



## **STANDARDS COMMITTEE**

**9.30 AM - TUESDAY, 31 JANUARY 2023**

**TEAMS/ HYBRID AT COUNCIL CHAMBER - PORT TALBOT CIVIC CENTRE**

**ALL MOBILE TELEPHONES TO BE SWITCHED TO SILENT FOR THE DURATION OF THE MEETING**

### **PART 1**

1. Appointment of Chair
2. Chair's Announcements
3. Declarations of Interest
4. Appointment of Vice Chair
5. Minutes of Previous Meeting (*Pages 5 - 8*)
6. Group Leader Invitation (*Pages 9 - 16*)  
Councillor Alun Llewelyn  
Councillor Rob Jones
7. Employee Code of Conduct (*Pages 17 - 46*)
8. Whistleblowing Arrangements (*Pages 47 - 68*)
9. Adjudication Panel Decisions (*Pages 69 - 126*)
10. Standards Committee Forward Work Programme (*Pages 127 - 128*)

11. Urgent Items

Any urgent items at the discretion of the Chairperson pursuant to Section 100B(4)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972

**K.Jones**  
**Chief Executive**

**Civic Centre**  
**Port Talbot**

**23 January 2023**

## Committee Membership:

**Chairperson:** TBC

**Vice  
Chairperson:** TBC

**Independent  
Members:** L.Fleet, T.Ward, C.Edwards and D.Lewis

**NPTCBC  
Members:** W.Carpenter and S.Thomas

**Community  
Committee  
Member:** C.Edwards

## Substitutes

**NPTCBC  
Substitutes:** A.Lodwig and S.Grimshaw

**Community  
Committee  
Substitute:** D.Lewis

- Notes: (a) The Quorum for the Standards Committee is at least three Members including the Chairperson (or in absence Vice Chairperson). At least half the Members present (including the Chair) must be Independent Members. (e.g. if only two Independent Members attend, there must **only** be two other Members of the Committee present.)*
- (b) In view of the above, can all Members please inform the Monitoring Officer/Democratic Services Officer as soon as possible, if there is a problem with attendance.*