

Meeting:	Scrutiny Commission
Date:	Tuesday 23rd November, 2021
Time:	7.00 pm
Venue:	Council Chamber, Cedar Drive, Thrapston, NN14 4LZ

To Members of the Scrutiny Commission:

Councillors Wendy Brackenbury (Chair), Kevin Watt (Vice Chair), Matt Binley, Robin Carter, John Currall, Mark Dearing, Jim Hakewill, Philip Irwin, John McGhee, Elliot Prentice, Simon Rielly, Geoff Shacklock and Lee Wilkes

Substitutes:

Councillors Lyn Buckingham, Peter McEwan and Sarah Tubbs

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ITEM	NARRATIVE	DEADLINE
Members of the Public Agenda Statements	5 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	5pm Thursday 18 November
Member Agenda Statements	Requests to address the meeting must be received by 5pm two clear working days before the meeting. Statements must relate to matters detailed on the meeting agenda. You will have a maximum of three minutes in which to make your statement and you will make it at the start of the agenda item	5pm Thursday 18 November

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