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Date: 9th January 2019

Dear Sir/Madam,

A meeting of the **Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee** will be held in the **Sirhowy Room - Penallta House** on **Tuesday, 15th January, 2019** at **5.30 pm** to consider the matters contained in the following agenda. Councillors and the public wishing to speak on any item can do so by making a request to the Chair. You are also welcome to use Welsh at the meeting, both these requests require a minimum notice period of 3 working days, and a simultaneous translation will be provided if requested.

All Committee meetings are open to the Press and Public, observers and participants are asked to conduct themselves with respect and consideration for others. Please note that failure to do so will result in you being asked to leave the meetings and you may be escorted from the premises.

Yours faithfully,

Christina Harrhy
INTERIM CHIEF EXECUTIVE

AGENDA

**Pages** 

- 1 To receive apologies for absence.
- 2 Declarations of Interest.

Councillors and Officers are reminded of their responsibility to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interest(s) in respect of any business on this agenda in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000, the Council's Constitution and the Code of Conduct for both Councillors and Officers.



To approve and sign the following minutes: -

3 Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee held on 13th November 2018.

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- 4 Consideration of any matter referred to this Committee in accordance with the call-in procedure.
- 5 To receive a verbal report by the Cabinet Member(s).
- 6 Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme.

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- 7 To receive and consider the following Cabinet Reports\*: -
  - 1. Draft Budget Proposals for 2019/20 14th November 2018;
  - 2. Council Tax Base 2019/20 28th November 2018;
  - 3. Homelessness Strategy and Action Plan 2018-2022 28th November 2018;
  - 4. The National Training Framework on Violence Against Women, Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence 28th November 2018.

To receive and consider the following Scrutiny reports:-

Treasury Management Annual Strategy, Capital Finance Prudential Indicators and Minimum Revenue Policy for 2019/2020.

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9 Housing Revenue Account Charges - 2019/2020.

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10 WHQS Progress Report - Final Stages.

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11 Update on Reserves.

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<sup>\*</sup>If a member of the Scrutiny Committee wishes for any of the above Cabinet reports to be brought forward for review at the meeting please contact Rebecca Barrett, 01443 864245, by 10.00 a.m. on Monday, 14th January 2019.