

# Agenda



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## A MEETING OF THE

# Scrutiny Committee

**WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY 17 DECEMBER 2013 AT 6.00 PM**

**COUNCIL CHAMBER, SOUTH OXFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL OFFICES**

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### Members of the Committee:

Mrs Celia Collett, MBE (Chairman)

Ms Joan Bland (Vice-Chairman)

Mr Steve Connel

Mr John Cotton

Ms Kristina Crabbe

Mrs Pat Dawe

Mr Will Hall

Mrs Eleanor Hards

Mr Paul Harrison

Ms Elizabeth Hodgkin

Mr Alan Rooke

Mr David Turner

Mrs Margaret Turner

### Substitutes

*Mr Roger Bell*

*Mr Felix Bloomfield*

*Mr David Bretherton*

*Mr Bernard Cooper*

*Mr Philip Cross*

*Mrs Margaret Davies*

*Mr Leo Docherty*

*Mr Mark Gray*

*Mr Tony Harbour*

*Mr Marcus Harris*

*Mr Marc Hiles*

*Ms Lynn Lloyd*

*Mrs Ann Midwinter*

*Ms Anne Purse*

*Mr Robert Simister*

*Miss Rachel Wallis*

*Mr Michael Welply*

*Mrs Jennifer Wood*

*Mrs Denise Macdonald*

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- 1 **Apologies**
- 2 **Declaration of disclosable pecuniary interest**
- 3 **Minutes of the previous meeting**

**Purpose:** to approve the minutes of the meeting on 5 November 2013  
Minutes circulated separately.

4 **Market towns** (Pages 3 - 8)

**Purpose:** to make comments on the current and future support proposed for the district's market towns (Henley, Thame and Wallingford) so that Cabinet can take these into account before considering the proposed growth bid as part of the council's budget setting process.

The Wallingford market town co-ordinator, Chair of Wallingford Partnership, Wallingford Town Clerk, and Director of the Henley Partnership will attend to speak to the committee, along with representatives from Henley and Thame town councils.

**If committee members have specific questions, these should be submitted to democratic services in advance to ensure that answers can be given at the meeting.**

5 **Board report - a graphical summary of the councils' performance to the end of October 2013** (Pages 9 - 68)

Board report showing a graphical summary of the councils' performance from 1 April 2013 to the end of October 2013 (**attached, pages 9 - 60**).

Five year report - a graphical summary of the councils' performance over the five years 1 April 2008 to 31 March 2013 (**attached, page 61 - 68**).

**Purpose:** to discuss the council's performance and make any recommendations for improvement.

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MARGARET REED

Head of Legal and Democratic Services