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Date: Monday, 7 October 2024

To: Members of the Standards Committee

Please attend a meeting of the Standards Committee to be held on **Tuesday, 15 October 2024 at 2.00 pm in the Meeting Rooms 1 & 2**, District Council Offices, 2013 Mill Lane, Wingerworth, Chesterfield, S42 6NG.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Shenberg

Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer

Members of the Committee

Councillor K Gillott (Chair)
Councillor H Wetherall (Vice-Chair)
Councillor P Antcliff
Councillor C Cupit
Councillor P Kerry
Councillor F Petersen
Councillor K Rouse
G Hudson
A Orchard
D Richardson

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AGENDA

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

3 <u>Minutes of Last Meeting</u> (Pages 4 - 5)

To approve as a correct record and the Chair to sign the Minutes of the Standards Committee held on 26 April 2024.

4 <u>Local Government & Social Care Ombudsman Annual Review Letter</u> (Pages 6 - 13)

Report of the Assistant Director - Communities

5 New Sexual Harassment Legislation (Pages 14 - 27)

Report of the Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer

6 Code of Practice on Good Governance for Local Authority Statutory Officers (Pages 28 - 34)

Report of the Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer

7 Review of the Constitution (Pages 35 - 38)

To discuss the 2024/25 review of the Constitution

8 Complaints Update (Pages 39 - 43)

Report of the Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer

9 Work Programme (Page 44)

10 <u>Urgent Business (public session)</u>

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

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