A meeting of the OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL (SOCIAL WELL-BEING) will be held in CIVIC SUITE 0.1A, PATHFINDER HOUSE, ST MARY'S STREET, HUNTINGDON, CAMBS, PE29 3TN on TUESDAY, 4 DECEMBER 2012 at 7:00 PM and you are requested to attend for the transaction of the following business:-

Contact (01480)

### **APOLOGIES**

## 1. **MINUTES** (Pages 1 - 6)

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Panel held on 6th November 2012.

Miss H Ali 388006

#### 2 Minutes.

## 2. MEMBERS' INTERESTS

To receive from Members declarations as to disclosable pecuniary, non-disclosable pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests in relation to any Agenda Items. See Notes below.

## 2 Minutes.

# 3. **NOTICE OF EXECUTIVE DECISIONS** (Pages 7 - 12)

A copy of the current Notice of Executive Decisions, which was published on 14th November 2012 is attached. Members are invited to note the Decisions and to comment as appropriate on any items contained therein.

Mrs H Taylor 388008

#### 10 Minutes.

# 4. NHS CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH: FINANCE AND PERFORMANCE COMMITTEE REPORT (Pages 13 - 68)

To receive Finance and Performance Reports from NHS Cambridgeshire and Peterborough in relation to Hinchingbrooke Hospital.

The reports as submitted to NHS Cambridgeshire's Board meeting on 26th September 2012 are attached. The next meeting will be held on 5th December 2012 – papers will be made available via the following link from 30th November 2012 onwards: - http://www.cambridgeshire.nhs.uk/About-us/board-meetings.htm.

Mrs S Shuttleworth, Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Clinical Commissioning Groups, will be in attendance for this item.

# 30 Minutes.

## 5. HUNTINGDONSHIRE CITIZENS ADVICE BUREAU

Pursuant to the last meeting, the Panel will receive a further update on recent developments with the Citizens Advice Bureau (CAB) in Huntingdonshire. Dr S Lammin / D Smith 388280 / 388377

Councillors J D Ablewhite, Executive Leader of the Council and Mr M Mealing, Chairman of the Huntingdonshire CAB will be in attendance at the meeting.

20 Minutes.

6. COUNCIL TAX SUPPORT FROM 1ST APRIL 2013 (Pages 69 - 80)

To receive a report from the Head of Customer Services on Council Tax Support from 1st April 2013.

Mrs J Barber 388105

Members of the Overview and Scrutiny Panel (Economic Well-Being) have been invited to attend for discussion on this item.

20 Minutes.

7. POTENTIAL MERGER BETWEEN CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND SUFFOLK FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICES: CONSULTATION RESPONSE (Pages 81 - 96)

Pursuant to the last meeting, to endorse the content of a response to the consultation currently being undertaken by the Cambridgeshire Fire and Rescue Service on the proposed merger between Cambridgeshire and Suffolk Fire and Rescue Services.

Miss H Ali 388006

20 Minutes.

8. CAMBRIDGESHIRE ADULTS, WELLBEING AND HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE (Pages 97 - 104)

To receive an update from Councillor R J West on the outcome of recent meetings of the Cambridgeshire Adults, Wellbeing and Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

5 Minutes.

9. WORK PLAN STUDIES (Pages 105 - 112)

To consider, with the aid of a report by the Head of Legal and Democratic Services, the current programme of Overview and Scrutiny studies.

Miss H Ali 388006

10 Minutes.

# 10. OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL (SOCIAL WELL-BEING) - PROGRESS (Pages 113 - 120)

To consider a report by the Head of Legal and Democratic Services on the Panel's programme of studies.

Miss H Ali 388006

15 Minutes.

#### 11. SCRUTINY

To scrutinise decisions as set out in the Decision Digest (TO FOLLOW) and to raise any other matters for scrutiny that fall within the remit of the Panel.

5 Minutes.

Dated this 23 day of November 2012

Head of Paid Service

#### **Notes**

## A. Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

- (1) Members are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests and unless you have obtained dispensation, cannot discuss or vote on the matter at the meeting and must also leave the room whilst the matter is being debated or voted on.
- (2) A Member has a disclosable pecuniary interest if it
  - (a) relates to you, or
  - (b) is an interest of -
    - (i) your spouse or civil partner; or
    - (ii) a person with whom you are living as husband and wife; or
    - (iii) a person with whom you are living as if you were civil partners

and you are aware that the other person has the interest.

- (3) Disclosable pecuniary interests includes -
  - (a) any employment or profession carried out for profit or gain;
  - (b) any financial benefit received by the Member in respect of expenses incurred carrying out his or her duties as a Member (except from the Council);
  - (c) any current contracts with the Council;
  - (d) any beneficial interest in land/property within the Council's area;
  - (e) any licence for a month or longer to occupy land in the Council's area;
  - (f) any tenancy where the Council is landlord and the Member (or person in (2)(b) above) has a beneficial interest; or
  - (g) a beneficial interest (above the specified level) in the shares of any body which has a place of business or land in the Council's area.

#### B. Other Interests

- (4) If a Member has a non-disclosable pecuniary interest or a non-pecuniary interest then you are required to declare that interest, but may remain to discuss and vote.
- (5) A Member has a non-disclosable pecuniary interest or a non-pecuniary interest where -
  - (a) a decision in relation to the business being considered might reasonably be regarded as affecting the well-being or financial standing of you or a member of your family or a person with whom you have a close association to a greater extent than it would affect the majority of the council tax payers, rate payers or inhabitants of the ward or electoral area for which you have been elected or otherwise of the authority's administrative area, or
  - (b) it relates to or is likely to affect any of the descriptions referred to above, but in respect of a member of your family (other than specified in (2)(b) above) or a person with whom you have a close association

and that interest is not a disclosable pecuniary interest.

Please contact Miss H Ali, Democratic Services Officer, Tel No: (01480) 388006 / email: Habbiba.Ali@huntingdonshire.gov.uk if you have a general query on any Agenda Item, wish to tender your apologies for absence from the meeting, or would like information on any decision taken by the Panel.

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