

Member Information Service

Committee Meetings

Please note that meeting start times vary.

All meetings are IN-PERSON in the COUNCIL CHAMBER unless otherwise stated.

Meetings for January and February are listed below:

JANUARY 2024

24 January – Scrutiny Committee People and Communities @ 7pm – Please note the revised date.

~~29 January – Standards Committee @ 7pm – Please note that this meeting has been rescheduled to March.~~

FEBRUARY 2024

5 February – Cabinet @ 1pm

8 February – Planning Committee @ 4pm

15 February – District Planning Committee @ 2pm

19 February – Cabinet Grants Panel @ 1pm

20 February – Licensing Committee @ 7pm

28 February – Charity Trustees Meeting @ 6.45pm Please note this is an additional meeting.

28 February – Council @ 7pm

Democratic Services has updated your O365 calendar with the dates and times. Regular updates on the status of meetings in the forthcoming period will be provided to Members and the Council's public facing website will be continually updated.

Agendas to be considered

Scrutiny Committee People and Communities – 24 January 2024 @ 7pm

Draft Corporate Plan and Budget 2024/25

Scrutiny Committee Work Programme - People and Communities

Member Development Learning

Member Development sessions are detailed below.

Date	Time	Learning
Tues 30 Jan	6.30pm	Treasury Management - This training is aimed at Audit Committee Members, but all Members are welcome to attend.
Tues 6 Feb	6.30pm	Data / FOI - This training is for all Members to attend.
February / March	5.30pm – 8pm	Carbon Literacy Training – This training is a set course of three sessions in February or three sessions in March. Attendance is by prior agreement with Democratic Services as a set number of spaces are available.
Thurs 7 March	6.30pm	Housing - This training is for all Members to attend.

Further planning training sessions are in the process of being arranged and dates for these will be communicated by email/calendar entries as well as future MIS bulletins.

Information and News

Nominations are now open for Mid Sussex Applauds 2024.

Through eight distinct categories, the Awards seek to recognise our connections and celebrate our community. Now in its fourth year, the Awards are a chance to celebrate the heroes in the local community who do so much to make Mid Sussex such a special place to live and work. Help to give local residents the recognition they truly deserve by nominating today!

The award categories for 2024 are - Volunteer of the Year, Community Project of the Year, Young Hero of the Year, Business in the Community, Community for All Award, Environment and Climate Champion, Community Hero of the Year and Lifetime Achievement Award.

For more information, and to submit your nominations (by midnight on 18 February), please visit <https://www.midsussexapplauds.co.uk/nominations.html>

Panel Member Recruitment

Mid Sussex District Council is currently seeking local residents to join the following two independent panels and would be grateful if you could share the details with any interested residents. The closing date for applications is Thursday 29 February.

[Independent Person on Standards Committee](#) – To work alongside the Standards Committee and promote high standards in public life.

[Independent Remuneration Panel Member](#) – To advise the Council on the level and type of allowances to be paid to Councillors.

News Releases

For further information on any of the Council's press releases please contact the Press Team at press@midsussex.gov.uk. For previous articles please visit our [website](#).

19 January 2024 - [Mid Sussex District Council launch wellbeing campaign](#)