

STRATEGIC SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date: Thursday 10 June 2021
Time: 5.30 pm
Venue: Guildhall, High Street, Exeter

Members are invited to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business.

If you have an enquiry regarding any items on this agenda, please contact Sharon Sissons Democratic Services Officer (Committees) on 01392 265115.

Due to current social distancing restrictions brought about by the Corona Virus outbreak, this meeting is only open to members of the public who have registered to ask questions under Standing Order No. 19.

The [live stream can be viewed here](#) at the meeting start time via Facebook.

Membership -

Sills (Chair), Newby (Deputy Chair), Allcock, Atkinson, Begley, Branston, Buswell, Denning, Hannaford, Jobson, Mitchell, K, Moore, J, Pearce and Vizard

Agenda

Part 1: Items suggested for discussion with the press and public present

1 **Apologies**

2 **Minutes**

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To approve and sign the minutes of the Strategic Scrutiny Committee held on 18 March 2021.

3 **Declaration of Interest**

Councillors are reminded of the need to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests that relate to business on the agenda and which have not already been included in the register of interests, before any discussion takes place on the item. Unless the interest is sensitive, you must also disclose the nature of the interest. In accordance with the Council's Code of Conduct, you must then leave the room and must not participate in any further discussion of the item. Councillors requiring clarification should seek the advice of the Monitoring Officer prior to the day of the meeting.

4 **Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985 - Exclusion of Press and Public**

It is considered that the Committee would be unlikely to exclude the press and

public during the consideration of the items on this agenda, but if it should wish to do so, then the following resolution should be passed:

"**RECOMMENDED** that, under Section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the particular item(s) of business on the grounds that it (they) involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the relevant paragraph(s) of Part 1, of Schedule 12A of the Act."

5 **Questions from the Public Under Standing Order 19**

Details of questions should be notified to the Corporate Manager Democratic and Civic Support via the committee.services@exeter.gov.uk email by 10.00am at least three working days prior to the meeting. For this meeting any questions must be submitted by 10.00am on Monday 7th June 2021.

For details about how to speak at Committee, please click the following link - <https://exeter.gov.uk/council-and-democracy/councillors-and-meetings/public-speaking-at-meetings/overview/>

6 **Questions from Members of the Council Under Standing Order 20**

To receive questions from Members of the Council to the relevant Portfolio Holders for this Scrutiny Committee. The Portfolio Holders reporting to this Scrutiny Committee are:-

Councillor Bialyk -	Leader
Councillor Sutton -	Portfolio Holder for Net Zero Exeter 2030
Councillor Foale -	Portfolio Holder for Transformation and Environment
Councillor Morse -	Portfolio Holder for City Development
Councillor Pearson -	Portfolio Holder for City Centre & Corporate Services
Councillor Wood -	Portfolio Holder for Leisure & Physical Activity

Advance questions from Members relating to the Portfolio Holders above should be notified to the Corporate Manager Democratic and Civic Support.

7 **South West Food Hub**

Glenn Woodcock, Co-Founder, South West Food Hub will attend and present for Members' information. Please see attached link for more detail <https://www.thesouthwestfoodhub.co.uk/>

8 **Presentation on the Role of Scrutiny**

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- 14)

The Corporate Manager Democratic and Civic Support will attend to make a presentation. The current terms of reference for this Scrutiny Committee are attached.

Date of Next Meeting

The next scheduled meeting of the Strategic Scrutiny Committee will be held on **Thursday 23 September 2021** at 5.30 pm.

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