

#### **Standards Committee**

Date Friday 25 June 2021

Time 9.30 am

Venue County Hall, Durham - County Hall, Durham

#### **Business**

#### Part A

### Items which are open to the Public and Press

- 1. Apologies for Absence
- 2. Declarations of Interest, if any
- 3. Minutes of the Meeting held on 3 March 2021 (Pages 3 6)
- 4. Committee Work Programme (Pages 7 14)
- 5. Appointment of Independent Persons to Standards Committee (Pages 15 32)
- 6. Annual Report of the Standards Committee 2020/2021 (Pages 33 42)
- 7. Standards National Picture Update (Pages 43 48)
- 8. Code of Conduct Update (Pages 49 62)
- 9. Such other business as in the opinion of the Chairman of the Meeting is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration.

# Helen Lynch Head of Legal and Democratic Services

County Hall Durham 17 June 2021

#### To: The Members of the Standards Committee

Councillors M Abley, J Atkinson, L Maddison, L Mavin, J Nicholson, A Savory, T Smith, D Stoker, T Stubbs, F Tinsley and C Varty

## Parish/Town Council Co-optees:

Councillors T Batson and R Harrison

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