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Our Values: Care – Enjoy – Pioneer

Our Ref: A.1142/4715
Date: 28 November 2024



NOTICE OF MEETING

Meeting: **Programmes and Resources Committee**
Date: **Friday 6 December 2024**
Time: **10.00 am**
Venue: **Aldern House, Baslow Road, Bakewell**

PHILIP MULLIGAN
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

AGENDA

- 1 **Apologies for Absence**
- 2 **Minutes of Previous Meeting held on 6 September 2024** (*Pages 5 - 10*) 5 mins
- 3 **Urgent Business**
- 4 **Public Participation**
To note any questions or to receive any statements, representations, deputations and petitions which relate to the published reports on Part A of the Agenda.
- 5 **Members Declarations of Interest**
Members are asked to declare any disclosable pecuniary, personal or prejudicial interests they may have in relation to items on the agenda for this meeting.

FOR DECISION

THE REPORT FOR ITEM 6 HAS BEEN AMENDED IN PARAGRAPH 3.2 - (28/11/24).

- 6 **Sphagnum Lab** (*Pages 11 - 16*) 25 mins

FOR INFORMATION

- 7 **Annual Report of the Due Diligence Panel** (*Pages 17 - 18*) 5 mins
- 8 **Exempt Information S100 (A) Local Government Act 1972**
Draft motion:

That the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of agenda item 9 to avoid the disclosure of Exempt Information under S100 (A) (4) Local Government Act 1972, Schedule 12A paragraph 3 "information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the Authority holding that information)".

PART B

- 9 **Exempt Minutes from Meeting of 6 September 2024** (*Pages 19 - 20*) 5 mins

Duration of Meeting

In the event of not completing its business within 3 hours of the start of the meeting, in accordance with the Authority's Standing Orders, the Committee will decide whether or not to continue the meeting. If the Authority decides not to continue the meeting it will be adjourned and the remaining business considered at the next scheduled meeting.

If the Committee has not completed its business by 1.00pm and decides to continue the meeting the Chair will exercise discretion to adjourn the meeting at a suitable point for a 30 minute lunch break

after which the committee will re-convene.

ACCESS TO INFORMATION - LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 (as amended)

Agendas and reports

Copies of the Agenda and Part A reports are available for members of the public before and during the meeting on the website <http://democracy.peakdistrict.gov.uk>

Background Papers

The Local Government Act 1972 requires that the Authority shall list any unpublished Background Papers necessarily used in the preparation of the Reports. The Background Papers referred to in each report, PART A, excluding those papers that contain Exempt or Confidential Information, PART B, can be inspected on the Authority's website.

Public Participation and Other Representations from third parties

Please note meetings of the Authority and its Committees may still take place at venues other than its offices at Aldern House, Bakewell when necessary. Public participation is still available and anyone wishing to participate at the meeting under the Authority's Public Participation Scheme is required to give notice to the Customer and Democratic Support Team to be received not later than 12.00 noon on the Wednesday preceding the Friday meeting. The Scheme is available on the website <http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/looking-after/about-us/have-your-say> or on request from the Customer and Democratic Support Team 01629 816352, email address: democraticandlegalsupport@peakdistrict.gov.uk.

Written Representations

Other written representations on items on the agenda, except those from formal consultees, will not be reported to the meeting if received after 12 noon on the Wednesday preceding the Friday meeting.

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Please note there is no refreshment provision available.

To: Members of Programmes and Resources Committee:

Chair: Prof J Dugdale
Vice Chair: C Greaves

J W Berresford	C Farrell
A Gregory	L Grooby
Mrs G Heath	A Nash
C O'Leary	K Rustidge
K Smith	Dr R Swetnam
S Thompson	Y Witter
B Woods	

Other invited Members: (May speak but not vote)

P Brady	V Priestley
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