Notice of Meeting

Governance and Ethics Committee

Monday, 23rd November, 2015 at 5.00 pm in the Council Chamber Council Offices Market Street Newbury

Date of despatch of Agenda: Friday 13 November 2015

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Councillors Steve Ardagh-Walter, Jeff Beck (Vice-Chairman), Chris Bridges, To: Graham Bridgman, James Cole, Barry Dickens, Lee Dillon, Rick Jones, Anthony Pick and Quentin Webb (Chairman) Councillors Billy Drummond, Sheila Ellison, Alan Macro and Tim Metcalfe Substitutes: **Agenda** Part I Page No. 1 **Apologies** To receive apologies for inability to attend the meeting (if any). 2 **Minutes** 1 - 16 To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of this Committee held on 24th August 2015 and the special meeting held on the 03rd September 2015. 3 **Declarations of Interest** To remind Members of the need to record the existence and nature of any Personal, Disclosable Pecuniary or other interests in items on the agenda, in accordance with Members' Code of Conduct. 4 **Forward Plan** 17 - 20Purpose: To consider the Forward Plan for the next 6 months. Standards Matters 5 Monitoring Officer's Quarterly Report Quarter 2 of 2015/16 21 - 30(GE3032) Purpose: To present the Monitoring Officer's quarterly report. Governance Matters 6 Risk Management - Revised Approach (GE3046) 31 - 44Purpose: To provide a refresh of the Council's Risk Management processes 7 Changes to the Constitution - Part 5 (Executive Rules of 45 - 46 Procedure) (C3011(a)) Purpose: To review and if appropriate amend part 5

(Executive Rules of Procedure) following a request from the

Liberal Democrat Group.



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8 Changes to the Constitution - Part 11 (Contract Rules of Procedure) (C3011(b))

Purpose: To review and if appropriate amend part 11 (Contract Rules of Procedure) following a request from the Procurement Board to do so.

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