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MEETING : OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
VENUE : COUNCIL CHAMBER, WALLFIELDS, HERTFORD
DATE : TUESDAY 10 SEPTEMBER 2024
TIME : 7.00 PM

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Councillor David Jacobs (Chair)
Councillors D Andrews, P Boylan, E Buckmaster, R Carter, N Clements,
N Cox, C Horner (Vice-Chairman), G McAndrew, S Nicholls, M Swainston,
J Thomas, G Williams and D Woolcombe

Substitutes

Conservative Group: Councillors A Holt and G Williamson
Liberal Democrat Group: Councillors S Marlow and R Townsend
Labour Group: Councillor C Redfern
Green Group: Councillors V Burt, V Smith and S Watson

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AGENDA

1. Apologies

To receive apologies for absence.

2. Minutes - 1 July 2024 (Pages 5 - 15)

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on 1 July 2024.

3. Chairman's Announcements

4. Declarations of Interest

To receive any Members' Declarations of Interest.

5. Council's response to the climate emergency (Pages 16 - 28)

Paper addressing the Overview and Scrutiny Committee's request to consider the council's response to the climate emergency, including actions the council is taking to reduce its own carbon footprint.

6. Overview and Scrutiny Committee - Draft Work Programme (Pages 29 - 33)

7. Urgent Items

To consider such other business as, in the opinion of the Chairman of the meeting, is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration and is not likely to involve the disclosure of exempt information.