

Appendix B

Political Make-up of the Council, on which calculations have been based: -

Political balance on the Council		
Group	No.	%
Lib Dem	17	47.2222%
Conservative	14	38.8889%
Lins Ind	2	5.5556%
Consensus Ind	3	8.3333%
Vacant	0	0.0000%
Council of	36	100%

Number of Seats allocated to each Group based on vary size Committees and rounding applied for each individual Ordinary Committee.

Single committee spread (or sub-committee)											
Committee Size	% LD	Rounded to whole	Con		LI		Cons Ind		Vacant		check
18	8.500	8 or 9	7.000	7	1.000	1	1.500	1 or 2	0.000	0	#VALUE!
17	8.028	8	6.611	7	0.944	1	1.417	1	0.000	0	17
16	7.556	7 or 8	6.222	6	0.889	1	1.333	1	0.000	0	#VALUE!
15	7.083	7	5.833	6	0.833	1	1.250	1	0.000	0	15
14	6.611	7	5.444	5	0.778	1	1.167	1	0.000	0	14
13	6.139	6	5.056	5	0.722	1	1.083	1	0.000	0	13
12	5.667	6	4.667	4 or 5	0.667	1	1.000	1	0.000	0	#VALUE!
11	5.194	5	4.278	4	0.611	1	0.917	1	0.000	0	11
10	4.722	5	3.889	4	0.556	0 or 1	0.833	1	0.000	0	#VALUE!
9	4.250	4	3.500	3 or 4	0.500	0 or 1	0.750	1	0.000	0	#VALUE!
8	3.778	4	3.111	3	0.444	0	0.667	1	0.000	0	8
7	3.306	3	2.722	3	0.389	0	0.583	1	0.000	0	7
6	2.833	3	2.333	2	0.333	0	0.500	0 or 1	0.000	0	#VALUE!
5	2.361	2	1.944	2	0.278	0	0.417	0	0.000	0	4
4	1.889	2	1.556	1 or 2	0.222	0	0.333	0	0.000	0	#VALUE!
3	1.417	1	1.167	1	0.167	0	0.250	0	0.000	0	2

Selected Committee Size Option and Balance Across Total Number of Ordinary Committees

Fig 1

V4 Committees (exc O&S)	Places	LD	C	LI	CI	check
Prosperous Communities	11	5	4	1	1	11
Corporate Policy and Resources	11	5	4	1	1	11
Governance and Audit	6	3	2	0	1	6
Planning	11	5	4	1	1	11
Chief Officer Employment	11	5	4	1	1	11
Standards	6	3	2	0	1	6
Total	56.00	26	20	4	6	56
Number of committees requiring variation to achieve overall balance of:		none	plus 2	minus 1	minus 1	
		26	22	3	5	

Fig 2

GROUP	Proportion	% of C/I	Rounded to whole	% comparator of whole numbers
Lib Dem	26.4320	0.4720	26	47.2
Conservati	21.7784	0.3889	22	38.8
Con Ind	4.6665	0.0833	5	8.3
Lincs Ind	3.1111	0.0556	3	5.5
	56.00		56	

TABLE 1 –

ORDINARY COMMITTEES SPLIT PER GROUP HAVING APPLIED ANY VARIATIONS REQUIRED AND AGREED BY GROUP LEADERS (shown in red circle in Fig 1)

	LDA	OGrp	LI	CI	Total
Prosperous Communities (11)	5	4	1	1	11
Corporate Policy and Resources (11)	5	4	1	1	11
Governance and Audit (6)	3	2 (+1)	0	1 (0)*	6
Planning (11)	5	4 (+1)	1 (0)*	1	11
Chief Officer Employment (11)	5	4	1	1	11
Standards (6)	3	2	0	1	6
Total no. of seats (56)	26	22	3	5	56

***These are the seats which the smaller groups have offered up in trading to the Opposition Group (resulting in the +1) to meet the Political balance equation (shown in red circle in Fig 1)**

TABLE 2 – NON-ORDINARY COMMITTEES

WITH POLITICAL BALANCE APPLIED	LDA	OGrp	LI	CI	Total
Overview and Scrutiny Committee (13)	6	5	1	1	13

TABLE 3

	LDA	OGrp	LI	CI	Total
Licensing (13)	6	5	1	1	13
Regulatory (13)	6	5	1	1	13
Total no. of seats (26)	12	10	2	2	26

Note the membership of the two committees above has to be identical

Licensing Committees must comprise at least 10 Members in accordance with the LA 2003

These meetings do not have to be politically balanced.