

## STANDARDS PANEL DECISION NOTICE

<b>COUNCILLOR'S NAME</b>	Mr Michael Lowe
<b>Elected as a Councillor</b>	7 May 2019
<b>Resigned as a Councillor</b>	5 July 2021
<b>TYPE</b>	Appeal
<b>PANEL MEMBERS</b>	Jake Bharier – Chairperson and independent person for standards Councillor Jenny Bartlett Councillor Christy Bolderson Councillor Peter Jinman Councillor Richard Gething, Herefordshire Association of Local Councils (HALC) nominated representative
<b>DATE OF MEETING</b>	11 March 2022

The standards panel considered an appeal by former Councillor M Lowe, Ballingham, Bolstone and Hentland Parish Council 25 May 2021 against a decision of the deputy monitoring officer dated 27 April 2021.

The Panel found that there had been a breach of the Councillor's Code of Conduct. However, due to the resignation and personal circumstances of Mr Lowe, it is considered by the deputy monitoring officer that it is not in the public interest to disclose any further information.