

**MINUTES  
OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

**Monday 11 March 2019**

Councillor Viv McCrossen (Chair)

Councillor Paul Feeney  
Councillor Sandra Barnes  
Councillor Kevin Doyle  
Councillor Roxanne Ellis

Councillor Marje Paling  
Councillor Stephen Poole  
Councillor John Truscott

Apologies for absence: Councillor Kathryn Fox, Councillor Helen Greensmith  
and Councillor John Parr

Officers in Attendance: D Alvey and H Lee

Guests in Attendance J Hollingsworth

**39 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS.**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Fox, Greensmith  
and Parr.

**40 TO APPROVE, AS A CORRECT RECORD, THE MINUTES OF THE  
MEETING HELD ON 4 FEBRUARY 2019**

**RESOLVED:**

That the minutes of the above meeting, having been circulated, be  
approved as a correct record.

**41 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS.**

None.

**42 PROGRAMME OF PORTFOLIO HOLDER ATTENDANCE**

The Committee welcomed Councillor Hollingsworth, Portfolio Holder for  
Growth and Regeneration, to discuss issues relating to her Portfolio.  
Dawn Alvey, Service Manager Growth and Regeneration also attended  
the meeting.

Councillor Hollingsworth comprehensively addressed issues relating to:

- The regeneration plans for Carlton Square

- Arnold town centre, the challenges presented by changing shopping habits, the closure of shops and Arnold market
- The provision of affordable homes
- Work experience placements and apprenticeships.

**RESOLVED to:**

- I. Thank Councillor Hollingsworth for her attendance and for providing comprehensive information; and
- II. Note the contents of the discussion.

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**EVERYONE HEALTH WEIGHT MANAGEMENT SERVICE**

The Committee welcomed the John Wilcox, Senior Public Health & Commissioning Manager, Public Health, Nottinghamshire County Council and Aaron Bohannon, Service Manager Everyone Health who are attend the Committee to inform Members about the work of the Public Health commissioned Obesity Prevention and Weight Management Service.

Members were informed about the success of, and the challenges to, the weight management programme, preventative initiatives, working collaboratively with Gedling Borough Council, the extension to the four year contract and how an integrated wellbeing service will be commissioned in future.

Following discussion with Members the following points were highlighted:

- Targeted work takes place in the most deprived areas of the Borough
- Work within schools is limited
- Work to engage with different groups takes place in the community.

**RESOLVED to:**

- Thank the guests for a very informative discussion; and
- Note the content of the discussion.

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**SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME**

Councillor McCrossen informed Members that Councillor Hollingsworth's attendance at the Committee had completed the programme of Portfolio Holder attendance for the municipal year.

The Household Recycling working group report and recommendations were discussed and Members were advised that this would be submitted to Cabinet after the elections in May.

The committee were updated on the progress of the Wellbeing of Young People working group, the discussion with a Senior Youth Work Practitioner and a planned visit to Carlton le Willows School. Members of the working group want to discuss the issue with voluntary groups and the school nursing service before they draw together their conclusions. It is envisaged that the final report and recommendations will be available for the July Committee.

**45            REPORTS AND NOTICES RECEIVED BY THE CHAIR OF  
OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE AS REQUIRED UNDER  
THE CONSTITUTION OR LAW.**

Members considered a report, which had been circulated in advance of the meeting, which included information on items referred to the Chair as required by the Constitution.

**46            ANY OTHER ITEM WHICH THE CHAIR CONSIDERS URGENT.**

None.

The meeting finished at 7.00 pm

Signed by Chair:  
Date: