

Shropshire Council
Legal and Democratic Services
Guildhall,
Frankwell Quay,
Shrewsbury
SY3 8HQ

Date: 30 March 2026

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**Committee:
Standards Sub-Committee**

Date: Thursday, 9 April 2026
Time: 10.00 am
Venue: The Ludlow Room, The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, SY3 8HIQ

You are requested to attend the above meeting.
The Agenda is attached

Tim Collard
Service Director – Legal, Governance and Planning

Members of Standards Sub-Committee:

Rachel Connolly
Gary Groves
Dan Thomas

Your Committee Officer is:

Tim Ward

Tel: 01743 257713
Email: tim.ward@shropshire.gov.uk

AGENDA

1 Election of Chairman

To elect a Chairman for the duration of the meeting

2 Apologies for Absence

3 Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

Members are reminded that they must declare their disclosable pecuniary interests and other registrable or non-registrable interests in any matter being considered at the meeting as set out in Appendix B of the Members' Code of Conduct and consider if they should leave the room prior to the item being considered. Further advice can be sought from the Monitoring Officer in advance of the meeting.

4 Minutes of the Last Meeting (Pages 1 - 2)

To approve the minutes of the previous meeting as a true record

5 Exclusion of Press and Public

To resolve that, in accordance with the provisions of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 and Paragraph 10.4 (3) of the Council's Access to Information Rules, the public and press be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items

6 Code of Conduct Complaint (Pages 3 - 10)

To consider an exempt report relating to a Code of Conduct complaint.

Exempt report of the Monitoring Officer is attached

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Tel: 01743 252756

7 Code of Conduct Complaint (Pages 11 - 32)

To consider an exempt report relating to a Code of Conduct complaint.

Exempt report of the Monitoring Officer is attached

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8 Code of Conduct Complaint (Pages 33 - 52)

To consider an exempt report relating to a Code of Conduct complaint.

Exempt report of the Monitoring Officer is attached

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<u>Committee and Date</u>
Standards Sub-Committee
9 April 2026

<u>Item</u>
Public

MINUTES OF THE STANDARDS SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 19 MARCH 2026
1.00 - 3.30 PM

Responsible Officer: Tim Ward
Email: tim.ward@shropshire.gov.uk Tel: 01743 257713

Present

Councillors Thomas Clayton, Rachel Connolly and George Hollyhead

7 Election of Chairman

RESOLVED:

That Councillor George Hollyhead be elected Chair of the Standards Sub Committee for the duration of the meeting

8 Apologies for Absence

There were no apologies for absence

9 Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

There were no interests declared

10 Minutes of the last meeting

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the meeting held on 26 January 2-26 be approved as a true record

11 Exclusion of Press and Public

RESOLVED

That, in accordance with the provisions of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 and Paragraph 10.4 (3) of the Council's Access to Information Rules, the public and press be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items

12 Code of Conduct Complaint

Members considered the report of the Monitoring Officer which set out details of 6 code of conduct complaints.

RESOLVED:

That no action be taken in respect of the complaints as it was considered that it was not in the public interest to do so.

13 Code of Conduct Complaint

Members considered the report of the Monitoring Officer which set out details of 6 code of conduct complaints.

RESOLVED:

That no action be taken in respect of the complaints as it was considered that it was not in the public interest to do so.

Signed (Chairman)

Date:

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of the Local Government Act 1972.

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