City of York Council

**Committee Minutes** 

MEETING AUDIT & GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

DATE 19 MARCH 2013

PRESENT COUNCILLORS CUNNINGHAM-CROSS

(CHAIR), BARNES, BROOKS (VICE-CHAIR),

BURTON, CUTHBERTSON, STEWARD

AND WATSON

IN ATTENDANCE COUNCILLOR WARTERS

## PART B - MATTERS REFERRED TO COUNCIL

## 60. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES RELATING TO PUBLIC HEALTH

[See also Part A minute]

Members considered a report that recommended certain constitutional changes arising from the Council assuming public health responsibilities from 1 April 2013. In particular the Council would be required to have a Health and Wellbeing Board in place and become responsible for the appointment of Director of Public Health.

RECOMMENDED: That Council make the appropriate

constitutional amendments to formally set up a Health and

Wellbeing Board and endorses the terms of reference as attached.

REASON: To ensure that the Council has

made an appropriate response to

the transfer of public health

powers.

Councillor Cunningham-Cross, Chair [The meeting started at 5.00 pm and finished at 7.00 pm].