

Flintshire County Council – Decisions taken by the Constitution and Democratic Services Committee on Wednesday, 15 March 2023

Agenda Item No	Topic	Decision
A2	Minutes	<p><u>RESOLVED</u></p> <p>That the minutes be approved as a correct record.</p>
A3	Rolling Review of the Councillors Code of Conduct	<p><u>RESOLVED:</u></p> <p>(a) That the proposed amendments to the Councillors' Code of Conduct be approved; and</p> <p>(b) That a report on the potential to undertake a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check for all Councillors be submitted to a future meeting of the Committee.</p>
A4	Adoption of the Model Ordinary Language Guide to the Constitution and updates made to the National Model Constitution	<p><u>RESOLVED:</u></p> <p>(a) That the Committee recommends to Council that the draft amended constitution should be adopted, with the exception of the role descriptions contained at Section 31 of the draft constitution and subject to a final internal consistency check, proof-read, and cross reference with the ordinary language guide;</p> <p>(b) that paragraph 4.6.21 of the draft Constitution be amended to include the following "(carrying out its performance duties under the Local Government and Elections Act 2021)"</p> <p>(b) That any additional work that the Committee considers should take place in respect of the Council's constitution will form part of a forward work programme for the Committee.</p>
A5	Independent Remuneration Panel for Wales (IRPW) Annual Report, February 2023	<p><u>RESOLVED:</u></p> <p>That the Committee notes the Determinations made by the Independent Remuneration Panel for Wales in their Annual Report for 2023/24.</p>
A7	Member Workshops, Briefings and	<p><u>RESOLVED</u></p>

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	Seminars Update	<p>(a) That a ‘training needs analysis’ be undertaken of all Members by the Democratic Service Manager to better inform future development programmes.</p> <p>(b) That if Members had any suggestions for future development they contact the Democratic Services Manager to discuss them; and</p> <p>(c) That a draft training and development plan be brought back to the Committee meeting in June.</p>