# Agenda

# **Dorset County Council**



Meeting: County Council

Time: 10.00 am
Date: 21 April 2016

Venue: Council Chamber, County Hall, Colliton Park, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1XJ

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## Public Participation

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## (a) Public Speaking

Members of the public can ask questions and make statements at the meeting. The closing date for us to receive questions is 10.00am on 18 April 2016, and statements by midday the day before the meeting.

## (b) Petitions

The Committee will consider petitions submitted in accordance with the County Council's Petition Scheme.

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#### 1. Election of Chairman

To elect a Chairman of the Council for the year 2016/17.

## 2. Appointment of Vice-Chairman

To appoint a Vice-Chairman of the Council for the year 2016/17.

## 3. Apologies for Absence

To receive any apologies for absence.

## 4. Code of Conduct

Councillors are required to comply with the requirements of the Localism Act 2011 regarding disclosable pecuniary interests.

- Check if there is an item of business on this agenda in which the member or other relevant person has a disclosable pecuniary interest.
- Check that the interest has been notified to the Monitoring Officer (in writing) and entered in the Register (if not this must be done on the form available from the clerk within 28 days).
- Disclose the interest at the meeting (in accordance with the County Council's Code of Conduct) and in the absence of a dispensation to speak and/or vote, withdraw from any consideration of the item.

The Register of Interests is available on Dorsetforyou.com and the list of disclosable pecuniary interests is set out on the reverse of the form.

5. **Minutes** 1 - 16

To confirm and sign the minutes of the meetings held on 15 February and 10 March 2016.

## 6. Public Participation

- (a) Public Speaking
- (b) Petitions

#### 7. Members of the Youth Parliament

Youth Parliament elections were held in February 2016 and Councillors have an opportunity to meet Dorset's newly elected members of the Youth Parliament and hear their thoughts on what needs to be done in our County for young people.

#### 8. Chairman's Announcements

To deal with correspondence, communications or other business brought forward by the Chairman.

- (a) Deaths of Former Members of the Council
- (b) Chairman's Announcements

## 9. Leader's Announcements

To deal with business raised by the Leader of the Council which is not otherwise raised under any other item on the agenda. Questions from members will be invited on the issues raised by the Leader.

10.	-	ng Options for the Future of Local Government in mouth, Dorset and Poole	17 - 34			
To consider a report by the Chief Executive.						
11.	Corpora	ate Plan Refresh 2016-17	35 - 44			
To consider a report by the Leader of the Council (attached).						
12.	Questic	ons from County Councillors				
The Chairman of the Council, Leader of the Council, Cabinet Members, or chairmen of appropriate committees to answer questions on any business not covered on this agenda, including any questions on the discharge of the functions of the Fire Authority. The closing date for the receipt of questions is 10.00am on Monday, 18 April 2016. This item is limited to 45 minutes.						
		<u>Cabinet</u>				
The Chairman of the Cabinet to present and move the adoption of the following reports (attached) and to answer questions, if any, under Standing Order 19:-						
13.	Meeting	g held on 11 February 2016	45 - 54			
14.	Meeting	g held on 24 February 2016	55 - 62			
15.	Meeting	g held on 16 March 2016	63 - 68			
		<b>Overview and Scrutiny Committees</b>				
The chairmen of overview committees to present and move the adoption of the following reports (attached) and to answer questions, if any, under Standing Order 19:-						
16.	Adult a	nd Community Services Overview Committee - Meeting held on ch 2016	69 - 76			
17.	Childre 2016	n's Services Overview Committee - Meeting held on 15 March	77 - 84			
18.	Enviror March 2	nment and Economy Overview Committee - Meeting held on 17	85 - 94			
19.	Audit a	nd Scrutiny Committee - Meetings held on 23 February and 22	95 - 106			
20.	Dorset	Health Scrutiny Committee - Meeting held on 8 March 2016	107 - 112			
		Recommendations from Committees				
The chairmen of the relevant committees to present and move the adoption of the following recommendations and to answer questions, if any, on the proceedings in respect of the recommendations below:-						
21.	Staffing	Committee - Meeting held on 24 March 2016	113 - 126			
	(a) (b)	Recommendation 22 – Composition of the Staffing Committee Recommendation 27 – Senior Roles				

22.	Standa 2016	ards and Governance Committee - Meeting held on 30 March	127 - 176		
	(a)	Recommendation 8 - Redundancy and Redeployment Policies and Procedures and the Role of the Personnel Appeals Committee			
	(b)	Recommendation 9 - Proposed Amendment to the Dorset Health and Wellbeing Board Membership and Associated Terms of Reference and Constitution			
		Other Matters			
23. Dorset Fire Authority					
To receive the minutes of the meeting of the Dorset Fire Authority held on 31 March 2016, and to answer any questions on the proceedings of the Fire Authority.					
24.	Terms	of Reference for the New Overview & Scrutiny Committees	179 - 190		
To consider a report by the Chief Executive.					
25.	Appoir	ntments to Committees	191 - 196		
To consider a report by the Chief Executive.					
26.	Appoir	ntment of Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen	197 - 198		
To consider a report by the Chief Executive.					

## **Notes for Members**

- Coffee/tea will be available in the Members' Room before and after the meeting.
- A lunch will be provided for councillors and officers in the Members' Room following the meeting.
- A Seminar will be held for all members in Committee Room 1 following the meeting in relation to Living and Learning.