

## **Standards Committee**

- To:** Mrs C Bainton (Independent Member, in the Chair)  
Cllrs Horton (Vice-Chair), Waudby, Hudson and Taylor  
(CYC Members)  
Mr A L Dixon, Mr M R Hall and Mr D Wilson  
(Independent Members)  
Cllrs Crawford, Mellors and Forster (Parish Council  
Members)
- Date:** Friday, 17 December 2010
- Time:** 3.00 pm
- Venue:** The Guildhall, York

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Declarations of Interest**  
At this point, Members are asked to declare any personal or prejudicial interests they may have in the business on this agenda.
- 2. Minutes** (Pages 3 - 6)  
To approve and sign the minutes of the meeting of the Standards Committee held on 22 October 2010.
- 3. Minutes of Sub-Committees** (Pages 7 - 10)  
To approve and sign the minutes of the meetings of the Standards Committee Assessment Sub-Committee held on 22 October 2010 and 11 November 2010.

**4. Public Participation**

At this point in the meeting, members of the public who have registered their wish to speak, regarding an item on the agenda or an issue within the remit of the Standards Committee, may do so. The deadline for registering is **5:00 pm on Thursday, 16 December 2010.**

**5. Registers of Gifts and Hospitality** (Pages 11 - 12)

This report responds to a resolution made by the Standards Committee in January requesting an annual review of the registers of gifts and hospitality.

**6. Charter for Member Development** (Pages 13 - 14)

This report advises Members of the City of York Council's successful bid for Charter status.

**7. First Monitor of Member Training and Development** (Pages 15 - 22)

This report informs the Committee of the take up and feedback received regarding to development events offered to Members in the first half of 2010/2011.

**8. Update on Government Proposals Relating to the Standards Regime** (Pages 23 - 28)

This report provides the most up to date information with regard to the Government's proposals to abolish the "Standards Board Regime".

**9. Review of Work Plan** (Pages 29 - 30)

To review the work plan for the Standards Committee for the remainder of the 2010/11 Municipal Year. An updated copy of the current approved work plan is attached.

**10. Urgent Business**

Any other business which the Chair decides is urgent under the Local Government Act 1972.

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