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A meeting of the **Scrutiny Committee** will be held virtually on **Wednesday, 09 February 2022** at **09:30**.

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# THOMAS GLEN Chief Executive

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#### Members:

Councillor Sheila McCole (Convener)

Councillor Andrew Parrott (Vice-Convener)

Councillor Liz Barrett

**Councillor Harry Coates** 

Councillor David Illingworth

Councillor Anne Jarvis

Councillor Ian Massie

Councillor Xander McDade

Councillor Crawford Reid

Councillor Fiona Sarwar

Councillor Frank Smith

Councillor Colin Stewart

Councillor Willie Wilson

### **Scrutiny Committee**

#### Wednesday, 09 February 2022

#### **AGENDA**

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- 1 WELCOME AND APOLOGIES/SUBSTITUTES
- 2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST
- MINUTE OF MEETING OF THE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE OF 29 5 8
  NOVEMBER 2020 FOR APPROVAL AND SIGNATURE
  (copy herewith)
- 4 UPDATE BY ARMS-LENGTH EXTERNAL ORGANISATIONS
  - (i) Culture Perth and Kinross
  - (ii) Horsecross Arts Ltd
- 5 SCRUTINY REVIEWS UPDATE Note:

With relation to the agreement of the Scrutiny Committee of 9 September 2020, the Committee are advised that meetings of the scrutiny Review Sub-Group regarding the Judicial Review into the Abernyte School Closure have begun to convene, and the process is ongoing. It is asked that Committee note the following Terms of Reference for the Review, as agreed by the Sub-Group:

## Scope:

To consider the process followed, consultations and decisions made from receipt of the call-in letter from Scottish Ministers to the decision to seek permission to proceed with a judicial review;

#### Timescale:

Primarily, the period 16 July 2019 (Receipt of letter from Scottish Ministers) to 7 August 2019 (Decision to proceed with a judicial review) but also considering such further information thereafter relating to the prospects for the case, up to the date of the commencement of the hearing.

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