

**Full Council**                      **25 July 2019**  
**Item**                                **9 (Addendum)**  
**Subject**                        **Appointment to the Independent Remuneration Panel**

In accordance with the Local Government Act 2000 and the Local Authorities (Members' Allowances) (England) Regulations 2003, the Council is required to appoint an Independent Remuneration Panel (IRP) to report and make recommendations on Members Allowances.

The IRP must comprise at least three members and Council agreed in December 2018 that the membership for the 2019/20 period should be:

<b>IRP Member</b>	<b>First Appointed</b>	<b>Term of Office</b>
Mrs Tracey Jessup	July 2013	Until 2020
Mr Paul Whitehouse	May 2015	Until 2020
Mr Colin Woods	November 2017	Until 2020

In addition, Council agreed that a fourth IRP Member should be recruited, for the 2019/20 review, for a period of three years to help build resilience and transfer of knowledge for future IRP Members once Mrs Jessup, Mr Whitehouse and Mr Woods have retired.

Following completion of the recruitment exercise, which included Mr Whitehouse (IRP Member), Mr Woods (IRP Member) and Councillor R. Turner, the Panel:

**RECOMMENDED that Farah Stehrenberger be appointed to the Independent Remuneration Panel for the Municipal Year 2019/20 and for a three year term of office for the period 2019 – 2022.**