



**North East
Derbyshire**
District Council

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Date: Tuesday, 25 October 2022

To: **Members of the Standards Committee**

Please attend a meeting of the Standards Committee to be held on **Wednesday, 2 November 2022 at 2.00 pm in the Council Chamber, District Council Offices, 2013 Mill Lane, Wingerworth, Chesterfield S42 6NG**

Yours sincerely



Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer

Members of the Committee

Councillor P Antcliff (Vice-Chair)
Councillor W Armitage (Chair)
Councillor K Gillott
Councillor D Hancock
Councillor P Kerry
Councillor H Liggett
Councillor K Rouse
Councillor D Ruff
Councillor R Welton

P Coleman - Parish Council Representative
T Collins - Parish Council Representative

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AGENDA

1 Apologies for Absence

2 Declarations of Interest

Members are requested to declare the existence and nature of any disclosable pecuniary interests and/or other interests, not already on their register of interests, in any item in the agenda and withdraw from the meeting at the appropriate time.

3 Minutes of Last Meeting (Pages 4 - 6)

To approve as a correct record and the Chair to sign the Minutes of the Standards Committee held on 13 July 2022.

4 Local Government & Social Care Ombudsman Annual Review Letter - ADDITIONAL ITEM (Pages 7 - 13)

Report of the Assistant Director of Transformation & Communication & SIRO.

5 Employee Code of Conduct - Update

Human Resources and Organisation Manager

6 Code of Corporate Governance (Pages 14 - 37)

Report of the Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer.

7 Review of the Constitution - NOW PUBLISHED (Pages 38 - 42)

Timetable and process for reviewing and revising the constitution

8 Member Induction Programme 2023-24 - NOW PUBLISHED (Pages 43 - 44)

Emerging Proposals from the Member Development Working Group

9 Schedule of Meetings 2023/2024 - NOW PUBLISHED (Pages 45 - 46)

Process for drawing up the Schedule of Meetings for 2023-24

10 Lord Evans letter to Rt Hon Simon Clarke MP (Page 47)

Lord Evans has written to the Rt Hon Simon Clarke MP, Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, in light of the Government's recent response to the Committee's 2019 report on Local Government Ethical Standards.

11 Complaints Update (Pages 48 - 51)

Report of the Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer.

12 **Work Plan** (Pages 52 - 53)

Report of the Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer.

13 **Urgent Business**

To consider any other matter which the Chair is of the opinion should be considered as a matter of urgency.

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Polish

Mówimy Twoim językiem

Urdu

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