

City and County of Swansea

Minutes of the Special Standards Committee

Multi-Location Meeting - Gloucester Room, Guildhall / MS Teams

Wednesday, 5 October 2022 at 2.00 pm

Present: Jill Burgess (Chair) Presided

Councillor(s)Councillor(s)Councillor(s)O G JamesM B LewisL G Thomas

Co-opted Member(s)Co-opted Member(s)Co-opted Member(s)Michaela JonesJanet Pardue-WoodMargaret Williams

Officer(s)

Tracey Meredith Chief Legal Officer / Monitoring Officer

Huw Evans Head of Democratic Services
Allison Lowe Democratic Services Officer

Apologies for Absence

Independent Member(s): Mike Lewis

9 Disclosures of Personal and Prejudicial Interests.

In accordance with the Code of Conduct adopted by the City & County of Swansea, no interests were declared.

10 Exclusion of the Public.

The Committee was requested to exclude the public from the meeting during the consideration of the item(s) of business identified in the recommendation to the report on the grounds that it involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as set out in the exemption paragraph of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) (Wales) Order 2007, relevant to the item(s) of business set out in the report.

The Committee considered the Public Interest Test in deciding whether to exclude the public from the meeting for the item(s) of business where the Public Interest Test was relevant as set out in the report.

Resolved that the public be excluded for the following items of business.

(Closed Session)

Minutes of the Standards Committee (05.10.2022) Cont'd

11 Recruitment of a Community / Town Councillor to the Standards Committee.

The Committee interviewed one candidate for the role of Community / Town Council representative to the Standards Committee.

The candidate answered a number of set questions.

Resolved that CR be recommended to Council for appointment as the Community / Town Council representative to the Standards Committee.

The meeting ended at 2.33 pm

Chair