

## **POLICY REVIEW SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday 30 April 2013**

Councillor C Powell (Chair)

Councillors:                    P A Allan (a)                    S Poole  
   E Bailey                         S J Prew-Smith (a)  
   K Blair (a)                     G Tunncliffe  
   R F Collis                     H Wheeler  
   M Glover (a)  
   G Gregory (a)

Observers:                      M Hope

Officers in attendance: J. Ansell

### **29 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies were received from Councillors P Allan, Blair, Glover, Gregory and Prew – Smith.

### **30 TO APPROVE AS A CORRECT RECORD THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 11 FEBRUARY 2013.**

#### **RESOLVED:**

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

### **31 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS (INCLUDING WHIPPING DECLARATIONS)**

None

### **32 OVERVIEW SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME**

Members received an update on the progress of current Performance and Policy Scrutiny working groups as detailed in the Scrutiny Work Programme.

#### **RESOLVED**

- i. To ask the Elections and Members' Services Team Leader to request an update from the Chief Executive on the work of the Leaders/Vision Board, in order to complete follow up of the review of the Gedling LSP carried out in 2011/12.
- ii. To request that Scrutiny of the Council's Waste Strategy be carried over

into next year's work programme

- iii. To propose that the Portfolio Holder, Communications and Public Protection and Stephen Bray, Corporate Director be invited to attend the next Policy Scrutiny Committee meeting to take questions from Members on the Councils' Communications policy, to include how we consult with stakeholders.

Key areas of concern:

Aligned Core Strategy consultation – could there be a better way of doing it?

What is the communications policy and what tools do we use for communication?

What is the policy on consulting with communities?

### **33 ANY OTHER ITEMS WHICH THE CHAIR CONSIDERS URGENT**

None