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## **NOTICE OF MEETING**

# SPECIAL SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date & Time Wednesday, 6 March 2013 2.00 p.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 D McVicar (Chairman), A R Bastable (Vice-Chairman), Mrs C F Chapman MBE, Mrs R B Gammons, Ms A M W Graham, K C Matthews, Ms C Maudlin, B Saunders and P Williams

[Named Substitutes:

D Bowater, Dr R Egan, R W Johnstone, T Nicols, A Shadbolt and I Shingler]

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

Apologies for absence and notification of substitute members

#### 2. Members' Interests

To receive from Members any declarations of interest and of any political whip in relation to any agenda item.

#### 3. Chairman's Announcements and Communications

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

#### 4. 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.

#### 5. 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.

#### 6. Call-In

To consider any decision of the Executive referred to this Committee for review in accordance with Procedure Rule 10.10 of Part D2.

#### 7. 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**

# **Subject** Item Page Nos. 8 Land Rear of Central Garage (Cranfield) Development 5 - 50 **Brief** To consider the draft Development Brief following its consideration by Executive and referral back to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee for further consideration. 9 Planning Guidance on Wind Energy Development in (report to **Central Bedfordshire** follow) To consider the adoption of a technical guidance document on wind energy development in Central Bedfordshire for development management purposes in order to provide comments to the Executive. 10 51 - 62 **Outdoor Access Improvement Plan** To consider the proposed Outdoor Access Improvement Plan in order to make a recommendation to the Executive. Due to its size a copy of Appendix B (the Outdoor Access Improvement Plan) has been circulated to Members of the Committee only. A full copy of this appendix is available from the following link:http://www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk/modgov/ieDocSearc h.aspx?bcr=1 11 Local Area Transport Plan Programme for 2013/14 and \* 63 - 70 2014/15 To consider the third round of the Local Area Transport Plans (LATPs) and associated programmes for Chiltern, Haynes and Old Warden, and Potton, together with the refreshed LATPs for Arlesev and Stotfold, and Biggleswade and Sandy. The Committee is asked to consider an appropriate recommendation to the Executive. Due to their size hard copies of the appendices to this report have been circulated to Members of the Committee

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the following link:-

## 12 Minerals and Waste Local Plan

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To consider modifications to the Minerals and Waste Local Plan: Strategic Sites and Policies and recommend to Executive that they are authorised for public consultation.

# 13 Work Programme 2012/13 and Executive Forward Plan \* 161 - 184

To consider the currently drafted Committee work programme for 2012/13 and the Executive Forward Plan.