

**MINUTES  
STANDARDS COMMITTEE**

**Thursday 22 May 2025**

Councillor David Brocklebank	Councillor Clive Towsey-Hinton
Councillor Rachael Ellis	Rosalie Hawks
Councillor Andrew Ellwood	Louise Kopyrko
Councillor Martin Smith	

Absent: Councillor Paul Feeney and Councillor Boyd Elliot

Officers in Attendance: F Whyley, N Osei and L Squires

**21 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Feeney; Councillor Boyd Elliott was also absent.

**22 TO APPROVE, AS A CORRECT RECORD, THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 20 MARCH 2025**

**RESOLVED:**

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

**23 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS**

None.

**24 ENHANCED DBS CHECKS FOR COUNCILLORS**

The Deputy Chief Executive and Monitoring Officer introduced a report which had been circulated ahead of the meeting, to seek approval for a policy and process document in respect of Disclosure and Barring Services (DBS) checks for Councillors to be presented to Council.

**Resolved:**

THAT Committee:

1) Note the contents of this report.

2) Agrees that the Policy and Procedure for Disclosure and Barring Services checks for Councillors at Appendix 1 be referred to Council for consideration.

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

None.

The meeting finished at 6.21 pm

Signed by Chair:  
Date: