

# **ENVIRONMENT & ECONOMY SELECT COMMITTEE**

Date: Tuesday, 11 February 2020 Time: 6.00pm,

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Members: Councillors: M Downing (Chair), A Mitchell CC (Vice-Chair),

D Bainbridge, S Barr, S Booth, A Brown, J Brown, T Callaghan, D Cullen, J Hanafin and L Rossati

#### **AGENDA**

## PART 1

### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

### 2. MINUTES 20 NOVEMBER 2019

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 20 November 2019.

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# 3. UPDATE ON PREVIOUS REVIEW INTO MAINTENANCE OF TREES HEDGES & SHRUB BEDS

To consider an update on the previous scrutiny review of the Environment & Economy Select Committee into the Maintenance of Trees, Hedges and Shrub beds.

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### 4. REVIEW OF NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRES

To receive an update on the review of local neighbourhood centres and some background information for the review.

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## 5. URGENT PART 1 BUSINESS

To consider any Part 1 business accepted by the Chair as urgent.

### 6. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

To consider the following motions –

- 1. That under Section 100(A) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as described in paragraphs1 7 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act as amended by Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006.
- 2. That Members consider the reasons for the following reports being in Part II and determine whether or not maintaining the exemption from disclosure of the information contained therein outweighs the public interest in disclosure.

## 7. URGENT PART II BUSINESS

To consider any Part II business accepted by the Chair as urgent.

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