

**Meeting** The Scrutiny Committee

**Date and Time** Tuesday, 15th February, 2022 at 6.30 pm.

Venue Walton Suite, Winchester Guildhall

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#### **AGENDA**

## 1. Apologies and Deputy Members

To note the names of apologies given and deputy members who are attending the meeting in place of appointed members.

#### 2. **Declarations of Interests**

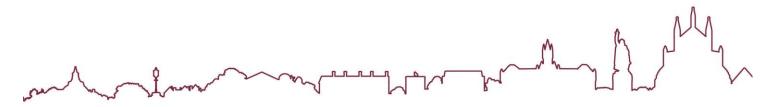
To receive any disclosure of interests from Members and Officers in matters to be discussed.

Note: Councillors are reminded of their obligations to declare disclosable pecuniary interests, personal and/or prejudicial interests in accordance with legislation and the Council's Code of Conduct.

If you require advice, please contact the appropriate Democratic Services Officer, <u>prior</u> to the meeting.

## 3. Chairperson's Announcements

4. **Minutes of the meeting of the 6 December 2021** (Pages 7 - 10) That the minutes of the meeting be signed as a correct record.



## 5. Public Participation

To receive and note questions asked and statements made from members of the public on matters which fall within the remit of the Committee.

Members of the public and visiting councillors may speak at Scrutiny, provided they have registered to speak three working days in advance. Please contact Democratic Services by 5pm on 9 February 2022 via democracy@winchester.gov.uk or (01962) 848 264 to register to speak and for further details.

# 6. **Housing Revenue Account (HRA) Budget 2022/23** (Pages 11 - 32) Report Ref: SC059 and CAB3334

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that scrutiny committee comment on the proposals within the attached cabinet report, ref CAB3334 which is to be considered by cabinet at its meeting on the 17 February 2022.

## 7. **General Fund Budget 2022/23** (Pages 33 - 68)

Report Ref: SC062 and CAB3335

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that scrutiny committee comment on the proposals within the attached cabinet report, ref CAB3335 which is to be considered by cabinet at its meeting on the 17 February 2022.

## 8. Capital Investment Strategy 2022-2032 (Pages 69 - 112)

Report Ref: SC061 and CAB3332

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that scrutiny committee comment on the proposals within the attached cabinet report, ref CAB3332 which is to be considered by cabinet at its meeting on the 17 February 2022.

## 9. Treasury Management Strategy 2022/23 (Pages 113 - 144)

Report Ref: SCO60 & CAB3333

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that scrutiny committee comment on the proposals within the attached cabinet report, ref CAB3333 which is to be considered by cabinet at its meeting on the 17 February 2022.

10. To note the determination of the Monitoring Officer following a call-in request. (Pages 145 - 152)

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that scrutiny committee note the contents of this report.

- 11. **To note the Work Programme for 21/22** (Pages 153 154)
- 12. **To note the latest Forward Plan of Key Decisions (March 2022)** (Pages 155 160)

Lisa Kirkman Strategic Director

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## 7 February 2022

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### THE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE - Membership 2021/22

Chairperson: Councillor: Brook Vice Chairperson: Councillor Lumby

#### **Committee Members**

Becker Cook Cramoysan Craske Ferguson Horrill Power Weir

**Quorum** = 4 Members

#### **Relevant Cabinet Members:**

Having regard to the content of the agenda, the Chairperson requests that The Leader and all relevant Cabinet Members attend meetings of the committee

## **Public Participation**

A public question and comment session is available at 6.30pm for a 15 minute period. There are few limitations on the questions you can ask. These relate to current applications, personal cases and confidential matters. Please contact Democratic Services on 01962 848 264 in advance of the meeting for further details. If there are no members of the public present at 6.30pm who wish to ask questions or make statements, then the meeting will commence.

To reserve your place to speak, you are asked to **register with Democratic Services three clear working days prior to the meeting** – please see public participation agenda item above for further details. People will be invited to speak in the order that they have registered, subject to the maximum time period allowed for speaking not being exceeded. Public Participation is at the Chairperson's discretion.

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- In the event of an equality of votes, the Chairperson may exercise a casting vote and that vote may be exercised in any way seen fit.
- A Member may abstain from voting or vote differently from how they may have indicated during the debate, without further explanation.

• The way each Member voted will not be recorded in the minutes, unless a motion to have a Recorded Vote has been passed.

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