



ADUR & WORTHING
COUNCILS

16 November 2020

Joint Governance Committee

Date:	24 November 2020
Time:	6.30 pm
Venue:	Remote Meeting via Zoom

Committee Membership:

Adur District Council: Councillors; Kevin Boram (Adur Chairman), George Barton (Adur Vice-Chairman), Paul Mansfield, Ann Bridges, Brian Coomber, Debs Stainforth, Catherine Arnold and Liz Haywood

Worthing Borough Council: Councillors; Roy Barraclough (Worthing Chairman), Tim Wills (Worthing Vice-Chairman), Louise Murphy, Mike Barrett, Steve Waight, Steve Wills, Rebecca Cooper and Hazel Thorpe

Agenda

Part A

1. Substitute Members

Any substitute members should declare their substitution.

2. Declarations of Interest

Members and officers must declare any disclosable pecuniary interests in relation to any business on the agenda. Declarations should also be made at any stage such an interest becomes apparent during the meeting.

If in doubt contact the Legal or Democratic Services representative for this meeting.

3. Minutes

To approve the minutes of the Joint Governance Committee meeting held on 22 September 2020, copies of which have been previously circulated.

4. Public Question Time

Questions from members of the public should be submitted by **noon on Friday 20 November 2020** to Democratic Services at democratic.services@adur-worthing.gov.uk

(Note: Public Question Time will operate for a maximum of 30 minutes.)

5. Items Raised under Urgency Provisions

To consider any items the Chairman of the meeting considers to be urgent.

6. Statement of Accounts 2019/20 for Adur District Council and Worthing Borough Council (Pages 1 - 284)

To consider a report by the Director for Digital, Sustainability and Resources, copies attached as item 6.

7. Adur District Council and Worthing Borough Council Audit Results Reports (Pages 285 - 388)

To consider a report from the External Auditors, copies attached as item 7.

8. Mid Year Review of Treasury Management 2020-21 - Adur District Council and Worthing Borough Council (Pages 389 - 414)

To consider a report by the Director for Digital, Sustainability & Resources, copy attached as item 8.

9. Local Government Ombudsman and Housing Ombudsman Monitoring Report 2019/20 (Pages 415 - 434)

To consider a report by the Director for Digital, Sustainability & Resources, copy attached as item 9.

10. Standards in Public Life: An Update (Pages 435 - 446)

To consider a report by the Monitoring Officer, copy attached as item 10.

Part B Exempt Reports - Not for Publication

None.

Recording of this meeting

Please note that this meeting is being live streamed and a recording of the meeting will be available to view on the Council's website. This meeting will be available to view on our website for one year and will be deleted after that period. The Council will not be recording any discussions in Part B of the agenda (where the press and public have been excluded).

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Duration of the Meeting: Four hours after the commencement of the meeting the Chairperson will adjourn the meeting to consider if it wishes to continue. A vote will be taken and a simple majority in favour will be necessary for the meeting to continue.