# **Notice of Meeting**

**Bracknell** 

# **Overview and Scrutiny Commission**

Councillor Pickering (Chair),

Councillor Welch (Vice-Chair),

Councillors Barnard, C Eberle, Egglestone, M Forster, Haffegee, McKenzie-Boyle, McLean, C Thompson, Watts, Webb and Jefferies

Victoria Hill, Parent Governor Representative

One Vacancy, Parent Governor Representative

One Vacancy, Church Representative (Church of England)

One Vacancy, Church Representative (Roman Catholic)

#### Also Invited:

Councillor Iskander Jeffries, Executive Member: Culture, Delivery and Public Protection

Superintendent Andrew Cranidge, Local Police Commander,

Thames Valley

Alison O'Meara, Head of Community Safety

Thursday 30 November 2023, 6.30 - 8.00 pm Council Chamber - Time Square, Market Street, Bracknell, RG12 1JD

### **Agenda**

All councillors at this meeting have adopted the Mayor's Charter which fosters constructive and respectful debate.

Item	Description	Page
1.	Apologies for Absence	
	To receive apologies for absence and to note the attendance of any substitute Members.	
2.	Declarations of Interest and Party Whip	
	Members are asked to declare any disclosable pecuniary or affected interests and the nature of that interest, including the existence and nature of the party whip, in respect of any matter to be considered at this meeting.  Any Member with a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in a matter should withdraw from the meeting when the matter is under consideration and should notify the Democratic Services Officer in attendance that they are withdrawing as they have such an interest. If the Disclosable Pecuniary Interest is not entered on the register of Members interests the Monitoring Officer must be notified of the interest within 28 days.  Any Member with an Affected Interest in a matter must disclose the interest to the meeting. There is no requirement to withdraw from the meeting when the interest is only an affected interest, but the Monitoring Officer should be notified of the interest, if not previously notified of it, within 28 days of the meeting.	

3.	Urgent Items of Business	
	Any other items which, pursuant to Section 100B(4)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972, the Chairman decides are urgent.	
4.	Public Participation	
	To receive submissions from members of the public which have been submitted in advance in accordance with the Council's Public Participation Scheme for Overview and Scrutiny.	
5.	Community Safety	5 - 38
	To receive a presentation on, and to consider: the performance of the Community Safety Partnership and the priorities in the Community Safety Plan for the coming year.	
	The Commission has invited the following guests to address the meeting: Councillor Iskander Jeffries, Executive Member for Culture, Delivery and Public Protection Superintendent Andrew Cranidge, Local Police Commander, Thames Valley Alison O'Meara, Head of Community Safety	
	Members of the Commission are asked to submit technical or detailed questions in advance of the meeting.	
6.	Council Plan Overview Report	39 - 74
	Council Plan Overview Report (CPOR) covering the second quarter of 2023/24 is attached.	
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7.	Work Programme Update	
	Overview and Scrutiny Panel Chairs to provide verbal updates on work they are undertaking and highlight any issues arising.	

# Date of next meeting

The next Overview and Scrutiny Commission meeting is scheduled for 11 January 2024. The focus of the meeting will be budget proposals 2024/25.

# Forward plan and decisions taken

Commission members are able to view upcoming decisions by looking at <u>Browse forward plans | Bracknell Forest Council (bracknell-forest.gov.uk)</u> and consider decisions taken since the last Commission meeting by using this link <u>What's newly published | Bracknell Forest Council (bracknell-forest.gov.uk)</u> and altering the date range.

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