

MEETING OF THE NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT SCRUTINY COMMISSION

DATE: THURSDAY, 17 OCTOBER 2013 TIME: 5:30 pm PLACE: The Oak Room, Ground Floor, Town Hall, Town Hall Square, Leicester. LE1 9BG

Members of the Committee

Councillor Cutkelvin (Chair) Councillor Gugnani (Vice Chair)

Councillors Bhatti, Cleaver, Corrall, Desai, Grant and Naylor

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

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PUBLIC SESSION

AGENDA

1. 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 previous meeting of the Neighbourhood Services and Community Involvement Scrutiny Committee held on 3rd September are attached, and Members will be asked to confirm them as a correct record.

4. PETITIONS

The Monitoring Officer to report on the receipt of any petitions submitted in accordance with the Council's procedures.

5. QUESTIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND STATEMENTS OF CASE

The Monitoring Officer to report the receipt of any Questions, Representations and Statements of Case submitted in accordance with Council procedures.

NOISE CONTROL SERVICE 6.

The Director of Environmental and Enforcement Services presents a report, requested by the Scrutiny Commission, on the Noise Control Service that details staffing levels over the last 5 years. Information is also provided in relation to the hours the noise monitoring service operates currently.

7. ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR

The Director of Environmental and Enforcement Services presents a report that outlines the current services available to victims of anti-social behaviour through Leicester City Council's Anti-Social Behaviour Team.

8. SPECIALIST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SERVICES **Appendix D**

The Director of Environmental and Enforcement Services presents a report that provides an update on the current domestic violence services that have been commissioned in Leicester by Leicester City Council in September 2012. The

Appendix C

Appendix B

report also outlines the performance of these services and also highlights the intention to re-launch and celebrate the work carried out to date.

9. CENSUS DATA ANALYSIS

Appendix E

The Director of Delivery, Communications and Political Governance presents a report that sets out progress being made by the City Council on making use of Census 2011 data as part of its corporate programme of data collection and analysis.

10. DRAFT WORK PROGRAMME 2013/14 Appendix F

The Scrutiny Commission to receive the Draft Work Programme 2013/14 for consideration and comment.

11. ANY OTHER URGENT BUSINESS