Finance and Audit Scrutiny Committee

Tuesday 9 June 2009

Monday 1 June 2009

A meeting of the above Committee will be held in the Town Hall, Royal Learnington Spa, on Tuesday 9 June 2009 at 6.00pm.

Membership:

Councillor Malcolm Doody Councillor R Edwards Councillor G Guest Councillor Mrs E Higgins Councillor G Illingworth Councillor Mrs J Knight Councillor E B MacKay Councillor N Pittarello Councillor A Rhead Councillor Mrs S Tyrrell Councillor N Vincett

Emergency Procedure

At the commencement of the meeting the Committee Services Officer will announce the emergency procedure for the Town Hall.

Declarations of Interest

Declarations should be entered on the form to be circulated with the attendance sheet and declared at item 2 below. However, the existence and nature of any interest that subsequently becomes apparent during the course of the meeting must be disclosed immediately. In the event of an interest being prejudicial, Members are reminded that they must withdraw from the room or chamber whenever it becomes apparent that the matter is being considered, unless a dispensation has been obtained from Standards Committee. If Members are unsure about whether or not they have an interest, or about its nature, they are strongly advised to seek advice from officers prior to the meeting.

<u>Agenda</u>

Part A - General

1. Substitutes

To receive the name of any Councillor who is to act as a substitute, notice of which has been given to the Chief Executive, together with the name of the Councillor for whom they are acting.

2. Appointment of Chair

To appoint the Chair of the Committee for the ensuing municipal year.

3. **Declarations of Interest**

Members to declare the existence and nature of personal and prejudicial interests in items on the agenda in accordance with the adopted Code of Conduct.

Part B – Audit Items

*4. Internal Audit Quarter 4 2008/09 Progress Report

To consider a report from Finance. (Page 1)

*5. Internal Audit Annual Report 2008/09

To consider a report from Finance. (Page 33)

*6. Invesco Cash Management Portfolio Performance

To consider a report from Finance. (Page 46)

*7. Audit Opinion Plan and Audit/Inspection Fees 2009/10

To consider a report from Finance. (Page 50)

*8. **Process for the approval of the Statement of Accounts**

To consider a report from Finance. (Page 68)

Part C – Scrutiny Items

*9. Review of effectiveness of Internal Audit

To consider a report from Finance. (Page 71)

*10. Document Management Solutions Programme

To consider a report from Organisational Development and Performance Improvement. (Page 80)

*11. Spencer Yard - Project Management Structure

To consider a report from the Deputy Chief Executive. (Page 84)

*12. Member involvement in BIP projects

To consider a report from Organisational Development and Performance Improvement. **(Page 89)**

*13. Comments from the Executive

To consider a report from Members' Services. (Page 96)

*14. Review of the Work Programme

To consider a report from Members' Services. (Page 100)

*15. Executive Agenda (Non Confidential Items and Reports) – Wednesday 10 June 2009

To consider the non-confidential items on the Executive agenda which fall within the remit of this Committee. The only items to be considered are those which Committee Services have received notice of by 9.00am on the day of the meeting. **You are requested to bring your copy of that agenda to this meeting**. (Circulated separately)

*16. Public and Press

To consider resolving that under Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 that the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the following items by reason of the likely disclosure of exempt information within the paragraphs of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, following the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006.

*17. Integrated Waste Contract Signature

To consider a report from Neighbourhood Services. (Page 110)

*18. Executive Agenda (Confidential Items and Reports) – Wednesday 10 June 2009

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(*Denotes those items upon which decisions will be made under delegated powers, as previously granted by Council).

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Enquiries about specific reports: Please contact the officers named in the reports.

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THE AGENDA IS AVAILABLE IN LARGE PRINT ON REQUEST, PRIOR TO THE MEETING