



## STANDARDS COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, 21 APRIL 2026

2.00 PM CC2, COUNTY HALL, LEWES

MEMBERSHIP - Councillor Colin Belsey (Chair)  
Councillors Charles Clark, Godfrey Daniel, Johanna Howell, Philip Lunn,  
Georgia Taylor and David Tutt

### A G E N D A

1. Minutes of meeting held on 22 April 2025 (*Pages 3 - 4*)
2. Apologies for absence
3. Disclosures of interests  
Disclosure by all Members present of personal interests in matters on the agenda, the nature of any interest and whether the Member regards the interest as prejudicial under the terms of the Code of Conduct
4. Urgent items  
Notification of items which the Chair considers to be urgent and proposes to take at the appropriate part of the agenda. Any members who wish to raise urgent items are asked, wherever possible, to notify the Chair before the start of the meeting. In so doing, they must state the special circumstances which they consider justify the matter being considered urgent.
5. Annual report of the Standards Committee (*Report to follow*)  
Report by the Deputy Chief Executive
6. Any other items previously notified under agenda item 4

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MINUTES of a meeting of the Standards Committee held in the Council Chamber at County Hall, Lewes on 22 April 2025.

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PRESENT Councillors Colin Belsey (Chair), Godfrey Daniel, Johanna Howell, Georgia Taylor, David Tutt and Matthew Beaver

### 1. MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 16 APRIL 2024

1.1 It was RESOLVED to agree as a correct record the minutes of the last meeting of the Committee held on 16 April 2024.

### 2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2.1 Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Collier, Hollidge and Lunn.

2.2 It was noted Councillor Beaver was in attendance as a substitute for Councillor Hollidge.

### 3. REPORTS

3.1 A copy of the report referred to below is included in the minute book.

### 4. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE

4.1 The Committee considered a report by the Deputy Chief Executive which provided an update on Member Conduct issues, the work of the Standards Committee and the Monitoring Officer.

4.2 It was RESOLVED to:

- 1) note the report;
- 2) agree the report for submission to the County Council for consideration; and
- 3) agree that no amendments were required to the Code of Conduct at this current time.

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