

Audit and Risk Assurance Committee

Thursday 9 January 2020 at 5.00 pm in Council Chamber at Sandwell Council House, Oldbury

Agenda

(Open to Public and Press)

- 1. Apologies for absence.
- 2. Members to declare any interest in matters to be discussed at the meeting.
- 3. Minutes of the meeting held on 19 September 2019.
- 4. Strategic Risk Register Update.
- 5. Adult Social Care, Health and Wellbeing Directorate Risk Register.
- 6. External Audit Progress Report and Sector Update.
- 7. Internal Audit Progress Report.
- 8. Internal Audit Charter.
- 9. Counter Fraud Update.
- 10. The Council's Process for Gas Safety Within Council Owned Public Buildings.

11. Exclusion of the Public and Press:

Chair to move:-

"That the public and press be excluded from the rest of the meeting. This is to avoid the possible disclosure of exempt information under Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act, 1972, as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006 for the reason stated below".

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12. Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman - Investigation into a complaint against Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council. (Exempt information relating to an individual.)

David Stevens Interim Chief Executive

Sandwell Council House Freeth Street Oldbury West Midlands

Distribution:

Councillor Bostan(Chair); Mr M Ager (Vice-Chair and Independent Member); Councillors Allen, Hevican, M Y Hussain, Jarvis, Moore and Preece. Mr H Doyle and Mr J Hussain (Independent Members).

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