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Agenda Item Introduction

Committee POLICY AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE FOR NEIGHBOURHOODS AND REGENERATION

Date 4 JANUARY 2024

Topic VISITOR ECONOMY

- 1. <u>Background</u>
- 1.1 The committee to consider the 2023 tourist season and marketing plans for 2024 with a presentation from Visit Isle of Wight alongside collaboration from Isle of Wight Council officers.
- 2. Focus for Scrutiny
- 2.1 What is the status of tourism on the island?
- 2.2 What have been the issues and concerns raised over the last 12 months and how can improvements be made?
- 2.3 What is the direct engagement with the Isle of Wight council and town, parish, and community councils to improve the island offer?
- 2.4 What engagement has been made with the skills sector to raise the island offer?
- 2.5 What processes are in place to support stakeholders in developing their offer?
- 2.6 What engagement is there in ensuring tourist facilities are good and well maintained?
- 2.7 What is the selection criteria for targeting advertising campaigns?
- 3. <u>Approach</u>
- 3.1 The committee to receive a verbal presentation from Visit Isle of Wight alongside collaboration from Isle of Wight Council officers.
- 4. <u>Document(s) Attached</u>
- 4.1 N/A

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