



Council

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**Subject: Appointment of Committees**

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Purpose / Summary:

This report sets out the wishes expressed by political groups in respect of appointment of Members to serve on the Committees of the Council.

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

- (1) That the rules relating to proportionality be suspended in relation to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee; and**
- (2) In accordance with the provisions of section 16 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 and the wishes expressed by political groups, Members be appointed to serve to the Council's Committees for the remainder of 2019/2020 civic year.**

## IMPLICATIONS

**Legal:**

In accordance with the provisions of section 16 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 and the wishes expressed by political groups

**Financial : FIN/10/20**

None from this report

**Staffing :**

None directly arising as a result of this report.

**Equality and Diversity including Human Rights :**

None.

**Data Protection Implications :**

**Climate Related Risks and Opportunities: N/A**

**Section 17 Crime and Disorder Considerations:**

**Health Implications:**

**Title and Location of any Background Papers used in the preparation of this report :**

Notices received from the Group Leaders on the allocation of Committee/ Sub-Committee places – documents available from the Guildhall, Gainsborough (on request).

**Risk Assessment : N/A**

**Call in and Urgency:**

**Is the decision one which Rule 14.7 of the Scrutiny Procedure Rules apply?**

i.e. is the report exempt from being called in due to urgency (in consultation with C&I chairman)

**Yes**

**No**

**Key Decision:**

A matter which affects two or more wards, or has significant financial implications

**Yes**

**No**

## **1. Introduction**

- 1.1 In accordance with the provision of section 16 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989, it is the duty of the Council to make appointments to Committees in accordance with the wishes expressed by political groups following the determination under section 15 (the allocation of seats to political groups).
- 1.2 Section 2 details the wishes expressed by the political groups.

## **2. Appointment of Committees**

### **2.1 Chief Officer Employment Committee (13 Members)**

Councillor Owen Bierley  
Councillor Jackie Brockway  
Councillor Stephen Bunney  
Councillor Mick Devine  
Councillor Cherie Hill  
Councillor Angela Lawrence  
Councillor Giles McNeill  
Councillor John McNeill  
Councillor Diana Rodgers  
Councillor Lesley Rollings  
Councillor Anne Welburn  
Councillor Angela White  
Councillor Trevor Young

### **2.2 Corporate Policy and Resources Committee (13 Members)**

Councillor Owen Bierley  
Councillor Matthew Boles  
Councillor Stephen Bunney  
Councillor David Cotton  
Councillor Mick Devine  
Councillor Ian Fleetwood  
Councillor Paul Howitt-Cowan  
Councillor Giles McNeill  
Councillor John McNeill  
Councillor Mandy Snee  
Councillor Robert Waller  
Councillor Anne Welburn  
Councillor Trevor Young

### **2.3 Governance and Audit Committee (7 Members)**

Councillor Jackie Brockway  
Councillor Tracey Coulson  
Councillor David Dobbie

Councillor Chris Darcel  
Councillor Caralyne Grimble  
Councillor John McNeill  
Councillor Angela White

**2.4 Licensing Committee (11 Members)**

Councillor David Cotton  
Councillor Tim Davies  
Councillor Caralyne Grimble  
Councillor Paul Howitt-Cowan  
Councillor Angela Lawrence  
Councillor Cordelia McCartney  
Councillor Jessie Milne  
Councillor Judy Rainsforth  
Councillor Jim Snee  
Councillor Jeff Summers  
Councillor Lewis Strange

**2.5 Regulatory Committee (11 Members)**

Councillor David Cotton  
Councillor Tim Davies  
Councillor Caralyne Grimble  
Councillor Paul Howitt-Cowan  
Councillor Angela Lawrence  
Councillor Cordelia McCartney  
Councillor Jessie Milne  
Councillor Judy Rainsforth  
Councillor Jim Snee  
Councillor Jeff Summers  
Councillor Lewis Strange

**2.6 Planning Committee (15 Members)**

Councillor Owen Bierley  
Councillor Matthew Boles  
Councillor David Cotton  
Councillor Mick Devine  
Councillor Jane Ellis  
Councillor Ian Fleetwood  
Councillor Cherie Hill  
Councillor Paul Howitt-Cowan  
Councillor Cordelia McCartney  
Councillor Jessie Milne  
Councillor Keith Panter  
Councillor Roger Patterson  
Councillor Judy Rainsforth

Councillor Robert Waller  
Councillor Angela White

## **2.7 Prosperous Communities Committee (15 Members)**

Councillor Owen Bierley  
Councillor Stephen Bunney  
Councillor Tracey Coulson  
Councillor Chris Darcel  
Councillor Mick Devine  
Councillor Paul Howitt-Cowan  
Councillor John McNeill  
Councillor Jessie Milne  
Councillor Judy Rainsforth  
Councillor Tom Regis  
Councillor Jim Snee  
Councillor Mandy Snee  
Councillor Robert Waller  
Councillor Anne Welburn  
Councillor Trevor Young

## **3. Suspension of Political Balance**

The Council can, by way of a separate vote, agree to not apply the provisions of the Local Government (Committees and Political Groups) Regulations 1990 to a Committee or Committees. Requests have been received that the Overview and Scrutiny Committee be not politically balanced.

The proposed unbalanced Committee Membership is set out below.

### **3.1 Overview and Scrutiny Committee (12 members)**

Councillor Liz Clewes  
Councillor David Dobbie  
Councillor Jane Ellis  
Councillor Caralyne Grimble  
Councillor Cherie Hill  
Councillor Angela Lawrence  
Councillor Keith Panter  
Councillor Roger Patterson  
Councillor Diana Rodgers  
Councillor Lesley Rollings  
Councillor Lewis Strange  
Councillor Angela White