consider a report updating on the deliverables in the Buckinghamshire Council People Plan which supports employee experience and workforce ambition.

**Contributors:**

Councillor John Chilver, Cabinet Member for Accessible Housing & Resources

Councillor Tim Butcher, Deputy Cabinet Member for Resources

Sarah Murphy-Brookman, Corporate Director for Resources

Sarah Keyes, Service Director for HR & OD

**Papers:**

Buckinghamshire Council Employee Experience and Workforce Ambition report

Buckinghamshire Council People Plan appendix

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| <b>7</b> | <b>Council Tax and Business Rates</b>  | <b>15:30</b> | <b>81 - 104</b>  |
|          | The Committee will consider a briefing report on the revenues and benefits collection and arrears performance. The report also updates on the project to implement a single revenue and benefits system for the Council. |              |                  |
|          | <b>Contributors:</b>   |              |                  |
|          | Councillor John Chilver, Cabinet Member for Accessible Housing & Resources   |              |                  |
|          | David Skinner, Service Director for Finance (Section 151 Officer)  |              |                  |
|          | Clive Jones, Head of Revenue & Benefits  |              |                  |
|          | <b>Papers:</b>   |              |                  |
|          | Revenues and Benefits report   |              |                  |
| <b>8</b> | <b>Work Programme</b>  | <b>16:00</b> | <b>105 - 106</b> |
|          | The Committee will consider the upcoming work programme.   |              |                  |
|          | <b>Contributors:</b>   |              |                  |
|          | All Committee Members  |              |                  |
|          | <b>Papers:</b>   |              |                  |
|          | Work Programme attached  |              |                  |
| <b>9</b> | <b>Date and time of the next meeting</b>   |              |                  |
|          | The next meeting will take place on 1 December at 2pm.   |              |                  |

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