

| To: | Members of the Corporate |
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|     | Governance Committee     |

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#### **Dear Councillor**

You are invited to attend a meeting of the **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE** to be held at **9.30 am** on **WEDNESDAY**, **15 JUNE 2016** in **CONFERENCE ROOM 1A**, **COUNTY HALL**, **RUTHIN**.

Yours sincerely

G. Williams Head of Legal, HR and Democratic Services

#### AGENDA

#### **1** APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR

To appoint a Chair of the Corporate Governance Committee for the ensuing year.

#### 2 APPOINTMENT OF VICE CHAIR

To appoint a Vice Chair of the Corporate Governance Committee for the ensuing year.

#### 3 APOLOGIES

#### 4 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

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

#### 5 URGENT MATTERS

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.

#### 6 MINUTES (Pages 5 - 18)

To receive the minutes of the Corporate Governance Committee meeting held on the 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2016.

### 7 COUNCIL CONSTITUTION (Pages 19 - 356)

To consider a report by the Monitoring Officer (copy enclosed) which sought comments and observations on the draft Constitution.

#### 8 STRATEGY FOR THE PREVENTION AND DETECTION OF FRAUD, CORRUPTION AND BRIBERY (Pages 357 - 400)

To consider a report by the Monitoring Officer (copy enclosed) on the revisions to the Council's strategy for the prevention and detection of fraud, corruption and bribery.

# **9 UPDATING THE COUNCIL'S FINANCIAL REGULATIONS** (Pages 401 - 470)

To consider a report by the Chief Finance Officer (copy enclosed) on the Council's Financial Regulations.

#### 10 BUDGET PROCESS 2017/18 (Pages 471 - 486)

To consider a report by the Chief Finance Officer (copy enclosed) which provides an update on the process to deliver the revenue budget for 2017/18.

### 11 ANNUAL SIRO REPORT (Pages 487 - 496)

To consider a report by the Head of Business Improvement and Modernisation (copy enclosed) which details breaches of the data protection act and complaints relating to Freedom of Information legislation.

#### 12 MANAGEMENT OF VOLUNTARY SCHOOL FUNDS - AUDIT REPORT (Pages 497 - 512)

To consider a report by the Head of Internal Audit, which provided details of the recent Internal Audit report on the Management of School Funds that received a 'Low' assurance rating (copy enclosed).

## **13 CORPORATE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE SELF EVALUATION** (Pages 513 - 528)

To receive a presentation on the Corporate Governance Committee Self Evaluation (copy enclosed).

## **14 CORPORATE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME** (Pages 529 - 530)

To consider the committee's forward work programme (copy enclosed).

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

Councillor Stuart Davies Councillor Peter Duffy Councillor Alice Jones Councillor Jason McLellan Councillor Win Mullen-James Paul Whitham

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