

# SCRUTINY FOR POLICIES, ADULTS AND HEALTH COMMITTEE

**Wednesday 8 March 2023**

**10.00 am Luttrell and Wyndham Rooms,  
County Hall, Taunton, TA1 4DY**



To: The members of the Scrutiny for Policies, Adults and Health Committee

Cllr R Woods (Chair), Cllr G Oakes (Vice-Chair), Cllr H Bruce, Cllr N Cottle, Cllr D Denton, Cllr B Ferguson, Cllr A Govier, Cllr A Hendry, Cllr C Lawrence, Cllr E Pearlstone, Cllr T Robbins, Cllr F Smith and Cllr C Sully

All Somerset County Council Members are invited to attend.

Issued By Scott Wooldridge, Monitoring Officer and Head of Governance and Democratic Services - 28 February 2023

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Neutral by 2030?**



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## AGENDA

Item        Scrutiny for Policies, Adults and Health Committee - 10.00 am Wednesday 8 March 2023

**\*\* Public Guidance notes contained in agenda annexe \*\***

**1            Apologies for Absence**

- to receive Member's apologies.

**2            Declarations of Interest**

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

**3            Minutes from the previous meeting held on 26 January 2023** (Pages 9 - 14)

The Committee is asked to confirm the minutes are accurate.

**4            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.**

**5            Scrutiny for Policies, Adults and Health Committee Work Programme** (Pages 15 - 18)

To receive an update from the Governance Manager, Scrutiny and discuss any items for the work programme.

**6            Southwest Ambulance Service Response times** (Pages 19 - 44)

To receive the report.

**7            Somerset Hyperacute Stroke Services - Consultation** (Pages 45 - 338)

To receive the report.

**8            Supporting Carers in Somerset - Update from Workshop** (Pages 339 - 376)

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To receive the report.

9            **Adult Social Care Budget report** (Pages 377 - 384)

To receive the report.

10          **Any other urgent items of business**

The Chair may raise any items of urgent business.