

Meeting of: Audit Scrutiny Committee

Time / Date 15 March 2007 6.30pm Venue Hardmans Mill New Hall Hey Rawtenstall

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Agenda

ITEM		Lead Member / Contact Officer
A.	Business Matters	
A1. Subs	Apologies for Absence and Notification of stitutes	Pat Couch, Scrutiny Support Officer (01706) 252426
A2.	Declarations of Interest Members are requested to indicate at this stage, any items on the agenda in which they intend to declare an interest. Members are reminded that, in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000 and the Council's Code of Conduct, they must declare the nature of any personal interest and, if the interest is prejudicial, withdraw from the meeting during consideration of the item.	Pat Couch, Scrutiny Support Officer (01706) 252426
A3.	Minutes of the meeting held on 25 January 2007	Councillor Peter Starkey/ Pat Couch, Scrutiny Support Officer (01706) 252426
A4.	Urgent Item To note any items which the Chair has agreed to add to the Agenda on the grounds of urgency	Councillor Peter Starkey/ Pat Couch, Scrutiny Support Officer (01706) 252426
В.	Public Question Time	Councillor Peter Starkey/ Pat Couch, Scrutiny Support Officer (01706) 252426
C.	Chair's Update	Councillor Peter Starkey
D.	Audit and Council Business	
D1.	Progress Update on recovering debts A verbal update will be given at the meeting	Phil Seddon, Head of Financial Services (01706) 252465 and Bill Lawley, Interim Legal and Democratic Services Manager (01706) 252447

D2. Strengthening Links between Overview and Scrutiny and the Standards Committee

To consider a report of the Head of Planning, Legal and Democratic Services on the relationship between Overview and Scrutiny and the Standards Committee to ensure there is a strong working relationship between the two. Councillor Ormerod/ Linda Fisher, Head of Legal & Democratic Services (01706) 252447

D3. Local Determination

The Audit Scrutiny Committee are requested to consider the Council's compliance with the Members Code of Conduct and to capture any learning points from the determination. Councillor Ormerod/ Linda Fisher, Head of Legal & Democratic Services (01706) 252447

Carolyn Wilkins Chief Executive

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