



Orkney and Shetland Valuation Joint Board



Notice of Meeting and Agenda

Venue: **Council Chamber, Lower Hillhead, Lerwick.**

Date: **Tuesday, 23 June 2026.**

Time: **14:30.**

Dear Board Member,

You are invited to attend the above meeting.

A note of the business to be considered is attached.

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Order of Business

1. Apologies.
2. Declarations of Interest.

Board Members are asked to consider whether they have an interest to declare in relation to any item on this agenda. Any member making a declaration of interest should indicate whether it is a financial or non-financial interest and include some information on the nature of the interest. Advice may be sought from Officers prior to the meeting taking place.

Draft Minutes

3. Orkney and Shetland Valuation Joint Board – Draft Minute of Meeting held on 10 March 2026 **attached**.
4. Matters Arising Log **attached**.

Finance and Audit

5. Draft Annual Accounts – report by Treasurer to the Board **to follow**.
6. External Audit Plan – report by Treasurer to the Board **attached**.
7. Internal Audit – Financial Controls – report by Chief Internal Auditor **attached**.
8. Internal Audit Annual Report and Opinion – report by Chief Internal Auditor **attached**.

Governance

9. Long Service Award Policy – report by Assessor and Electoral Registration Officer **attached**.
10. Best Value Performance Report – report by Assessor and Electoral Registration Officer **attached**.
11. Best Value – Progress Report – report by Assessor and Electoral Registration Officer **attached**.

Meeting Dates

12. Date of Next Meeting – 28 September 2026 (provisionally in Orkney).

Remaining Dates for 2026:

- 1 December 2026 at 14:00 (virtual).