

NORTHAMPTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

STANDARDS COMMITTEE

Your attendance is requested at a meeting to be held at The Jeffrey Room, The Guildhall, St. Giles Square, Northampton, NN1 1DE on Monday, 3 December 2018 at 5:00 pm.

George Candler
Chief Executive

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES
2. MINUTES
3. DEPUTATIONS / PUBLIC ADDRESSES
4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST
5. CO OPTEE (INDEPENDENT MEMBER) - VACANCY
The Standards Committee to confirm the appointment process – One Co Optee (Independent Member).
6. TRAINING STRATEGY
The Standards Committee to review its updated Training Strategy for all Members of the Council in relation to ethical and governance matters and specific training for Members of the Standards Committee
7. WHISTLEBLOWING POLICY
8. CODE OF CONDUCT ARRANGEMENTS COMPLAINTS
The Standards Committee to consider a report regarding complaints received under the Arrangements for dealing with allegations of breaches of the Council's Code of Conduct and of Codes of Conduct adopted by Parish Councils.
9. MATTERS OF URGENCY WHICH BY REASON OF SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES THE CHAIR IS OF THE OPINION SHOULD BE CONSIDERED
10. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS
THE CHAIR TO MOVE:
"THAT THE PUBLIC AND PRESS BE EXCLUDED FROM THE REMAINDER OF THE MEETING ON THE GROUNDS THAT THERE IS LIKELY TO BE DISCLOSURE TO THEM OF SUCH CATEGORIES OF EXEMPT INFORMATION AS DEFINED BY SECTION 100(I) OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 AS LISTED AGAINST SUCH ITEMS OF BUSINESS BY REFERENCE TO THE APPROPRIATE PARAGRAPH OF SCHEDULE 12A TO SUCH ACT."

Public Participation

Members of the public may address the Committee on any non-procedural matter listed on this agenda. Addresses shall not last longer than three minutes. Committee members may then ask questions of the speaker. No prior notice is required prior to the commencement of the meeting of a request to address the Committee.