

28 October 2016

Minutes of the meeting of the **Overview & Scrutiny Committee** South
Staffordshire Council held in the Council Chamber Council Offices, Wolverhampton Road, Codsall, South Staffordshire, WV8 1PX on Tuesday, 27 September 2016 at 18:30

Present:-

Councillor Jeff Ashley (Member), Councillor Barry Bond (Member), Councillor Anthony Bourke (Member), Councillor Nigel Caine (Member), Councillor Val Chapman (Member), Councillor Bob Cope (Member), Councillor Brian Cox (Member), Councillor Matt Ewart (Member), Councillor Paul Fieldhouse (Member), Councillor Rita Heseltine (Member), Councillor Lin Hingley (Member), Councillor Alan Hinton (Member), Councillor Steve Hollis (Member), Councillor Keith James (Member), Councillor Janet Johnson (Member), Councillor Michael Lawrence (Member), Councillor Peter Lever (Member), Councillor Dave Lockley (Member), Councillor Robert Marshall (Member), Councillor Terry Mason (Member), Councillor John Michell (Member), Councillor Kath Perry (Chairman), Councillor Ray Perry (Member), Councillor Christine Raven (Member), Councillor John Raven (Member), Councillor Wendy Sutton (Member), Councillor Ken Upton (Member), Councillor Bernard Williams (Member), Councillor David Williams (Member), Councillor Henry Williams (Member), Councillor Kath Williams (Vice Chairman), Councillor Reg Williams (Member)

CABINET MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Councillor Brian Edwards - Leader of the Council

14 **MINUTES**

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on the 12 July 2016 be approved and signed by the Chairman

15 **APOLOGIES**

Apologies for non-attendance were submitted on behalf of Councillors L A Bates, J Bolton, D E Cartwright, D J Clift, M W Davies, L Emery, Mrs D M Holmes, H Lobuczek and R E Moreton

16 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest

17 **UPDATE ON CHALLENGE PANELS**

The Committee received the report of the Director of Legal and Public Health Protection which provided an update on the proposed Challenge Panel reviews for 2016/17

RESOLVED: that the Overview and Scrutiny Committee note the Challenge Panels reviews for the 2016/17 municipal year

18 **SOCIAL MEDIA POLICY FOR MEMBERS**

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The Committee received the report of the Monitoring Officer which set out the Social Media policy offering guidance in the use of social media by Councillors

RESOLVED: that the Overview and Scrutiny Committee welcome and support the Social Media policy as set out in Appendix 1 of the report

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DISTRICT DEAL2

The Committee received the report of the Deputy Chief Executive setting out how the District Council, the County Council and other partners would work together on three priority area for the district - economic growth, skills and productivity and community health

RESOLVED: that:

1. the Overview and Scrutiny Committee support the new District Deal 2 as set out in Appendix 1 of the report
2. a copy of the Kings Fund report into District Councils contribution to Public Health be circulated to all members of the Overview and Scrutiny

The Meeting ended at: 19:35

CHAIRMAN