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Date: 11 July 2014

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Committee: Environment and Services Scrutiny Committee

Date: Monday, 21 July 2014

Time: 2.00 pm

Venue: Shrewsbury Room, Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY2 6ND

You are requested to attend the above meeting.

The Agenda is attached

Claire Porter
Head of Legal and Democratic Services (Monitoring Officer)

Members of Environment and Services Scrutiny Committee

Vince Hunt
Keith Roberts
Peter Adams
Ted Clarke
Nigel Hartin

Roger Hughes
Christian Lea
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AGENDA

1 Election of Chairman

2 Apologies for absence and substitutions

3 Appointment of Vice Chairman

4 Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

Members are reminded that they must not participate in the discussion or voting on any matter in which they have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest and should leave the room prior to the commencement of the debate.

5 Minutes of the meeting held on 24 March 2014 (Pages 1 - 4)

To consider the Minutes from the meeting of the Environment and Services Scrutiny Committee held on 24 March 2014. Attached as item **5**.

6 Public Question Time

To receive any questions, statements or petitions from the public of which members of the public have given notice. Deadline for notification for this meeting is Wednesday 16 July 2014.

7 Member Question Time

To receive any questions of which members of the Council have given notice. Deadline for notification for this meeting is Wednesday 16 July 2014.

8 Public Petition - Save the Shropshire Badgers (Pages 5 - 8)

The Committee will consider its response to the following public petition:
'We the undersigned petition the Council to Save the Shropshire Badgers from being culled.

This is a national issue which will be of direct concern to the people of Shropshire when DEFRA "rolls out" its culling policy in 2014. The object of the petition is to ensure that Shropshire's badger population is as safe as possible from slaughter and that the already available injectable badger vaccine against

bovine TB is used in as many cases as possible. We ask this because we believe the culling policy is inhumane (DEFRA's measurement of "humaneness" is to time the screams of wounded badgers), inefficient (previous culls showed an increase in bovine TB because of badger movement) and unscientific (the majority of scientific opinion hold that a cull will have "no meaningful result").

We, the undersigned, call on Shropshire Council to prohibit the culling of badgers on council-owned land and invest in vaccination programmes locally. We ask this because we believe culling to be inhumane, inefficient and unscientific'.

This ePetition ran from 5 December 2013 to 6 May 2014 and was signed by 465 people.

The Officer report is attached as item **8**.

9 Update on Waste Collection Service Redesign

The Committee will receive an update presentation on the redesign of the Waste Collection Service.

10 Performance Dashboards (Pages 9 - 16)

To consider the dashboards for the priorities as reported at Quarter 4, and the outcomes which mark the future reporting model. The outcome dashboards are draft to give the Committee the opportunity to see the new dashboards before they are used for the first time to report the Quarter 1 data. Attached as item **10**

11 Date/Time of next meeting

The Committee is next scheduled to meet on Monday 8th September 2014 at 2.00pm