Member Development and Standards Sub Committee

Date: **THURSDAY, 15 OCTOBER 2026**

Time: 2.00 pm

Venue: **COMMITTEE ROOM - 2ND FLOOR WEST WING, GUILDHALL**

Members:

Philip Woodhouse (Chairman)
Deputy Jaspreet Hodgson (Deputy Chair)
Susan Farrington
Deputy Helen Fentimen OBE JP
Deputy Christopher Hayward
Deputy Caroline Haines
Sandra Jenner
Deputy Deborah Oliver
Alderman Sir Andrew Parmley
Deputy Henry Pollard
Naresh Hari Sonpar

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Ian Thomas CBE
Town Clerk and Chief Executive

AGENDA

1. **APOLOGIES**

2. **MEMBER'S DECLARATIONS UNDER THE CODE OF CONDUCT IN RESPECT OF ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

3. **PUBLIC MINUTES**

To agree the public minutes and non-public summary of the meeting held on 11 June 2026.

For Decision
(Pages 5 - 12)

4. **ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PANEL OF INDEPENDENT PERSONS**

Report of the Town Clerk.

For Decision
(Pages 13 - 26)

5. **MEMBERS' LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT UPDATE**

Report of the Town Clerk.

For Discussion
(Pages 27 - 50)

6. **MEMBERS' COPILOT TRIAL SCHEME UPDATE**

To receive a verbal update from the Town Clerk.

For Information

7. **QUESTIONS ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE**

8. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIR CONSIDERS URGENT**

9. **EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC**

MOTION, that – under Section 100(A) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part I of the Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act or relate to functions of the Court of Common Council which are not subject to the provisions of Part VA and Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

For Decision

10. **NON-PUBLIC MINUTES**

Report of the Town Clerk.

For Decision
(Pages 51 - 52)

11. **NON-PUBLIC QUESTIONS ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE**

12. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT AND WHICH THE COMMITTEE AGREE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED WHILST THE PUBLIC ARE EXCLUDED**