



Council

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Subject: Appointment of Members to the Committees for the remainder of the 2025/26 Civic Year

Report by:

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Purpose / Summary:

This report sets out the wishes expressed by political groups in respect of the appointment of Members to serve on the Committees of the Council for the remainder of the civic year 2025/2026 as result of the allocations having been amended under Section 15 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989.

RECOMMENDATION(S):

- (1) 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 on the Council's Committees for the remainder of the 2025/2026 civic year as set out within this report or provided verbally at the meeting.**

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: None directly arising from this report

Staffing: None directly arising from this report

Equality and Diversity including Human Rights: None directly arising from this report

Data Protection Implications: None directly arising from this report

Climate Related Risks and Opportunities: None directly arising from this report

Section 17 Crime and Disorder Considerations: None directly arising from this report

Health Implications: None directly arising from this report

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

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No

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Key Decision:

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

Yes

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No

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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 (11 Members)

Councillor Eve Bennett
Councillor Trevor Bridgwood
Councillor Owen Bierley
Councillor Jackie Brockway
Councillor Paul Howitt-Cowan
Councillor Paul Key
Councillor Peter Morris
Councillor Maureen Palmer
Councillor Lesley Rollings
Councillor Mandy Snee
Councillor Moira Westley

2.2 Corporate Policy and Resources Committee (11 Members)

Councillor Owen Bierley
Councillor Matthew Boles
Councillor Frazer Brown
Councillor Ian Fleetwood
Councillor Paul Key
Councillor Jeanette McGhee
Councillor Tom Smith
Councillor Paul Swift
Councillor Moira Westley
Councillor Baptiste Velan
Councillor Trevor Young

2.3 Governance and Audit Committee (8 Members)

Councillor Stephen Bunney
Councillor Trevor Bridgwood
Councillor John Barrett
Councillor Chris Darcel
Councillor David Dobbie
Councillor Angela Lawrence
Councillor Paul Swift
Councillor (Admin Group)

2.4 Licensing Committee (11 Members)

Councillor John Barrett
Councillor Eve Bennett
Councillor Karen Carless
Councillor Angela Lawrence
Councillor Paul Lee
Councillor Maureen Palmer
Councillor Lesley Rollings
Councillor Jim Snee
Councillor Mandy Snee
Councillor Trevor Young
Councillor (Admin Group)

2.5 Regulatory Committee (11 Members)

Councillor John Barrett
Councillor Eve Bennett
Councillor Karen Carless
Councillor Angela Lawrence
Councillor Paul Lee
Councillor Maureen Palmer
Councillor Lesley Rollings
Councillor Jim Snee
Councillor Mandy Snee
Councillor Trevor Young
Councillor (Admin Group)

2.6 Planning Committee (11 Members)

Councillor John Barrett
Councillor Matthew Boles
Councillor Karen Carless
Councillor David Dobbie
Councillor Jacob Flear
Councillor Ian Fleetwood
Councillor Sabastian Hague
Councillor Peter Morris
Councillor Tom Smith
Councillor Jim Snee
Councillor(Admin Group)

2.7 Prosperous Communities Committee (11 Members)

Councillor Emma Bailey
Councillor Owen Bierley
Councillor Frazer Brown
Councillor Stephen Bunney
Councillor Chris Darcel
Councillor Jacob Flear
Councillor Sabastian Hague
Councillor Paul Lee
Councillor Lesley Rollings
Councillor Tom Smith
Councillor(Admin Group)

2.8 Overview and Scrutiny Committee (11 members)

Councilor Stephen Bunney
Councillor David Dobbie
Councillor Jacob Flear
Councillor Paul Howitt-Cowan
Councillor Jeannette McGhee
Councillor Peter Morris
Councillor Lynda Mullally
Councillor Maureen Palmer
Councillor Roger Patterson
Councillor Roger Pilgrim
Councillor Mandy Snee

2.9 Standards Committee (8 Members)

Councillor Emma Bailey
Councillor Trevor Bridgwood
Councillor Jackie Brockway
Councillor Karen Carless
Councillor Adam Duguid
Councillor Diana Rodgers
Councillor Mandy Snee
Councillor Baptiste Velan