WYRE FOREST DISTRICT COUNCIL

SPECIAL COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER, WYRE FOREST HOUSE, FINEPOINT WAY, KIDDERMINSTER

13TH MARCH 2013 (6.45PM)

Present:

Councillors: J Aston, G W Ballinger, R Bishop, C Brewer, J-P Campion, S J M Clee, E Davies, N J Desmond, H E Dyke, P Dyke, N Gale, B T Glass, D R Godwin, J Greener, I Hardiman, P B Harrison, J A Hart, M J Hart, P V Hayward, V Higgs, A T Hingley, T Ingham, M B Kelly, N Knowles, H J Martin, D C H McCann, B McFarland, C D Nicholls, F M Oborski, T L Onslow, J Phillips, M Price, M Rayner, C Rogers, M A Salter, J A Shaw, N J Thomas, S J Williams and G C Yarranton.

C.76 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors: J W Parish, A M Sewell and D R Sheppard.

C.77 Declarations of Interests by Members

There were no declarations of interests.

C.78 Exclusion of the Press and Public

Decision: Under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items of business, on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of "exempt Information" as defined in paragraphs 8 and 9 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

C.79 Wyre Forest District Council Management Review

The Leader of the Council introduced a report from the Chief Executive regarding proposals for the implementation of a revised Management Structure for Wyre Forest District Council.

An amendment to the motion was moved; the Chief Executive left the meeting at this point, (6.57pm).

A robust debate ensued and following a show of hands the amendment was lost. The Chief Executive returned to the meeting at this point, (7.48pm).

The debate continued and upon a vote the substantive motion was carried.

Agreed:

- 1. With effect from 1st August 2013 the changes to the management structure set out in paragraph 4.5 and Appendix A of the exempt report to Council be approved.
- 2. The Director of Community Assets and Localism to amend the Constitution as appropriate to give effect to the Council's decisions.

There being no further business, the meeting ended at 8.10 p.m.