



To: Chair and Members of
Standards Committee

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Dear Member of the Committee,

You are invited to attend a meeting of the **STANDARDS COMMITTEE** to be held at **10.00 am** on **FRIDAY, 14 SEPTEMBER 2012** in **CONFERENCE ROOM 1, TY NANT, NANT HALL ROAD, PRESTATYN.**

Yours sincerely

G. Williams
Head of Legal and Democratic Services

AGENDA

PART 1: THE PRESS AND PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THIS PART OF THE MEETING

1 APOLOGIES

2 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Members to declare any personal or prejudicial interests in any business identified to be considered at this meeting.

3 URGENT MATTERS AS AGREED BY THE CHAIR

Notice of items which, in the opinion of the Chair, should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency pursuant to Section 100B(4) of the Local Government Act, 1972.

4 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING (Pages 5 - 12)

To receive the minutes of the Standards Committee meeting held on 13th July 2012 (copy enclosed).

5 ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS

To note the attendance by members of the Standards Committee at County, Town and Community Council and to receive their reports.

6 NORTH WALES STANDARDS COMMITTEE

To receive a verbal report from the Vice-Chair of the Standards Committee of the issues discussed at the meeting of the North Wales Standards Committee held on 17th July 2012.

7 CODE OF CONDUCT TRAINING EVENTS (Pages 13 - 16)

To receive a report from the Monitoring Officer (copy enclosed) which asks the Committee to note and approve the Code of Conduct training events that have been organised across Denbighshire for County Councillors and members of town and community councils.

8 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

To confirm the date when the Standards Committee will next meet.

PART 2: CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS

It is recommended in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, that the Press and Public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item of business because it is likely that exempt information (as defined in paragraphs 13 and 14 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the Act) would be disclosed.

9 CODE OF CONDUCT COMPLAINTS (Pages 17 - 18)

To receive a confidential report (copy enclosed) which provides the Committee with an overview of the complaints lodged with the Public Service Ombudsman for Wales that are relevant to the county, town or community councils in Denbighshire.

MEMBERSHIP

Independent Members:

Mr Clive B Halliday (Chair), Ms Margaret Medley, Mrs Paula White and Mr Geraint

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Town/Community Council Member
Councillor David E Jones

County Councillors
Councillor Bill Cowie
Councillor Colin Hughes

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