City of York Council	Extract from Draft Committee Minutes
Meeting	Audit & Governance Committee
Date	12 February 2014
Present	Councillors Potter (Chair), Brooks (Vice-Chair), Ayre, Barnes, Burton, Watson and Wiseman
Apologies	Mr Whiteley (Co-opted Non-Statutory Member)

Part B - Matters Referred to Council

64. Updating the Constitution

Members considered a report that sought their views on proposed changes to the "Summary and explanation" section of the Constitution.

Members put forward a number of amendments to the draft. It was agreed that the Monitoring Officer, in consultation with the Chair, would incorporate the requested changes and that the updated document would be circulated to Members prior to its submission to Full Council¹.

- Recommend: That the amended draft "Summary and explanation" section of the Constitution replace section one of the current Constitution forthwith.
- Reason: To ensure that the Council's governance arrangements are set out in an easily understood form in its Constitution.

<u>Action Required</u> 1. Incorporate agreed amendments for circulation

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Councillor Potter, Chair [The meeting started at 5.30 pm and finished at 7.10 pm].