

Agenda

Connected Communities Scrutiny Committee

Date: **Friday 9 September 2022**

Time: **9.15 am**

Place: **The Conference Room, Herefordshire Council Offices,
Plough Lane, Hereford, HR4 0LE**

Notes: Please note the time, date and venue of the meeting.

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Membership

Chairperson **Councillor Jonathan Lester**
Vice-chairperson **Councillor Tracy Bowes**

Councillor Paul Andrews
Councillor Chris Bartrum
Councillor Barry Durkin
Councillor Kath Hey
Councillor Jim Kenyon

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1.	<p>APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</p> <p>To receive apologies for absence.</p>	
2.	<p>NAMED SUBSTITUTES</p> <p>To receive details of members nominated to attend the meeting in place of a member of the committee.</p>	
3.	<p>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</p> <p>To receive declarations of interests in respect of Schedule 1, Schedule 2 or Other Interests from members of the committee in respect of items on the agenda.</p> <p>HOW TO SUBMIT QUESTIONS</p> <p>The deadline for the submission of questions for this meeting is 9.30 am on Tuesday 6 September 2022.</p> <p>Questions must be submitted to councillorservices@herefordshire.gov.uk. Questions sent to any other address may not be accepted.</p> <p>Accepted questions and the responses will be published as a supplement to the agenda papers prior to the meeting. Further information and guidance is available at www.herefordshire.gov.uk/getinvolved</p>	
4.	<p>QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC</p> <p>To receive any written questions from members of the public.</p>	
5.	<p>QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL</p> <p>To receive any written questions from members of the council.</p>	
6.	<p>ROLE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE CONNECTED COMMUNITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE</p> <p>This report provides a summary of the role of scrutiny committee, in accordance with the council's Constitution and the key strategic objectives for the committee, in accordance with the overall strategic objectives for scrutiny agreed by the Scrutiny Management Board on 16 June 2022.</p>	9 - 18
7.	<p>CONNECTED COMMUNITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE ANNUAL WORK PLAN 2022-2023</p> <p>This report presents the Connected Communities Scrutiny Committee Annual Work Plan 2022-2023, drawn up in consultation with members of the committee, now for review and agreement by the committee.</p>	19 - 30
8.	<p>GENERAL SCRUTINY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS AND THE EXECUTIVE RESPONSES - UPDATE ON THE PLANNING SERVICE</p> <p>To provide the response to the Connected Communities Scrutiny Committee, the successor committee to the General Scrutiny Committee (GSC), on the executive response to the recommendations made by the GSC on 21 March</p>	31 - 60

2022. The recommendations made by the committee followed the Planning Advisory Service (PAS) Peer Review on the Planning Service in November/December 2020.

9. DATE OF FUTURE MEETINGS

The dates for scheduled meetings for the remainder of the 2022/23 municipal year:

[Friday 14 October 2022, 2.30 pm](#)

[Monday 12 December 2022, 9.15 am](#)

[Monday 13 February 2023, 9.15 am](#)