

Agenda

Dorset County Council



Meeting: People and Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Time: 10.00 am
Date: 11 October 2016
Venue: Committee Room 1, County Hall, Colliton Park, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1XJ

David Walsh (Chairman)	Steve Butler (Vice-Chairman)	Ronald Coatsworth
Barrie Cooper	Fred Drane	Spencer Flower
David Jones	Ros Kayes	William Trite
Kate Wheller		

Co-opted Members (Voting on education matters only)
Mary Kahn

Joy Tubbs

Mike Turnbull

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1. **Apologies for Absence**

To receive any apologies for absence.

2. **Code of Conduct**

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3. **Minutes**

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To confirm and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 16 June 2016.

4. **Progress on Matters Raised at Previous Meetings**

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To consider a report by the Interim Director for Adult and Community Services.

5. **Public Participation**

To receive any questions or statements by members of the public.

6. **Motions referred from County Council**

a) **Racism and Xenophobia - Motion from Andy Canning**

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Councillor Canning submitted the following motion to the County Council on 21 July 2016, when it was referred to this Committee:-

The Council considered a motion submitted by Councillor Andy Canning asking that:

- the Council affirm that the Council are proud to live in a diverse and tolerant society. Racism, xenophobia and hate crimes had no place in the country;
- the Council affirm that Dorset County Council condemned racism, xenophobia and hate crimes unequivocally. The Council would not allow hate to become acceptable;
- the Council affirms its commitment to ensure that local bodies and programmes had the support and resources they needed to tackle racism and xenophobia; and
- the Council reassure all people living in Dorset, regardless of their nationality, that they are valued members of the community.

To consider a report on Dorset County Council's response to Hate Crime.

7. **Progress on Scrutiny Items**

- a) **Working with Dorset's Communities, Social Capital and Community Development** 27 - 40

To provide an opportunity to review co-production with communities, social capital and community development and expand the topic to start to address social isolation and how the Council considers Social Value.
Lead Member - Councillor Steve Butler.

- b) **The Community Offer for Living and Learning** 41 - 88

To consider a report by the Director for Children's Services.
Leader Member: Councillor David Walsh

- c) **Registration Services** 89 - 92

To consider an update on the work of the Policy Development Panel on Registration.
Lead Member: Councillor William Trite

8. **Work Programme** 93 - 102

- a) To receive the People and Communities Overview & Scrutiny Committee's Work Programme.
b) To consider and approve the draft Initial Scoping Documents.
c) To identify any further areas for scrutiny.

9. **Questions from County Councillors**

To answer any questions received in writing by the Chief Executive by not later than 10.00am on 6 October 2016.