

# Blackpool Council

24 November 2020

To: Councillors Benson, Clapham, Collett, I Taylor and Wing

The above members are requested to attend the:

## **STANDARDS COMMITTEE**

Thursday, 3 December 2020 at 6.00 pm  
Via Zoom Conference Call

## **A G E N D A**

### **1 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Members are asked to declare any interests in the items under consideration and in doing so state:

(1) the type of interest concerned either a

- (a) personal interest
- (b) prejudicial interest
- (c) disclosable pecuniary interest (DPI)

and

(2) the nature of the interest concerned

If any member requires advice on declarations of interests, they are advised to contact the Head of Democratic Governance in advance of the meeting.

### **2 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING HELD ON 5 SEPTEMBER 2019** (Pages 1 - 4)

To agree the minutes of the last meeting held 5 September 2019 as a true and correct record.

### **3 STANDARDS UPDATE REPORT** (Pages 5 - 22)

To consider an update report from the Monitoring Officer on standards issues and the recent consultation on a model code of conduct from the Local Government Association.

**4 COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS IN PUBLIC LIFE - LOCAL GOVERNMENT ETHICAL STANDARDS REVIEW UPDATE**

(Pages 23 - 38)

To receive an update on the best practice recommendations from the findings of the Committee on Standards in Public Life review of local government ethical standards.

**Other information:**

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