

SCRUTINY BOARD (RESOURCES AND COUNCIL SERVICES)

Meeting to be held in Civic Hall, Leeds, LS1 1UR on
Monday, 14th October, 2013 at 10.00 am

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

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors

- S Bentley - Weetwood;
J L Carter - Adel and Wharfedale;
N Dawson - Morley South;
P Grahame (Chair) - Cross Gates and Whinmoor;
J Hardy - Farnley and Wortley;
A Khan - Burmantofts and Richmond Hill;
A Lowe - Armley;
C Macniven - Roundhay;
R Wood - Calverley and Farsley;

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>APPEALS AGAINST REFUSAL OF INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS</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 Chief Democratic Services Officer at least 24 hours before the meeting).</p>	
2			<p>EXEMPT INFORMATION - POSSIBLE EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC</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>RESOLVED – 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>No exempt items have been identified on this agenda.</p>	

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3			<p>LATE ITEMS</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>DECLARATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS</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>APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTES</p> <p>To receive any apologies for absence and notifications of substitutes.</p>	
6			<p>MINUTES - 30 SEPTEMBER 2013</p> <p>To confirm as a correct record, the minutes of the meeting held on 30 September 2013.</p>	1 - 4
7			<p>HIGH COST LENDERS</p> <p>To consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development in relation to high cost lenders and the Council's action plan to tackle this issue.</p>	5 - 6
8			<p>FINANCIAL HEALTH MONITORING 2013/14 - MONTH 5</p> <p>To consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development presenting information in relation to the financial health of the authority after five months of the financial year in respect of the revenue budget and the housing revenue account.</p>	7 - 24

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9			<p>PEOPLE SCORE CARD</p> <p>To consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development in relation to the Scrutiny Board's approach to scrutinising the People Plan score card.</p>	25 - 28
10			<p>WORK SCHEDULE</p> <p>To consider the Scrutiny Board's work schedule for the 2013/14 municipal year.</p>	29 - 34
11			<p>DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING</p> <p>Monday, 18 November 2013 at 10.00am (Pre-meeting for all Board Members at 9.30am)</p>	