

AGENDA

Meeting: Standards Hearing Sub-Committee

Place: Pitman Committee Room - Trowbridge Civic Centre, St Stephens

Place, Trowbridge, BA14 8AH

Date: Tuesday 30 July 2013

Time: <u>11.30 am</u>

Matter: Standards Committee Hearing regarding the alleged conduct

of Councillor Russell Hawker of Westbury Town Council

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Membership:

Cllr Desna Allen Cllr Howard Greenman Cllr Roy While

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<u> Part 1</u>

Items to be considered when the meeting is open to the public

1 Election of Chairman

To elect a Chairman for this meeting only

2 Chairman's Welcome, Introduction and Announcements

3 Declarations of Interest

Councillors are requested to declare any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests.

4 Minutes of the Sub-Committee

The Sub Committee will confirm the Minutes of the previous meeting dated 10 April 2013. A copy of the draft minutes are included in Appendix C of the Agenda Pack.

5 Exclusion of the Press and Public

To consider the following resolution:

To agree that in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 to exclude the public from the meeting for the business specified in Item Number 6 because it is likely that if members of the public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 12A to the Act and the public interest in withholding the information outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information to the public.

Part II

<u>Item(s)</u> during consideration of which it is recommended that the public should be excluded because of the likelihood that exempt information would be disclosed

- Standards Committee Hearing regarding the alleged conduct of Councillor Russell Hawker of Westbury Town Council
 - 6a Consideration of the Investigator's Report (Pages 1 290)
 - 6b Arrangements for dealing with Code of Conduct Complaints under the Localism Act 2011 (Pages 291 302)