



## Standards Committee

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Date: Thursday 22 September 2016  
Time: 10.00 am  
Venue: Room 132, Ground Floor, Town Hall Building

This is a **supplementary agenda** containing additional information about the business of this meeting that was not available when the agenda was first published.

Everyone is welcome to attend this meeting

## Membership of the Committee

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### **Councillors -**

Andrews, Cooley, and Evans  
Councillor O'Donovan (Ringway Parish Council)

### **Independent Co-opted Members -**

Nicolé Jackson (Chair), Mr G Linnell

## Independent Person

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Mr A Eastwood, Ms S Beswick

## Agenda

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- 1 **Urgent business**  
To consider any items which the Chair has agreed to have submitted as urgent.
- 2 **Appeals**  
To consider any appeals from the public against refusal to allow inspection of background documents and/or the inclusion of items in the confidential part of the agenda.
- 3 **Interests**  
To allow Members an opportunity to declare any personal, prejudicial or disclosable pecuniary interest they might have in any items which appear on this agenda. Members with a personal interest should declare that interest at the start of the item under consideration. If members also have a prejudicial or disclosable pecuniary interest they must withdraw from the meeting during the consideration of the item.
- 4 **Minutes**  
To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 16 June 2016.
- 5 **Membership of the Standards (Hearing) Sub-Committee**  
The report of the City Solicitor **is enclosed**.

## Information about the Committee

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The Standards Committee comprises five city councillors, one parish councillor and two independent members and is chaired by an independent member. The Committee deals with matters relating to the conduct of city and parish councillors and the promotion of ethical standards.

The Independent Persons are appointed by the Council to assist the Council in the consideration of any complaints made against councillors. They are not members of the Standards Committee but they are invited to attend the meeting if they wish to.

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