

Agenda

Ethical Standards and Member Development Committee

Tuesday, 5 March 2024 at 6.00 pm
in Committee Room 1, Sandwell Council House, Oldbury

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| 1 | Apologies for Absence | 7 - 8 |
| | To receive any apologies for absence (if any). | |
| 2 | Declarations of Interest | 9 - 10 |
| | Members to declare any interests in matters to be discussed at the meeting. | |
| 3 | Minutes | 11 - 16 |
| | To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 24 January 2024. | |
| 4 | Additional Items of Business | |
| | To determine whether there are any additional items of business to be considered as a matter of urgency. | |
| 5 | Annual Report of the Ethical Standards and Member Development Committee 2023/24 | 17 - 38 |
| | To consider the 2023/24 Annual Report of the Ethical Standards and Member Development Committee. | |



6 **Review of the Committee on Standards in Public Life Best Practice Recommendations** 39 - 50

To receive the review of the Committee on Standards in Public Life Best Practice Recommendations.

7 **Member Development Update** 51 - 56

To consider and comment upon the elected member learning and development activity that has been delivered since the previous committee report on 7 November 2023.

8 **Complaints and Allegations Update** 57 - 62

Standing item to consider the update on complaints.

9 **Gifts and Hospitality Register** 63 - 66

Standing item to consider the gifts and hospitality register.

10 **National Cases** 67 - 74

Standing item to consider national cases relating to conduct issues.

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