



REPORT TO:	OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
DATE:	3 OCTOBER 2013
REPORT OF THE:	COUNCIL SOLICITOR ANTHONY WINSHIP
TITLE OF REPORT:	FINAL REPORT – SCRUTINY REVIEW OF MEMBER ROLES ON OUTSIDE BODIES AND AS MEMBER CHAMPIONS
WARDS AFFECTED:	ALL

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 This report presents recommendations from the scrutiny review of Member roles on outside bodies and as Member Champions, for agreement by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee before they are referred to the appropriate officers, working group or decision making body for consideration.

2.0 RECOMMENDATION

- 2.1 It is recommended that the scrutiny review report on Member roles on outside bodies and as Member Champions be agreed.

3.0 REASON FOR RECOMMENDATION

- 3.1 To make best use of resources in terms of time, skills and money, and ensure effective and efficient governance.

4.0 SIGNIFICANT RISKS

- 4.1 There are no significant risks arising from the recommendations in the report.

5.0 POLICY CONTEXT AND CONSULTATION

- 5.1 This review links into corporate aim 5 (to transform the Council) and strategic objectives 9 (to know our communities and meet their needs) and 10 (to develop the leadership, capacity and capability to deliver future improvements).
- 5.2 Details of the consultation undertaken are included in Annexes B-D of the scrutiny review report.

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6.0 REPORT DETAILS

- 6.1 On 4 October 2012, the Overview and Scrutiny Committee decided to conduct a review of Member roles on outside bodies and as Member Champions. Terms of reference for the review were agreed at the meeting on 13 December 2012 and revised on 21 February 2013. A copy is attached as Annex A to the scrutiny review report.
- 6.2 The review has now concluded and the final report and recommendations are attached for consideration

7.0 IMPLICATIONS

- 7.1 The following implications have been identified:
- a) Financial
There are no significant financial implications arising from the recommendations in the report.
 - b) Legal
There are no significant legal implications arising from the recommendations in the report.
 - c) Other (Equalities, Staffing, Planning, Health & Safety, Environmental, Crime & Disorder)
There are no significant other implications arising from the recommendations in the report.

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Background Papers:

As detailed in the scrutiny review report.

Background Papers are available for inspection at:
Ryedale House.