

Committe Standards

Title:	Standards Committee
Date:	17 January 2012
Time:	5.00pm
Venue	Committee Room 1, Hove Town Hall
Members:	Councillors: Jones, J Kitcat, Lepper, Littman, A Norman and Wells Independent Members: Dr M Wilkinson (Chair), Mr Paul Cecil and Mr Peter Rose Rottingdean Parish Council Representatives: Mr John Bustard and Mr Geoff Rhodes
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AGENDA

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17. PROCEDURAL BUSINESS

- (a) Declarations of Interest by all Members present of any personal interests in matters on the agenda, the nature of any interest and whether the Members regard the interest as prejudicial under the terms of the Code of Conduct.
- (b) Exclusion of Press and Public To consider whether, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted, or the nature of the proceedings, the press and public should be excluded from the meeting when any of the following items are under consideration.

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18. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

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Minutes of the meeting held on 27 September 2011 (copy attached).

19. CHAIR'S COMMUNICATIONS

20. PUBLIC QUESTIONS

(The closing date for receipt of public questions is 12 noon on 10 January 2012)

No public questions received by date of publication.

21. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE

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Report of the Monitoring Officer (copy attached).

Contact Officer: Liz Woodley Tel: 29-1509

Ward Affected: All Wards

22. COMPLAINTS UPDATE

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Report of the Monitoring Officer (copy attached).

Contact Officer: Brian Foley Tel: 291229

Ward Affected: All Wards

23. LOCALISM ACT 2011

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Report of the Monitoring Officer (copy attached).

Contact Officer: Liz Woodley Tel: 29-1509

Ward Affected: All Wards

24. REVIEW OF PART 9.4 OF THE CONSTITUTION

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Report of the Director of Strategic Resources (copy attached).

Contact Officer: Oliver Dixon Tel: 29-1512

Ward Affected: All Wards

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