

**Motion:** It is recommended that Council agree:

- a) the adoption of the draft "Suffolk Code" in Appendix 1, subject to the completion of the elements relating to Registration of Interests;
- b) that the Audit Committee will widen its Terms of Reference to include responsibility to promote and maintain high standards of conduct, as shown in Appendix 2;
- c) to a joint recruitment exercise for Independent Persons with the other Suffolk authorities, managed by the monitoring officers;
- d) that the names of the Independent Persons will be presented to a future Council for agreement;
- e) to the procedure for dealing with complaints outlined in Appendix 3;
- f) to the amendments to the Constitution, resulting from the new arrangements, detailed in Appendix 4;
- g) to delegate authority to the Monitoring Officer to finalise proposals in conjunction with the other Suffolk local authorities before reporting back to Council;
- h) that the Monitoring Officer will arrange for all elected and co-opted members to receive the necessary training; and
- i) that in twelve months the Monitoring Officer will review the arrangements and report on their operation to the Audit Committee, who will decide if any changes should be recommended to Council.

| Total Results |    |
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| For           | 57 |
| Against       | 1  |
| Abstain       | 2  |

| Conservative Group    | For | Against | Abstain |
|-----------------------|-----|---------|---------|
| Eddy Alcock           | ×   |         |         |
| Nick Barber           |     |         |         |
| Mike Barnard          | ×   |         |         |
| Mark Bee              | ×   |         |         |
| Peter Beer            | ×   |         |         |
| Peter Bellfield       | ×   |         |         |
| Bill Bishop           |     |         |         |
| Michael Bond          |     |         |         |
| Lisa Chambers         | ×   |         |         |
| Terry Clements        | ×   |         |         |
| Carol Debman          | ×   |         |         |
| James Finch           | ×   |         |         |
| Phillip French        | ×   |         |         |
| Stephen Frost         | ×   |         |         |
| John Goldsmith        |     |         |         |
|                       | ×   |         |         |
| Tony Goldson          | ×   |         |         |
| John Goodwin          | ×   |         |         |
| Kathy Gosling         | ×   |         |         |
| Anne Gower            | ×   |         |         |
| Gary Green            | ×   |         |         |
| Colin Hart            |     |         | ×       |
| Rebecca Hopfensperger | ×   |         |         |
| Christopher Hudson    | ×   |         |         |
| Steven Hudson         | ×   |         |         |
| Colin Law             | ×   |         |         |
| Deanna Law            | ×   |         |         |
| Rae Leighton          |     |         |         |
| Tim Marks             |     |         |         |
| Guy McGregor          | ×   |         |         |
| Charles Michell       | ×   |         |         |
| Jane Midwood          | ×   |         |         |
| Alan Murray           | ×   |         |         |
| Graham Newman         | ×   |         |         |
| Colin Noble           | ×   |         |         |
| Patricia O'Brien      | ×   |         |         |
| Stefan Oliver         | ×   |         |         |
| Jeremey Pembroke      | ^   |         |         |
| Bruce Provan          | ×   |         |         |
| Chris Punt            | ×   |         |         |
| Andrew Reid           | ×   |         |         |
| David Ritchie         | _ ^ |         |         |
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| Mary Rudd             | ×   |         |         |
| Bill Sadler           |     |         |         |
| Ken Sale              |     |         |         |
| John Sayers           |     | ×       |         |
| Richard Smith         | ×   |         |         |
| Colin Spence          | ×   |         |         |
| Joanna Spicer         | ×   |         |         |
| Jane Storey           | ×   |         |         |
| Judy Terry            | ×   |         |         |
| Robin Vickery         | ×   |         |         |
| Paul West             | ×   |         |         |
| Anne Whybrow          | ×   |         |         |
| David Yorke-Edwards   | ×   |         |         |
| Mary Young            | ×   |         |         |

| Green and Independent Group | For | Against | Abstain |
|-----------------------------|-----|---------|---------|
| Trevor Beckwith             |     |         |         |
| Mark Ereira                 | ×   |         |         |
| Andrew Stringer             | ×   |         |         |

| Labour Group   | For | Against | Abstain |
|----------------|-----|---------|---------|
| Peter Gardiner | ×   |         |         |
| Susan Maguire  | ×   |         |         |
| Sandy Martin   | ×   |         |         |
| Bryony Rudkin  | ×   |         |         |

| Liberal Democrat and Independent Group | For | Against | Abstain |
|----------------------------------------|-----|---------|---------|
| Andrew Cann                            |     |         |         |
| Jane Chambers                          | ×   |         |         |
| Craig Dearden-Phillips MBE             | ×   |         |         |
| John Field                             | ×   |         |         |
| David Grutchfield                      | ×   |         |         |
| Richard Kemp                           |     |         |         |
| Inga Lockington                        | ×   |         |         |
| Penny Otton                            |     |         |         |
| Caroline Page                          |     |         |         |
| Kathy Pollard                          |     |         |         |
| Julia Truelove                         | ×   |         |         |
| David Wood                             | ×   |         |         |

| UKIP           | For | Against | Abstain |
|----------------|-----|---------|---------|
| Bill Mountford |     |         | ×       |