

WELLS CITY COUNCIL NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MEETING OF THE FINANCE & COUNCIL MATTERS COMMITTEE, WHICH MEMBERS ARE SUMMONED TO ATTEND, WILL BE HELD AT WELLS TOWN HALL ON THURSDAY 13TH FEBRUARY 2025 AT 7:00PM

Please note this meeting will be recorded for the purpose of minute-taking.

Steve Luck 6th February 2025

Town Clerk/RFO

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Committee Members:

Cllrs: L Agabani, J Browne (Mayor), S Cursley (Chair), G Folkard, T Pullin, T Robbins (Vice-Chair), H Siggs, I Von Mensenkampff

AGENDA

Wells City Council has declared a climate emergency. Each agenda item must consider the impact on any policy and decision.

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS

2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive Councillors' Declarations of Interests, made under the Council's Code of Conduct adopted 12th May 2022.

3 MINUTES OF THE FINANCE & COUNCIL MATTERS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 16TH JANUARY 2025

To approve and sign the minutes of the previous meeting.

4 MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Public speaking time is normally restricted to 15 minutes in total, at the discretion of the Chair.

5 FINANCE

To receive the draft Finance reports for January 2025.

6 RISK ASSESSMENT (attached by email)

To review the Council's risk assessment document ahead of the appointment of the 2024-25 Internal Audit.

7 INTERNAL AUDIT 2024-25

To consider quotations received for the 2024-25 Internal Audit and approve the appointment of an Internal Auditor in line with the JPAG Practitioner's guide recommendations.

8 DEVOLUTION

To receive any updates from the Devolution Officer

9 ANY MATTERS OF URGENT REPORT

10 DATE OF NEXT MEETING: 7pm, Thursday 13th March 2025

EXCLUDE THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

Note: If it is necessary for matters to be considered in confidence it will be proposed by the Chairman that a resolution be passed under the provisions of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 as amended, excluding the press and public, in order that confidential items can be discussed.