

# NOTICE OF MEETING

Meeting:	Staffing Committee
Date and Time:	Tuesday 21 November 2023 7.00 pm
Place:	Council Chamber
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Members:	Makepeace-Browne (Chairman), Bailey, Butler, Crampton, Farmer, Neighbour, Radley, Woods and Worlock

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# AGENDA

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- 1 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (Pages 4 9)

The Minutes of the meeting held on 4 April 2023 are attached to be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

# 2 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive any apologies for absence from Members\*.

**\*Note:** Members are asked to email Committee Services in advance of the meeting as soon as they become aware they will be absent.

## **3 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

To declare disposable pecuniary, and any other interests\*.

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## 4 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

## 5 EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

The following agenda items contain exempt information.

#### Recommendation

Members must decide whether the public interest in maintaining an exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

It is suggested that, in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded during the discussion of the matters referred to, on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information, as defined in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act, and the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

## **6 UPDATE ON STAFF RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION** (Pages 10 - 25)

This report looks at staff vacancies, recruitment, and staff benefits, including salaries. It recommends that the Council manage job evaluation (JE) schemes internally using the National Joint Council (NJC) JE Scheme for Local Government Services and the Joint National Council (JNC) Senior Manager JE Scheme for Chief Officers. This will replace the existing HAY JE scheme and save costs.

# 7 **REVIEW OF MANAGEMENT RESOURCES** (Pages 26 - 58)

This report reflects upon the staffing and management impact of the significant leadership changes arising from the 'Tier 2' saving initiative agreed by Council in November 2021 and the subsequent decision in September 2022 to move to a single Chief Executive model.

## Recommendation

Staffing Committee to support the action points identified in paragraphs 20-25 of this report.

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