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## To: Members of the Communities Scrutiny Committee

Please attend a meeting of the Communities Scrutiny Committee to be held on **Wednesday, 28 February 2024 at 10.00 am in Meeting Rooms 1 & 2,** District Council Offices, 2013 Mill Lane, Wingerworth, Chesterfield S42 6NG.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Sheuberg

Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer

## Members of the Committee

Labour Group	Conservative Group	Liberal Democrat Group
Councillor Stuart Fawcett – Chair Councillor Michael Durrant Councillor Graham Baxter MBE Councillor Richard Beech Councillor Nicki Morley	Councillor Pam Jones Councillor Carolyn Renwick Councillor Kevin Tait	Councillor Pam Windley

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# <u>A G E N D A</u>

### 1 Apologies for Absence

### 2 <u>Declarations of Interest</u>

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 on the agenda and withdraw from the meeting at the appropriate time.

## 3 <u>Minutes of Last Meeting</u> (Pages 5 - 8)

To approve as a correct record and the Chair to sign the Minutes of the Communities Scrutiny Committee held on 20 September 2023.

### 4 Draft Notes of the Local Plan Review Working Group (Pages 9 - 11)

Following the announcement at full Council the notes of the meeting are being shared with Scrutiny Committees for their information.

#### 5 Damp and Mould Implications

To receive an update on the Housing Options work to address Damp and Mould problems in private sector rented properties, and to assess the implications of the new Social Housing Standards.

Ken Eastwood, Assistant Director of Environmental Health and Chris Hixon, Housing & Public Health Team Manager

## 6 **Performance Management** (Pages 12 - 18)

To consider progress made against the Council Plan Targets and Objectives relevant to the Committee and any issues where further progress is required.

Kath Drury, Information, Engagement and Performance Manager and Amar Bashir, Improvement Officer

#### 7 **<u>Residents Survey</u>** (Pages 19 - 23)

Committee to discuss the outcomes of the Residents Survey and to determine if they want to look at any areas as part of their Work Programme.

Joe Hayden, Senior Scrutiny Officer / Kath Drury, Information, Engagement and Performance Manager and Richard Shaw, Improvement Officer

#### 8 <u>Cabinet Business</u> (Pages 24 - 37)

To inform Committee of recent and forthcoming Cabinet business.

A digest of Cabinet decisions taken since 29 June 2023. This information is published by Cabinet meeting on the Council's website. Cabinet Agendas,

Decisions and Minutes can be viewed at: Cabinet

The Forward Plan of Executive decisions.

## <u>Plans</u>

These plans are updated to include new business.

Joe Hayden, Senior Scrutiny Officer

# 9 Work Programme (Pages 38 - 42)

To consider the Committee's Work Programme.

Joe Hayden, Senior Scrutiny Officer

## 10 Additional Urgent Items

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

## 11 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Communities Scrutiny Committee is scheduled to take place on Wednesday 8 May 2024 at 10.00 am.

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