Minutes of a meeting of the **Standards Committee** held at the **New Council Chamber - Town Hall, Reigate** on **Tuesday, 7 June 2022** at **7.30 pm**.

Present: Councillors R. Absalom, Z. Cooper, P. Harp, and N. C. Moses

Attended remotely: Councillors Lodge and Essex (Substitute)

1 Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence had been received from Councillor David Powell, the Representative for

Horley Town Council and from Councillor Ritter; Councillor Essex was attending virtually as substitute for Councillor Ritter. Apologies for absence had also been received from Joyce Hamilton, Monitoring Officer, who had been due to present agenda items 6 and 7.

2 Election of the Chair of the Committee

The Committee elected a Chair for this municipal year 2022/23. Councillor N. Moses was proposed by Councillor R. Absalom and seconded by Councillor Z. Cooper.

RESOLOVED that Councillor Nadean Moses be appointed as Chair for the municipal year 2022/23.

3 Election of the Vice-Chair of the Committee

The Committee elected a Vice-Chair for this municipal year 2022/23. Councillor P. Harp was proposed by Councillor Z. Cooper and seconded by Councillor R. Absalom.

RESOLOVED that Councillor Peter Harp be appointed as Vice-Chair for the municipal year 2022/23.

4 Minutes of the previous meeting

RESOLVED that the minutes of the previous meeting of the Committee held on 8 June 2021 be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

5 Declarations of interest

There were no declarations of interest.

6 Member Complaints 2021-22

This item was deferred to a later date, yet to be arranged, as the Monitoring Officer had been unable to attend the meeting.

7 Standards Committee Work Programme 2022-23

This item was deferred to a later date, yet to be arranged, as the Monitoring Officer had been unable to attend the meeting.

8 Urgent business

There was no urgent business.

The meeting finished at 7.38 pm