

COMMITTEE: JOINT SCRUTINY

VENUE: Council Chamber, Council Offices,

Needham Market

DATE/TIME: Wednesday 11 February 2015 at

5.30 p.m.

Members

Babergh Mid Suffolk

Jenny Antill Peter Burgoyne Bryn Hurren James Long Mark Newman Jack Norman David Wood Rachel Eburne Elizabeth Gibson-Harries John Matthissen Derek Osborne

Samantha Powell Martin Redbond Jane Storey Charles Tilbury

PLEASE NOTE START TIME AND VENUE OF MEETING

AGENDA

ITEM BUSINESS

The Council, members of the public and the press may record/film/photograph or broadcast this meeting when the public and press are not lawfully excluded. Any member of the public who attends the meeting and wishes to be filmed should advise the Committee Clerk.

PART I

1 SUBSTITUTES AND APOLOGIES

Any Member attending as an approved substitute to report giving his/her name and the name of the Member being substituted.

2 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Members to declare any interests as appropriate in respect of items to be considered at this meeting.

3 MINUTES

To confirm and sign the Minutes of the meeting held on <u>26 November</u> 2014 (copy attached).

4 PETITIONS

The Head of Corporate Organisation to report, in accordance with Council Procedure Rules, the receipt of any petitions submitted to the Chief Executive.

ITEM BUSINESS

5 QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

The Chairmen of Committees to answer any questions from the public of which notice has been given no later than midday two clear working days before the day of the meeting in accordance with Council Procedure Rules.

6 QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS

The Chairman to answer any questions on matters in relation to which the Council has powers or duties or which affect the District and which fall within the terms of reference of the Committee of which due notice has been given in accordance with Council Procedure Rules.

7 REVIEW OF THE IMPACT OF WELFARE REFORM ON RENT COLLECTION AND VOIDS

Paper JSC/01/15

Report by the Head of Housing (previously circulated with agenda for 28 January).

8 ROLE OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TEAM IN ACHIEVING BUSINESS RATES GROWTH IN THE DISTRICTS

Verbal update from the Corporate Manager – Economic Development and Tourism.

9 <u>RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE FUEL POVERTY TASK AND FINISH</u> <u>GROUP</u>

Paper JSC/02/15

Report from the Fuel Poverty Task and Finish Group (previously circulated with agenda for 28 January).

10 WORK PLAN FOR 2014/15

Paper JSC/03/15

Report by the Head of Corporate Organisation (previously circulated with agenda for 28 January).

Note: The date of the next meeting is Wednesday 25 March 2015 (at Babergh).

For further information on any of the Part 1 items listed above, please contact Val Last on (01449) 724673 or via email at committee.services@babergh.gov.uk

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