

Constitution and Governance Committee

Monday 18 July 2022

**2.00 pm Luttrell Room - County Hall,
Taunton**



To: The Members of the Constitution and Governance Committee

Cllr T Butt Philip (Chair), Cllr S Carswell (Vice-Chair), Cllr B Clarke, Cllr H Davies, Cllr D Johnson, Cllr H Kay, Cllr C Lawrence, Cllr M Lovell, Cllr M Murphy, Cllr S Osborne, Cllr S Pugsley, Cllr R Wilkins and Cllr A Wiltshire

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AGENDA

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****Public guidance notes contained in agenda annexe****

1 **Apologies for Absence**

To receive members' apologies

2 **Declarations of Interest**

Details of all Members' interests in District, Town and Parish Councils can be viewed on the [Council Website](#)

The Statutory Register of Member's Interests can be inspected via request to the Democratic Service Team.

Any new or updated declarations of interest will be received.

3 **Public Question Time**

The Chair will allow members of the public to ask a question or make a statement about any matter on the agenda for this meeting. **These questions may be taken during the meeting, when the relevant agenda item is considered, at the Chair's discretion.**

4 **Constitution and Governance Terms of Reference** (Pages 9 - 12)

To consider report.

5 **Stage 2 Consultation regarding Taunton Community Governance Review**
(Pages 13 - 42)

To receive presentation

6 **Local Government Reorganisation Implementation Plan - report to follow**

To consider report and implementation plan

7 **Work Programme** (Pages 43 - 44)

To consider work programme for the Committee

8 **Constitution and Governance Committee meeting dates** (Pages 45 - 46)

To consider meeting dates for the Committee

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9 **Any other urgent items of business**

The Chair may raise any items of urgent business.