

## **FC66. Motions**

Two motions had been submitted. Agenda item 13(a) referred to matters reserved to Council. Agenda item 13(b) referred to matters within the remit of the Executive. The Provost advised that in accordance with Standing Order 31.1 he determined that item 13(b) stood referred to the Executive.

Council considered the following motion by Councillor Black, seconded by Councillor Blackwood, that:-

Council recognises that effective scrutiny is crucial to raising standards and ensuring that service deliver the right outcomes for the communities in which we serve.

Council notes that there are issues within the current system that are making effective, timely scrutiny difficult.

Council therefore asks the Chief Executive, Chief Governance Officer, Head of Policy and elected member from each group, to look at a review of the structure, governance and development of scrutiny within Falkirk Council. With a view to provide the resources and infrastructure, for councillors to carry out their scrutiny role effectively, and that the Chief Executive reports back to Council on the outcome of the group's consideration.

### **Decision**

**Council agreed the motion.**