

Borough Council of
**King's Lynn &
West Norfolk**



Standards Committee – Panel Hearing

Agenda

**Wednesday, 15th December, 2021
at 2.00 pm**

in the

**Council Chamber
Town Hall
Saturday Market Place
King's Lynn**

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Dear Member

Standards Committee – Panel Hearing

You are invited to attend a meeting of the above-mentioned Panel which will be held on **Wednesday, 15th December, 2021 at 2.00 pm** in the **Council Chamber, Town Hall, Saturday Market Place, King's Lynn PE30 5DQ** to discuss the business shown below.

Yours sincerely

Chief Executive

AGENDA

1. Apologies

2. Declarations of Interest

Please indicate if there are any interests which should be declared. A declaration of an interest should indicate the nature of the interest (if not already declared on the Register of Interests) and the agenda item to which it relates. If a disclosable pecuniary interest is declared, the Member should withdraw from the room whilst that matter is discussed.

These declarations apply to all Members present, whether the Member is part of the meeting, attending to speak as a local Member of any item or simply observing the meeting from the public seating area.

3. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

This document is not for publication prior to consideration by the Committee whether the press and public should be excluded from the meeting because the report contains exempt information as specified in Paragraph 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act (as amended).

4. **To consider the Local Investigation as to an allegation against a Borough Councillor** (Pages 4 - 52)

Monitoring Officer's Report

Members' Code of Conduct (Appendix A)

Initial Assessment Decision Notice (Appendix B)

Investigator Report (Appendix C)

Witness Statement of Borough Councillor (D)

Pre-Hearing Questions to Subject Member and Responses (Appendix E)

Hearing Procedure (Appendix F)

To:

Panel Members: Councillors Mrs S Collop, C Manning and S Nash

Officers:

Alexa Baker, Monitoring Officer

Wendy Vincent, Democratic Services Officer

Subject Member – Borough Councillor

Independent Person