

At a Meeting of the Overview & Scrutiny Committee 1 of the Richmondshire District Council held at Mercury House, Station Road, Richmond, North Yorkshire on Thursday, 21 March 2019 at 6.30 pm.

Present: Councillor Jamie Cameron (Chairman).
Councillors William Heslop, Richard Ormston, Caroline Thornton-Berry and Stephen Wyrill.

Officers: Callum McKeon (Corporate Director (Strategy & Regulatory)), Sue White (Business and Community Manager) and (Sarah Holbird (Democratic Services Officer).

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Attendance: Jeffery Fullerton and Eunice Robinson (Tenants' Panel); and 1 member of the public.

Apologies: Councillors John Amsden, Paul Cullen, Bev Partridge and Karin Sedgwick.

OS1-15/18 Minutes

Resolved: That the Minutes of the meeting held on 22 November 2018 be signed and approved as an accurate record.

OS1-16/18 Public Speaking and Question Time

There were no public questions or statements submitted for consideration at the meeting.

OS1-17/18 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest reported at the meeting.

OS1-18/18 Economic Action Plan

Further to Minute CB08/16 (7 June 2016), the Business and Community Manager submitted a written report which presented details of the proposed changes to the Economic Action Plan.

Members considered each priority individually with debate mainly focusing on the need for improved connectivity, engagement with local schools/young people, the importance of recreation to the district and support for businesses in relation to apprenticeships/work experience.

Resolved: That the report be noted.

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OS1-19/18 Committee Names

Further to Minute SMB8 (18 June 2009), the Democratic Services Manager submitted a written report which sought views on alternative names for Overview & Scrutiny Committee 1 and 2.

Resolved: That the preferred name is Overview & Scrutiny Committee (Internal).

OS1-20/18 Performance Monitoring Briefings – Quarter 3 2018/19

Further to Minute OS1-13/18 (22 November 2018), the Chairman provided a verbal update on his attendance at the Quarter 3 2018/19 Performance Briefings.

Resolved: That the report be noted.

OS1-21/18 Task Group Update and Work Programme 2018/19

Further to Minute OS1-14/18 (22 November 2018), the Democratic Services Manager submitted a written report which provided an update on Task Groups held since the committee's last meeting and presented the up to date work programme for 2018-2019.

Resolved: That the work programme be noted.

The meeting concluded at approximately 7.10 pm.