

# At the meeting of the Authority held on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2025

Present: Cllr Page

Cllr Bell Cllr Norris Cllr Kelly Cllr Williams Cllr Baldwin Cllr Brown

## 78. Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Gomez-Aspro, Roberton-Collins and Nelson

## 79. Minutes of the Authority Meeting held on 7<sup>th</sup> February 2025

**Resolved** the minutes of the Authority Meeting held on 7<sup>th</sup> February 2025 be approved and signed as a correct record.

#### 80. Declarations of Interests by Members and Officers

There were no declarations of interest.

## 81. Question(s) from Members under Procedural Rule 9

There were no questions submitted by Members in accordance with Procedural Rule 9.

## 82. Question(s) from Members of the Public under Procedural Rule 10

There were no questions submitted by members of the public in accordance with Procedural Rule 10.

#### 83. Motion proposed by Members under Procedural Rule 15

There were no motions proposed by Members under Procedural Rule 15.

#### 84. WDA/10/25 Service Delivery Plan 2025-26

Members were asked to note the initial outcomes of the previous year's performance and to seek Members approval of the proposed Service Delivery Plan for 2025/26

#### Resolved that:

- Members noted the progress made during 2024/25 in the delivery of the Corporate Plan and;
- 2. Members approved the proposed Service Delivery Plan for 2025/26.

## 85. WDA/11/25 Code of Corporate Governance and Annual Governance Statement

Members were informed of the findings of the Annual Governance Assessment and the Improvement Action Plan for 2025/26. Members were also asked to approve the Annual Governance Statement for inclusion in the Statement of Accounts 2024/25.

#### Resolved that:

- 1. Members noted the findings of the Annual Corporate Governance Assessment and approved the Improvement Action Plan for 2025/26;
- 2. Members approved the Code of Corporate Governance and;
- 3. Members approved the Annual Governance Statement and the Statement be signed by the Authority's representatives for inclusion in the Statement of Accounts 2024/25.

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