

Agenda Item No:	<b>6</b>	
Committee:	<b>Conduct Committee</b>	
Date:	<b>16 July 2015</b>	
Report Title:	Co-option of Town and Parish Council Representative	

## 1 Purpose / Summary

The Conduct Committee is entitled to co-opt up to two representatives from Town and Parish Councils within the District to support the work of the committee. The Committee currently has one vacancy therefore applications for this position have been sought from Town and Parish Councils.

## 2 Key issues

- The committee can co-opt up to two Town or Parish Councillors to support the work of the committee.
- The role is advisory and whilst the members may speak, raise questions and seek to influence the debate they do not have formal voting rights.
- Applications were sought in writing with a requirement that the application be supported by two other Town or Parish Councillors.
- Two applications were received.
- The Chairman of the Committee having considered the applications recommends the co-option of Councillor Andrew Donnelly of March Town Council.

## 3 Recommendations

- That Councillor Andrew Donnelly of March Town Council be co-opted to the Conduct Committee.

<b>Wards Affected</b>	All
<b>Forward Plan Reference</b>	N/A
<b>Portfolio Holder(s)</b>	Councillor Samantha Hoy, Chairman of Conduct Committee
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<b>Background Paper(s)</b>	