

North Yorkshire County Council

Standards Committee

4 March 2021

Members' Attendance at Committees

1.0 Purpose of the report

- 1.1 To report the record of attendance of Members of the County Council at meetings of the County Council and its Committees for the period 1 April 2019 until 31 March 2020 and 1 April 2020 to date.

2.0 Background

- 2.1 Previously, the Committee had received information as to the attendance of County Councillors at meetings of the County Council and its Committees and it was agreed that this practice should continue.

In the past the Committee has subsequently forwarded this information to the Leaders of each political group represented on the County Council.

3.0 Members' Attendance statistics

- 3.1 A copy of the overall attendance statistics for the period 1 April 2019 until 31 March 2020 and 1 April 2020 to date is attached at **Appendix 1**.
- 3.2 Although this information reflects a large proportion of the Members' attendance it does not include Members attendance at meetings of:-

National Park Authorities
The North Yorkshire Police and Fire Panel
Scrutiny Best Value Reviews and other Working Groups
Attendance at site visits
Chairs and Group Spokespersons Briefings
Other miscellaneous meetings.
Meetings of various Outside Bodies such as Charities, School Governors etc

4.0 Recommendation

- 4.1 Subject to Members' comments the report be noted.
- 4.2 That copies of the statistics be circulated to the Leaders of the Political Groups of the County Council.

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