Mid Devon District Council

Environment Policy Development Group

Tuesday, 6 March 2018 at 2.00 pm Exe Room, Phoenix House, Tiverton

Next ordinary meeting Tuesday, 15 May 2018 at 2.00 pm

Those attending are advised that this meeting will be recorded

Membership

Clir R F Radford Clir D R Coren Clir Mrs C P Daw Clir R Evans Clir D J Knowles Clir Mrs E J Slade Clir J D Squire Clir Mrs N Woollatt Clir R Wright

AGENDA

Members are reminded of the need to make declarations of interest prior to any discussion which may take place

1 Apologies and substitute Members

To receive any apologies for absence and notices of appointment of substitute Members (if any).

2 Declarations of Interest under the Code of Conduct

Councillors are reminded of the requirement to declare any interest, including the type of interest, and reason for that interest, either at this stage of the meeting or as soon as they become aware of that interest.

3 Public Question Time

To receive any questions relating to items on the Agenda from members of the public and replies thereto.

Note: A maximum of 30 minutes is allowed for this item.

4 Minutes of the Previous Meeting (Pages 5 - 10)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the last meeting.

5 Chairman's Announcements

To receive any announcements that the Chairman may wish to make.

6 Motion 542 (Councillor Mrs J Roach - 30 November)

(1) Motion 542 (Councillor Mrs J Roach – 30 November 2017)

The following motion previously considered by the PDG on 9 January 2018 has been referred back to the Group by Council (in line with Procedure Rule 15.1(e) for further consideration:

That this Council consider the use of recycling trolleys as a pilot project, hopefully in Silverton, as an alternative to assisted collections for those who wish to try out such a system.

<u>Please note</u>: Having considered the above Motion the Policy Development Group are asked to consider whether this Motion should either be supported or rejected. This decision will be referred back to Council on 25 April 2018.

7 Bereavement Services Fees and Charges (Pages 11 - 22)

To consider a report of the Director of Finance, Assets and Resources regarding a review of the Bereavement Services Fees and Charges for 2018-2019

8 Update on the Street Scene Education and Enforcement Service (Pages 23 - 28)

To receive a report outlining the performance of the Street Scene Education and Enforcement service for the first nine months of operation following the service review in 2016/17.

9 **Performance and Risk** (Pages 29 - 38)

To provide Members with an update on performance against the corporate plan and local service targets for 2017-18 as well as providing an update on the key business risks.

10 Chairman's Annual Report (Pages 39 - 42)

To receive the Chairman's draft annual report on the work of the Group since May 2017, which will be submitted to Council on 25 April 2018.

11 Identification of Items for Future Meetings

Note: This item is limited to 10 minutes. There should be no discussion on the items raised.

Waste and Recycling regular update Repairing Footpaths and Roads Policy Performance and Risk

> Stephen Walford Chief Executive Monday, 26 February 2018

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