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## SCRUTINY BOARD (STRATEGY AND RESOURCES)

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Meeting to be held in Civic Hall, Leeds, LS1 1UR on  
Thursday, 21st December, 2017 at 10.30 am

*(A pre-meeting will take place for ALL Members of the Board at 9.30 a.m.)*

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### MEMBERSHIP

#### Councillors

- S Bentley - Weetwood;
- A Garthwaite - Headingley;
- P Grahame (Chair) - Cross Gates and Whinmoor;
- P Harrand - Alwoodley;
- J McKenna - Armley;
- D Nagle - Rothwell;
- A Smart - Armley;
- A Sobel - Moortown;
- E Tunnicliffe - Roundhay;
- T Wilford - Farnley and Wortley;
- R Wood - Calverley and Farsley;

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*Please note: Certain or all items on this agenda may be recorded*

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# A G E N D A

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1			<p><b>APPEALS AGAINST REFUSAL OF INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS</b></p> <p>To consider any appeals in accordance with Procedure Rule 25* of the Access to Information Procedure Rules (in the event of an Appeal the press and public will be excluded).</p> <p>(* In accordance with Procedure Rule 25, notice of an appeal must be received in writing by the Head of Governance Services at least 24 hours before the meeting).</p>	
2			<p><b>EXEMPT INFORMATION - POSSIBLE EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC</b></p> <p>1 To highlight reports or appendices which officers have identified as containing exempt information, and where officers consider that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information, for the reasons outlined in the report.</p> <p>2 To consider whether or not to accept the officers recommendation in respect of the above information.</p> <p>3 If so, to formally pass the following resolution:-</p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b> – That the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following parts of the agenda designated as containing exempt information on the grounds that it is likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, that if members of the press and public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information, as follows:</p> <p><b>No exempt items have been identified.</b></p>	

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3			<p><b>LATE ITEMS</b></p> <p>To identify items which have been admitted to the agenda by the Chair for consideration.</p> <p>(The special circumstances shall be specified in the minutes.)</p>	
4			<p><b>DECLARATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS</b></p> <p>To disclose or draw attention to any disclosable pecuniary interests for the purposes of Section 31 of the Localism Act 2011 and paragraphs 13-16 of the Members' Code of Conduct.</p>	
5			<p><b>APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTES</b></p> <p>To receive any apologies for absence and notification of substitutes.</p>	
6			<p><b>MINUTES - 29 NOVEMBER 2017</b></p> <p>To confirm as a correct record, the minutes of the meeting held on 29 November 2017 (<i>To follow</i>).</p>	
7			<p><b>BEST COUNCIL PLAN REFRESH FOR 2018/19-2020/21 - INITIAL PROPOSALS</b></p> <p>To consider a report from the Head of Governance and Scrutiny Support introducing the initial proposals around the Best Council Plan Refresh for 2018/19 – 2020/21, presented to and considered by Executive Board at its meeting on 13 December 2017.</p>	1 - 16

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8			<p><b>INITIAL BUDGET PROPOSALS FOR 2018/19</b></p> <p>To consider a report from the Head of Governance and Scrutiny Support introducing the initial budget proposals for 2018/19, presented to and considered by Executive Board at its meeting on 13 December 2017.</p>	17 - 74
9			<p><b>FINANCIAL HEALTH MONITORING 2017/18 - MONTH 7</b></p> <p>To consider a report from the Head of Governance and Scrutiny Support introducing the Financial Health Monitoring 2017/18 – Month 7 report, considered by Executive Board at its meeting on 13 December 2017.</p>	75 - 102
10			<p><b>PERFORMANCE REPORTING TO SCRUTINY BOARD – EFFECTIVE PROCUREMENT</b></p> <p>To consider a report from the Director of Strategy and Housing introducing the Chief Officer (Projects, Programmes and Procurement Unit) report in relation to Effective Procurement.</p>	103 - 120
11			<p><b>PERFORMANCE REPORTING TO SCRUTINY BOARD – ‘CAN DO’ CULTURE AND RECOGNITION IN LEEDS CITY COUNCIL</b></p> <p>To consider a report from the Director of Strategy and Housing relating to ‘Can Do’ Culture and Recognition in Leeds City Council.</p>	121 - 130
12			<p><b>WORK SCHEDULE</b></p> <p>To consider a report from the Head of Governance and Scrutiny Support setting out the Scrutiny Board’s proposed work schedule for the remainder of the current municipal year (2017/18).</p>	131 - 144

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13			<p><b>DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING</b></p> <p>Thursday, 18 January 2018 at 10:30am (pre-meeting for all members of the Scrutiny Board at 10:00am).</p> <p><b>THIRD PARTY RECORDING</b></p> <p>Recording of this meeting is allowed to enable those not present to see or hear the proceedings either as they take place (or later) and to enable the reporting of those proceedings. A copy of the recording protocol is available from the contacts on the front of this agenda.</p> <p>Use of Recordings by Third Parties – code of practice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Any published recording should be accompanied by a statement of when and where the recording was made, the context of the discussion that took place, and a clear identification of the main speakers and their role or title.</li> <li>b) Those making recordings must not edit the recording in a way that could lead to misinterpretation or misrepresentation of the proceedings or comments made by attendees. In particular there should be no internal editing of published extracts; recordings may start at any point and end at any point but the material between those points must be complete.</li> </ul>	