



**North East
Derbyshire
District Council**

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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, 26 February 2025 at 10.00 am in Meeting Rooms 1 & 2**, District Council Offices, 2013 Mill Lane, Wingerworth, Chesterfield S42 6NG.

Yours sincerely

Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer

Members of the Committee

<u>Labour Group</u>	<u>Conservative Group</u>	<u>North East Derbyshire Independents Group</u>
Councillor Graham Baxter MBE Councillor Richard Beech Councillor Michael Durrant – Chair Councillor Carol Lacey Councillor Tony Lacey	Councillor Steve Clough Councillor Pam Jones Councillor Kevin Tait	Councillor Pam Windley

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

3 Minutes of Last Meeting (Pages 5 - 9)

To approve as a correct record and the Chair to sign the Minutes of the Communities Scrutiny Committee held on 13 November 2024.

4 Meet the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire, Nicolle Ndiweni-Roberts

To meet with the new PCC and hear about her plans with particular interest in North East Derbyshire.

Commissioner Nicolle Ndiweni-Roberts, Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire and Police Representatives

5 Performance Management (Pages 10 - 21)

Council Plan Targets Performance Update.

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

6 Adaptations Policy Update (Pages 22 - 27)

To receive an update on the implications of the changes made to the Adaptations Policy.

Di Parker, Housing Intelligence & Assurance Officer and Gary Smithurst, Housing Strategy & Homeless Manager/Lorraine Shaw and Niall Clarke, Rykneld Homes

7 Cabinet Business (Pages 28 - 40)

To inform Committee of recent and forthcoming Cabinet business.

A digest of Cabinet decisions taken since 23 May 2024. 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.

Plans

These plans are updated to include new business.

Joe Hayden, Senior Scrutiny Officer

8 Policy Development

To contribute to major Policies being considered by the Council.

9 'Horizon Scanning'

To consider and contribute to potential changes in the operating environment which may include legislation, regulation and key projects being undertaken by the Council, for example.

10 Work Programme (Pages 41 - 47)

To consider the Committee's Work Programme.

Joe Hayden, Senior Scrutiny Officer

11 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.

12 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Communities Scrutiny Committee is scheduled to take place on 14 May 2025 at 10.00 am.



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