

## **Review of Standards Committee – Operational Review**

Suggested line of questioning from Standards Committee:

- Do Elected Members know what the Standards Committee does?
- How can we more effectively ensure that the public is aware of the work of Standards Committee in how District and Parish Councillors conduct themselves?
- Are the Standards Committee's processes clear and is the role of the Independent Person and the co-opted Chair of Standards Committee understood both externally by the public and internally by Elected Members?
- Does having an independent co-opted Chair add value to the work of the Standards Committee?
- Are there other work areas the Standards Committee should deal with in addition to the statutory and other remits in its current terms of reference?
- Should Standards Committee do more to engage Elected Members in their work?
- Should there be additional protocols or processes to help everyone understand the work of the Standards Committee?