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NOTICE OF MEETING

SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date & Time

Monday, 4 January 2010 10.00 a.m.

Venue at

Council Chamber, Priory House, Monks Walk, Shefford

Richard Carr
Chief Executive

To: The Chairman and Members of the SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE:

Cllrs J N Young (Chairman), A R Bastable (Vice-Chairman), D J Gale,
Mrs R B Gammons, J Kane, Ms C Maudlin, Mrs M Mustoe, P Snelling and
P Williams

[Named Substitutes:

Cllrs: Mrs C F Chapman MBE, P A Duckett, M Gibson, Ms A M W Graham
and A Shadbolt]

All other Members of the Council - on request

**MEMBERS OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THIS
MEETING**

AGENDA

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive apologies for absence and notification of substitute Members.

2. **MINUTES**

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the last meeting held on 24 November 2009 (copy to follow).

3. **MEMBERS' INTERESTS**

To receive from Members declarations and the nature thereof in relation to:

- (a) Personal Interests in any agenda item.
- (b) Personal and prejudicial Interests in any agenda item.
- (c) Any political whip in relation to any agenda item.

4. **CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

To receive any announcements from the Chairman and any matters of communication.

5. **PETITIONS**

To receive petitions from members of the public in accordance with the Public Participation Procedure as set out in Annex 2 of Part A4 of the Constitution.

6. **QUESTIONS, STATEMENTS OR DEPUTATIONS**

To receive any questions, statements or deputations from members of the public in accordance with the Public Participation Procedure as set out in Annex 1 of Part A4 of the Constitution.

7. **CALL-IN**

To consider any matter referred to the Committee for a decision in relation to the call-in of a decision.

8. **REQUESTED ITEMS**

To consider any items referred to the Committee at the request of a Member under Procedure Rule 3.1 of Part D2 of the Constitution.

REPORTS

Item	Subject	Page Nos.
9	Draft Budget 2010/11 to 2014/15 To consider the draft budget Medium Term Financial Plan for 2010/11 to 2014/15 and submit any comments and recommendations to the Executive budget meeting on 9 February 2010.	* 1 - 70
10	Policy Approach to Enforcement of the Environmental Protection Act 1990, Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005 and Associated Legislation To consider how the Council should implement its environmental duties under the Environmental Protection Act 1990, Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005 and associated legislation and make its comments and views known to the Executive meeting on 12 January 2010.	* 71 - 126
11	Gypsy and Traveller Development Plan Document for Central Bedfordshire North To seek the support of the Committee for the Development Strategy Task Force's recommended shortlist of sites for Gypsy and Traveller accommodation in the north of Central Bedfordshire and, following consideration, make a recommendation to the Portfolio Holder for Sustainable Development.	* 127 - 156
12	Work Programme 2009-2010 To consider and agree the Committee's current Work Programme and examine the need to establish any additional Task Forces.	* 157 - 170