

EAST STAFFORDSHIRE BOROUGH COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of the Scrutiny (Protecting and Strengthening Communities) Committee held in the Coltman VC Room at the Town Hall, Burton upon Trent on Thursday 15th June 2017.

Present:

Councillors Mrs S. McGarry (Chairman), G. Allen, S. Hussain, C. Jones, Mrs S. McKiernan, C. Smith and C. Wileman.

Officers Present:

(Head of Service), Mr J. Abbott (Programmes and Transformation Team Leader), Mr S. Humble (Programmes and Transformation Officer), Mr M. Hovers (Communities, Open Spaces & Facilities Manager), Mr P. Farrer (Environment Manager), Mr D. Scott (Street Cleansing Manager)

An apology for absence was received from Councillor Mrs B. Toon.

86/17 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest at the commencement of the meeting.

87/17 **APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHAIRMAN**

Resolved:

Councillor George Allen was appointed vice-chairman for the ensuing year.

88/17 **MINUTES**

Resolved:

That the Minutes of the Meeting held on 14th March 2017 be approved and signed as a correct record.

89/17 **URGENT BUSINESS**

There was no urgent business submitted to the meeting pursuant to Rule 12.

90/17 **PERFORMANCE REPORT – QUARTER 4**

The Report of Sal Khan, Head of Service regarding Quarter 4 Performance was considered. The Programmes and Transformation Team Leader gave a brief overview of the report.

An opportunity for questions followed.

NOTED

91/17 **LITTERING IN THE BOROUGH REVIEW**

At the last meeting the Committee decided that they would review Littering in the Borough. The scoping paper for the review was circulated prior to the meeting.

Simon Humble, the review support officer, gave a short presentation on the scoping paper. Discussions took place and Members made comments.

An opportunity for questions followed.

Resolved:

That the draft report be circulated to committee members for further comment.

92/17 **PUBLIC EXECUTIVE DECISION RECORDS**

Members considered the Public Decision Records.

An opportunity for questions followed.

NOTED

93/17 **QUESTIONS**

There were no questions submitted to the Committee prior to the meeting.

94/17 **DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING**

Resolved:

That the next meeting will take place on Thursday 14th September 2017 in the Coltman VC Room, Town Hall, Burton upon Trent.

Chairman