

# Agenda

# Connected Communities Scrutiny Committee

Date: **Tuesday 9 September 2025** 

Time: **2.00 pm** 

Place: Conference Room 1 - Herefordshire Council, Plough

Lane Offices, Hereford, HR4 0LE

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

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#### Membership

Chairperson Councillor Ed O'Driscoll Vice-chairperson Councillor Frank Cornthwaite

Councillor Bruce Baker Councillor Elizabeth Foxton Councillor Rob Owens Councillor Roger Phillips Councillor Diana Toynbee Herefordshire Council 9 SEPTEMBER 2025

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#### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence.

#### 2. NAMED SUBSTITUTES

To receive details of any councillor nominated to attend the meeting in place of a member of the committee.

#### 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of interest in respect of items on the agenda.

4. MINUTES 13 - 18

To receive the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 8 July 2025.

#### **HOW TO SUBMIT QUESTIONS**

The deadline for the submission of questions for this meeting is 5.00 pm on Wednesday 3 September 2025.

Questions must be submitted to <u>councillorservices@herefordshire.gov.uk</u>. Questions sent to any other address may not be accepted.

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 <a href="https://www.herefordshire.gov.uk/getinvolved">www.herefordshire.gov.uk/getinvolved</a>

#### 5. QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

To receive any written questions from members of the public.

#### 6. QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

To receive any written questions from members of the council.

## 7. LOCAL WALKING AND CYCLING INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN SCRUTINY REPORT

19 - 404

To seek the views of the Connected Communities Scrutiny Committee on the draft Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan (LCWIP), prior to its consideration by Cabinet. The committee is invited to scrutinise the plan, provide feedback, and endorse its strategic direction. The report also outlines key findings from the public consultation and proposes next steps for refining and implementing the LCWIP.

## 8. PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HOUSING DEVELOPMENT TASK AND FINISH GROUP - TERMS OF REFERENCE

405 - 412

To agree the terms of reference for a task and finish group.

#### 9. WORK PROGRAMME 2025/26

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To consider the draft work programme for the Connected Communities Scrutiny Committee for September 2025 and beyond.

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#### 10. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

The date of the next meeting is Tuesday 4 November 2025, 14:00 pm