Meeting	The Full Council
Date	6 October 2022
Subject	Annual Report of the Standards Committee 2021/22
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Relevant Officer	Iwan Evans, Monitoring Officer

## Background

- **1.** The Standards Committee is a statutory committee, which has been established to to promote and maintain high standards of conduct by the councillors and co-opted members of Gwynedd Council, and community and town councils in Gwynedd.
- 2. For several years now the Committee has been publishing an annual report to explain what it does and to promote its work, and presents it formally to a meeting of the Full Council. The Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021 has now introduced a statutory duty on the committee to publish an annual report and on the authority to consider it
- **3.** The Committee therefore presents this report for the Council's attention. The report will also be circulated to all the community and town councils.

### Recommendation

**4.** To accept the report

### **Statutory Officers Observations**

# **Monitoring Officer**

Responsible Officer

### **Chief Finance Officer**

Nothing to add to the report from a financial propriety perspective