

To: Members of the Communities
Scrutiny Committee

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Dear Councillor

You are invited to attend a meeting of the **COMMUNITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE** to be held at **10.00 am** on **THURSDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2021 BY VIDEO CONFERENCE**.

Yours sincerely

G. Williams
Head of Legal, HR and Democratic Services

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 (Pages 7 - 14)

To receive the minutes of the Communities Scrutiny Committee held on 9 September 2021 (copy enclosed).

5 SECTION 19 FLOOD INVESTIGATION REPORT INTO THE FLOOD EVENT ON 20TH JANUARY 2021 (Pages 15 - 90)

To consider a report by the Council's Flood Risk Manager (copy attached) which presents the Committee with the statutory Section 19 report into the January 2021 flood event and seeks members' support for assurances to be sought from Natural Resources Wales (NRW) that the recommendations identified within the report will be acted upon.

10:05am – 11:05am

6 FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES IN RELATION TO THE RHYL CUT AND PRESTATYN GUTTER (Pages 91 - 94)

To consider a report by the Council's Flood Risk Manager (copy attached) which presents the Committee with the conclusion of the joint study, led by Natural Resources Wales (NRW), into potential improvements in the management of the Rhyl Cut and Prestatyn Gutter. The report seeks members' feedback on the study's findings and conclusions.

11:05am – 12:05pm

7 SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME (Pages 95 - 116)

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.

12:05pm – 12:25pm

8 FEEDBACK FROM COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES

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

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors

Councillor Huw Williams (Chair)

Councillor Graham Timms (Vice-Chair)

Brian Blakeley
Alan Hughes
Hugh Irving
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