



Date: Wednesday 1st February 2023

Time: 10.30 am

Venue: The Deane House, Taunton Council, TA1 1HE

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Agenda

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1 **Apologies for absence**

2 **Public Question Time**

Members of the public who reside or work in the Avon and Somerset Force area may submit a statement or petition or ask a maximum of two questions at a Panel meeting.

Please note that all statements and questions must relate to matters that fall within the Panel's functions and responsibilities.

Statements or questions should be e-mailed to PLJones@somerset.gov.uk, or sent to the Democratic Services Team, County Hall Taunton TA1 4DY (marked for the attention of Patricia Jones). Statements must be received no later than 12.00 noon on 31st January 2023. Questions must be received no later than 3 clear working days before the meeting – 5pm on 26th January 2023.

3 **Declarations of Interest**

The Statutory Register of Member's Interests can be inspected by contacting Patricia Jones in the Democratic Services Team on Tel: 07855 284506 or PLjones@somerset.gov.uk.

4 **Minutes of the meeting held on 8th December 2022** (Pages 7 - 14)

To confirm as a correct record.

5 **Matters Arising**

6 **Chair's Business**

7 **Host Authority and Panel Costs Report** (Pages 15 - 32)

To update the Panel on the Host Authority arrangements and to provide an update on the Panel's budget.

8 **Chief Constable Presentation**

The Panel will receive a powerpoint presentation from Sarah Crew, Chief Constable for Avon and Somerset.

9 **Formal Scrutiny of the Medium Term Financial Plan and Precept Proposal**
(Pages 33 - 94)

The Panel will scrutinise the Commissioner's proposed council tax precept and the overall draft Policing budget and proposed allocation.

10 **Commissioner's Update** (Pages 95 - 104)

To receive an update on the Commissioner's activities since the last meeting.

11 **Standing Complaints Report** (Pages 105 - 108)

To provide the Panel with an overview of all complaints against the Commissioner.

12 **Date of Next Meeting**

29th March 2023 at 10.30am (The Deane House).