

To: Members of the Performance

**Scrutiny Committee** 

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#### **Dear Councillor**

You are invited to attend a meeting of the PERFORMANCE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE to be held at 10.00 am on THURSDAY, 1 FEBRUARY 2018 in CONFERENCE ROOM 1A, COUNTY HALL, RUTHIN.

Yours sincerely

G. Williams Head of Legal, HR and Democratic Services

PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS A BRIEFING FOR ALL ELECTED AND CO-OPTED MEMBERS AT 9.00 A.M. IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO THE MEETING

## **AGENDA**

#### 1 APOLOGIES

## **2 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS** (Pages 5 - 6)

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 7 - 16)

To receive the minutes of the Performance Scrutiny Committee meeting held on 07 December 2017 (copy attached).

# 5 VERIFIED KEY STAGE 4 EXAMINATION RESULTS (Pages 17 - 36)

To consider a joint report by the Principal Education Manager and GwE's Secondary Lead (copy attached) detailing the verified performance of Denbighshire's schools in external examinations at Key Stage 4 and post 16.

10:05 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

## 6 YOUR VOICE COMPLAINTS PERFORMANCE (Q 3) (Pages 37 - 54)

To scrutinise information (copy attached) on Services' performance in complying with the Council's complaints procedure and examine the customer effort and satisfaction results for Denbighshire County Council.

10:45 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

#### **BREAK**

11:15 a.m. - 11:25 a.m.

# 7 MANAGED SERVICE FOR THE PROVISION OF AGENCY WORKERS (Pages 55 - 86)

To consider a joint report by the Legal and Procurement Operations Manager & Category Manager (Professional Services) Collaborative Procurement Service (copy attached) on the procurement exercise undertaken for the provision of a managed service for the supply of agency workers for the Council, including potential alternative options that may be available, and formulate a recommendation to Cabinet to appoint a provider to supply agency staff for use across Council Services.

11:25 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

## **8 SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME** (Pages 87 - 104)

To consider a report by the Scrutiny Coordinator (copy enclosed) seeking a review of the committee's forward work programme and updating members on relevant issues.

12:00 p.m - 12:15 p.m.

## 9 FEEDBACK FROM COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES

To receive any updates from Committee representatives on various Council Boards and Groups.

12:15 p.m - 12:30 p.m.

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

## **Councillors**

Councillor Huw Jones (Chair) Councillor Hugh Irving (Vice-Chair)

Ellie Chard Arwel Roberts
Ann Davies Peter Scott
Martyn Holland David Williams
Geraint Lloyd-Williams Eryl Williams

Bob Murray

# **Voting Co-opted Members for Education (Agenda Item No. 5 only)**

Mike Hall David Lloyd Kathleen Jones Gareth Williams

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