

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

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COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Councillor M Watkin (Chair) Councillor S Rackett (Vice-Chair) Councillors N Bell, S Greenslade, K Hastrick, P Jeffree, S Johnson, R Martins and K McLeod

AGENDA

PART A - OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE/COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

2. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS (IF ANY)

3. MINUTES

The minutes of the meetings held on 24 November and 22 December 2011 to be submitted and signed. (*All minutes are available on the Council's website.*)

4. OUTSTANDING ACTIONS AND QUESTIONS (Pages 1 - 20)

The document sets out the update on the outstanding actions which arose at previous meetings.

5. CALL-IN

To consider any Executive decisions which have been called in by the requisite number of Members.

6. HOSPITAL PARKING CHARGES TASK GROUP - FINAL REPORT (Pages 21 - 36)

To review the final report from the Task Group and to endorse the final document prior to forwarding it to the West Hertfordshire Hospitals NHS Trust.

7. WASTE AND RECYCLING REVIEW - TASK GROUP UPDATE

The Committee and Scrutiny Officer to provide a verbal update on the progress of the Task Group.

8. THE WAY AHEAD FOR COUNCIL SERVICES - TASK GROUP UPDATE

The Committee and Scrutiny Officer and Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee to provide a verbal update on the progress of the Task Group.

9. COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP TASK GROUP - UPDATE

The Committee and Scrutiny Officer to provide a verbal update on the progress of the Task Group.

10. FORWARD PLAN (Pages 37 - 40)

The latest update of the Forward Plan since the previous meeting.

11. PREVIOUS REVIEW UPDATE: SERVICES FOR THE DECEASED (Pages 41 - 54)

To review the recommendations from the Services for the Deceased report as requested by Policy Development Scrutiny Committee.

12. PREVIOUS REVIEW UPDATE: FUTURE OF THE COLOSSEUM (Pages 55 - 60)

To review the update to the recommendations from the Future of the Colosseum report.

13. WORK PROGRAMME AND ANNUAL REPORT (Pages 61 - 82)

To review the latest version of the work programme and to discuss suggestions for inclusion in the Scrutiny Committee's contribution to the Scrutiny Annual Report.

14. DATES OF NEXT MEETINGS

- Wednesday 7 March 2012
- Wednesday 29 March 2012 (For call-in only)