



Communities & Localism Select Committee agenda

Date: Wednesday 5 October 2022

Time: 10.00 am

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

Membership:

M Harker OBE (Chairman), A Waite (Vice-Chairman), A Alam, S Barrett, P Bass, P Cooper, P Drayton, G Hollis, M Hussain JP, M Knight, F Mahon, C Oliver, G Smith, M Stannard and L Smith BEM

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1 Apologies for absence / Changes in membership		
2 Declarations of Interest		
3 Minutes		5 - 10
The minutes of the meeting held on 13 th July 2022 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

11 - 14

6 Update on Refugee Resettlement Schemes

10:15

15 - 44

The Committee will receive a report on the current position with the Refugee Resettlement schemes in Buckinghamshire to enable Members to review the support that the Council is offering to guests from Ukraine and Afghanistan.

Contributors:

Cllr Arif Hussain, Deputy Cabinet Member for Community Safety

Richard Barker, Corporate Director, Communities

Matt Everitt, Interim Service Director, Service Improvement

7 Buckinghamshire Libraries - Developing a Vision and a Strategy

11:05

45 - 62

The Committee will receive a report on work currently underway to develop a new vision and strategy for Buckinghamshire Libraries. Members will have an opportunity to feedback on the priorities that have been identified.

Contributors:

Richard Barker, Corporate Director, Communities

David Jones, Head of Libraries

Laura Davies, Operations Manager

Lyn Mangisi, Support and Development Manager

Katie Dejoux, Culture and Outreach Services Manager

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| 8 | Update on Chilterns Lifestyles Centre
The Committee will receive a report on how the new facilities at the Chilterns Lifestyle Centre in Amersham have been received since the official opening in December 2021.

Contributors:
Richard Barker, Corporate Director, Communities
Sophie Payne, Service Director, Culture, Sport and Leisure
Sue Drummond, Head of Leisure | 11:50 | 63 - 72 |
| 9 | Work Programme
The Committee will discuss and note the Work Programme for future meetings.

Contributors:
All Committee Members | 12:20 | 73 - 74 |
| 10 | Date and time of the next meeting
The next meeting will take place on 22 nd November 2022 at 10am in the Oculus. | | |

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