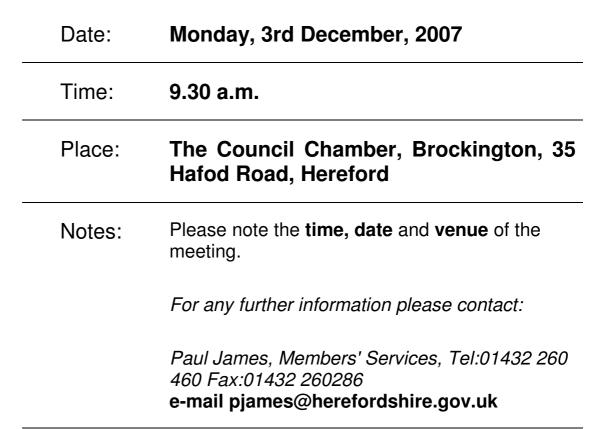
# **Environment Scrutiny Committee**



# **County of Herefordshire District Council**















## **AGENDA**

### for the Meeting of the Environment Scrutiny **Committee**

To: Councillor RI Matthews (Chairman) **Councillor KG Grumbley (Vice-Chairman)** 

> Councillors JHR Goodwin, JW Hope MBE, MAF Hubbard, TW Hunt, MD Lloyd-Hayes, PM Morgan, AT Oliver, A Seldon and PJ Watts

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#### 1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive apologies for absence.

#### 2. NAMED SUBSTITUTES (IF ANY)

To receive details any details of Members nominated to attend the meeting in place of a Member of the Committee.

#### 3. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

To receive any declarations of interest by Members in respect of items on the Agenda.

#### 4. **MINUTES**

To approve and sign the Minutes of the meeting held on 9th November 2007.

#### Minutes of meeting held 9th November 2007

While the printed paper version of the agenda indicates that the minutes are to follow the minutes have been inserted into this electronic version.

#### SUGGESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ON ISSUES FOR 5. **FUTURE SCRUTINY**

To consider suggestions from members of the public on issues the Committee could scrutinise in the future.

#### 6. HEREFORDSHIRE COUNCIL'S STRATEGY FOR BIODIVERSITY 1 - 14 **CONSERVATION**

To consider progress in the preparation of a Biodiversity Strategy for Herefordshire Council, and seek the views of the Environment Scrutiny Committee upon the draft document.

#### POLYTUNNEL DEVELOPMENTS IN HEREFORDSHIRE 7.

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To consider progress in the control of polytunnel development in the County since the matter was last considered by this Committee in March 2007 when the findings of the Polytunnel Review Working Group were reported.

#### 8. **ENVIRONMENT DIRECTORATE PLAN: PERFORMANCE FOR THE SIX-** | 17 - 30

#### **MONTH PERIOD TO SEPTEMBER 2007**

To update Members on the progress towards achievement of the targets for 2007-08 in the Directorate Plan.

#### 9. COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME

To consider the Committee work programme.

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