



BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL

MEETING OF THE ELECTORAL MATTERS COMMITTEE

MONDAY 3RD NOVEMBER 2014
AT 6.00 P.M.

COMMITTEE ROOM, THE COUNCIL HOUSE, BURCOT LANE, BROMSGROVE

MEMBERS: Councillors J. M. Boswell, R. A. Clarke, S. R. Colella, K. A. Grant-Pearce, J. M. L. A. Griffiths, P. Lammas, L. C. R. Mallett, R. J. Shannon and C. J. Tidmarsh

AGENDA

1. Election of Chairman
2. Election a Vice Chairman
3. To receive apologies for absence and notification of substitutes
4. Declarations of Interest
To invite Councillors to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests or Other Disclosable Interests they may have in items on the agenda, and to confirm the nature of those interests.
5. To confirm the accuracy of the minutes of the meeting of the Electoral Matters Committee held on 11th September 2012 (Pages 1 - 2)
6. Polling Districts and Polling Places Review 2014 (Pages 3 - 22)
7. To consider any other business, details of which have been notified to the Head of Legal, Equalities and Democratic Services prior to the commencement of the meeting and which the Chairman considers to be of so urgent a nature that it cannot wait until the next meeting

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Chief Executive

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23rd October 2014



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