



RUSHMOOR BOROUGH COUNCIL

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

*at the Council Offices, Farnborough on
Thursday, 5th November, 2026 at 7.00 pm*

To:

Cllr Halleh Koohestani (Chair)
Cllr Kevin Betsworth (Vice-Chair)
Cllr Steve Harden (Vice-Chair)

Cllr Uttar Gurung
Cllr G.B Lyon
Cllr Mara Makunura
Cllr Sally McGuinness
Cllr Bill O'Donovan
Cllr Mike Roberts
Cllr Nicky Slater
Cllr Becky Williams

Standing Deputy

Cllr Ade Adeola
Cllr Craig Card
Cllr Leola Card

Cllr Lisa Greenway
Cllr Sharon Harvey

Cllr Steve Masterson
Cllr Rob Matthews
Cllr Sarah Spall

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A G E N D A

1. APPOINTMENTS 2026/27 –

(1) To note the Appointment of Cllr Mara Makunura as a Member of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee in place of Cllr Ade Adeola for the remainder of the 2026/27 Municipal Year. The appointment has been made by the Leader of the Conservative Group, in accordance with Standing Orders and arrangements to secure political balance.

(2) To note the appointment of Cllr Ade Adeola as a Standing Deputy of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee in place of Cllr Mara Makunura for the remainder of the 2026/27 Municipal Year. The appointment has been made by the Leader of the Conservative Group, in accordance with Standing Orders and arrangements to secure political balance.

2. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING – (Pages 1 - 6)

To confirm the Minutes of the Meeting held on 17th September, 2026 (copy attached).

3. TOWN CENTRE AND LOCAL BUSINESS SUPPORT – (Pages 7 - 12)

To receive an update, from the Economy and Growth Service Manager, Lee McQuade and Town Centres Manager, Diane Highet, on the town centres and local business support.

The Portfolio Holder for Economy, Skills and Regeneration, Cllr Julie Hall has also been invited to the meeting to answer Members questions.

4. WORK PLAN – (Pages 13 - 18)

To consider the Work Plan for the 2026/27 Municipal Year (copy attached).

MEETING REPRESENTATION

Members of the public may ask to speak at the meeting on any of the items on the agenda by writing to the Committee Administrator at the Council Offices, Farnborough by 5.00 pm two working days prior to the meeting.

Applications for items to be considered for the next meeting must be received in writing to the Committee Administrator fifteen working days prior to the meeting.
