

Standards Committee
Work Programme for 2013 / 2014

The following work programme is proposed:

Meeting	<u>Agenda Item</u>
15 th July 2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work Programme • Annual Report • Consider reference from Children & Young People Overview Committee.
17 th September 2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consideration of any recommended updates to Codes and Protocols • Update to the Council's Ethical Audit Self-Assessment • IP Protocol Updates
27 th January 2014	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update on Parish Councillor Training • Question and Answer Session with Leader and Chief Executive on Ethical Governance Arrangements •
4 th April 2014	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consideration of Annual Governance Statement process • Review of the working of the Revised Code of Conduct • Review of Committee Membership
Regular Items:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ethical Update Report • Ethical Compliance Report. • Monitor complaints under the Council's Anti-Fraud and Corruption Strategy and Whistleblowing Policy. • Receive updates on complaints against Councillors. • Receive updates on continuing close work with Parish Councils on Ethical Framework Issues. • Updates on training for Officers, Councillors and Parish Councillors in respect of ethical framework issues. • Updates on requests for dispensations
Other reports and Meetings as required:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consideration of Code of Conduct Complaints. • Urgent ethical and probity issues as they arise. • Responding to Government Guidance, Regulations and Consultations as issued.