

MEETING OF THE OVERVIEW SELECT COMMITTEE

DATE: THURSDAY, 26 SEPTEMBER 2024

TIME: 5:30 pm

PLACE: Meeting Room G.01, Ground Floor, City Hall, 115 Charles

Street, Leicester, LE1 1FZ

Members of the Committee

Councillor Cassidy (Chair)

Councillors Adatia, Batool, Dawood, Kitterick, March, O'Neill, Osman, Pickering, Porter, Rae Bhatia and Waddington

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

For Monitoring Officer

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1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To issue a welcome to those present, and to confirm if there are any apologies for absence.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare any interests they may have in the business to be discussed.

3. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

Appendix A

The minutes of the meeting of the Overview Select Committee held on 31st July 2024 have been circulated, and Members will be asked to confirm them as a correct record.

4. CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chair is invited to make any announcements as they see fit.

5. QUESTIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND STATEMENTS OF CASE

The Monitoring Officer to report on the receipt of any questions,

representations and statements of case submitted in accordance with the Council's procedures.

6. PETITIONS

The Monitoring Officer to report on any petitions received.

7. TRACKING OF PETITIONS - MONITORING REPORT Appendix B

The Monitoring Officer submits a report that updates Members on the monitoring of outstanding petitions. The Committee is asked to note the current outstanding petitions and agree to remove those petitions marked 'Petitions Process Complete' from the report.

8. QUESTIONS FOR THE CITY MAYOR

The City Mayor will answer questions raised by members of the Overview Select Committee on issues not covered elsewhere on the agenda.

9. REVENUE MONITORING PERIOD 3

Appendix B

The Director of Finance submits a report providing early indications of the significant financial pressures the Council is facing this year and also providing an update on progress to control costs in demand-led social care budgets.

10. CAPITAL MONITORING PERIOD 3

Appendix C

The Director of Finance submits a report the position of the capital programme at the end of June 2024 (Period 3).

11. OVERVIEW SELECT COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME

Appendix D

The current work programme for the Committee is attached. The Committee is asked to consider this and make comments and/or amendments as it considers necessary.

12. ANY OTHER URGENT BUSINESS