

Committee: Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Date: Tuesday 9 June 2009
Time: 6.30 pm
Venue Bodicote House, Bodicote, Banbury, OX15 4AA

Membership

Councillor Daniel Sames (Chairman)	Councillor Lynda Thirzie Smart (Vice-Chairman)	
Councillor Ann Bonner	Councillor Alastair Milne Home	Councillor Trevor Stevens
Councillor Nick Cotter	Councillor P A O'Sullivan	Councillor Lawrie Stratford
Councillor John Donaldson	Councillor Neil Prestidge	
Councillor Tony Ilott	Councillor Chris Smithson	

Substitutes **Councillor Simon Holland, Councillor Rose Stratford,
Councillor Devena Rae and Councillor John Wyse**

AGENDA

Overview and Scrutiny Members should not normally be subject to the party whip.
Where a member is subject to a party whip they must declare this at the beginning of
the meeting and it should be recorded in the minutes.

1. Apologies for Absence and Notification of Substitute Members

2. Declarations of Interest

Members are asked to declare any interest and the nature of that interest which they may have in any of the items under consideration at this meeting.

3. Urgent Business

The Chairman to advise whether they have agreed to any item of urgent business being admitted to the agenda.

4. Minutes (Pages 1 - 8)

To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the meetings of the Committee held on 7 April 2009 and 20 May 2009.

5. Appointment of Overview and Scrutiny Link Members (Pages 9 - 12)

Report of the Head of Legal and Democratic Services

To consider the appointment of Overview & Scrutiny link members.

6. Residents Parking

This is an opportunity for members of the Committee to discuss with the Portfolio Holder for Community Safety, Street Scene and Rural the current situation regarding the residents parking schemes in Bicester and Banbury.

7. Concessionary Travel

To consider and agree the report of the Concessionary Travel Task & Finish Group and to make recommendations to the Executive.

Report to follow.

8. Overview and scrutiny draft work programme 2009/10 (Pages 13 - 42)

Report of the Head of Legal and Democratic Services

To consider the Committee's work programme for 2009/10.

Information about this Agenda

Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence should be notified to democracy@cherwell-dc.gov.uk or 01295 221587 prior to the start of the meeting.

Declarations of Interest

Members are asked to declare interests at item 2 on the agenda or if arriving after the start of the meeting, at the start of the relevant agenda item. The definition of personal and prejudicial interests is set out in Part 5 Section A of the constitution. The Democratic Support Officer will have a copy available for inspection at all meetings.

Personal Interest: Members must declare the interest but may stay in the room, debate and vote on the issue.

Prejudicial Interest: Member must withdraw from the meeting room and should inform the Chairman accordingly.

With the exception of the some very specific circumstances, a Member with a personal interest also has a prejudicial interest if it is one which a Member of the public with knowledge of the relevant facts would reasonably regard as so significant that it is likely to prejudice the Member's judgement of the public interest.

Local Government and Finance Act 1992 – Budget Setting, Contracts & Supplementary Estimates

Members are reminded that any member who is two months in arrears with Council Tax must

declare the fact and may speak but not vote on any decision which involves budget setting, extending or agreeing contracts or incurring expenditure not provided for in the agreed budget for a given year and could affect calculations on the level of Council Tax.

Queries Regarding this Agenda

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