Monday, 9 May 2022

Adjourned Annual Meeting of the Council

Dear Member

I am pleased to invite you to attend the Adjourned Annual Meeting of Torbay Council which will be held in **The Forum**, **Riviera International Conference Centre**, **Chestnut Avenue**, **Torquay**, **TQ2 5LZ** on **Tuesday**, **17 May 2022** commencing at **5.30 pm**

The items to be discussed at this meeting are attached.

Yours sincerely,

Anne-Marie Bond Chief Executive

(All members are summoned to attend the meeting of the Council in accordance with the requirements of the Local Government Act 1972 and Standing Orders A5.)

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Adjourned Annual Meeting of the Council Agenda

1. Apologies for absence

2. Declarations of interests

(a) To receive declarations of non pecuniary interests in respect of items on this agenda

For reference: Having declared their non pecuniary interest members may remain in the meeting and speak and, vote on the matter in question. A completed disclosure of interests form should be returned to the Clerk before the conclusion of the meeting.

(b) To receive declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests in respect of items on this agenda

For reference: Where a Member has a disclosable pecuniary interest he/she must leave the meeting during consideration of the item. However, the Member may remain in the meeting to make representations, answer questions or give evidence if the public have a right to do so, but having done so the Member must then immediately leave the meeting, may not vote and must not improperly seek to influence the outcome of the matter. A completed disclosure of interests form should be returned to the Clerk before the conclusion of the meeting.

(**Please Note:** If Members and Officers wish to seek advice on any potential interests they may have, they should contact Governance Support or Legal Services prior to the meeting.)

3. Appointment of Overview and Scrutiny Co-ordinator and Scrutiny Lead Members

To appoint the Overview and Scrutiny Co-ordinator and the:

- Overview and Scrutiny Lead for Children's Services
- Overview and Scrutiny Lead for Adults and Public Health
- Overview and Scrutiny Lead for Place
- Overview and Scrutiny Lead for Corporate and Community Services.

(Note: Cabinet members shall not be appointed as the Overview and Scrutiny Co-ordinator or Overview and Scrutiny Leads.)

4. Appointments to Council Committees and Working Parties and Appointment of Committee Chairmen/women and Vice-Chairmen/women for 2022/2023

To consider a report that seeks to appoint the Council's committees, working parties, Chairmen/women and Vice-Chairmen/women for the 2022/2023 Municipal Year.

(Pages 5 - 28)

5. Composition and Constitution of the Cabinet and Record of Delegations of Executive Functions

(Pages 29 - 33)

To receive details from the Leader of the Council of the composition and constitution of the Cabinet for 2019/2020, together with the record of delegations of Executive functions (in accordance with Standing Order C2).

6. Scheme of Delegation for Council Functions

To agree the scheme of delegation for Council functions as set out in Part 3 of the Constitution in so far as they relate to Council functions.

Torbay Council's Constitution

7. Members' questions

(Pages 34 - 35)

To respond to the submitted questions asked under Standing Order A12.

8. Temporary Accommodation Sufficiency Strategy

(Pages 36 - 58)

To consider the recommendations of the Cabinet on proposals to address the critical need for the provision of temporary accommodation for families in Torbay.

9. Joint Statement of Conduct by Elected Members

(To Follow)

To consider a report that seeks the adoption a Joint Statement of Conduct for all elected Members.

10. Appointment of Independent Person

(Pages 59 - 60)

To consider a report that seeks to appoint a new Independent Person.

11. Overview and Scrutiny Board Annual Report 2021/2022

(Pages 61 - 76)

To receive the Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2021/2022.

12. Standing Order D11 (in relation to Overview and Scrutiny) - Call-in and Urgency

(Pages 77 - 78)

To note the schedule of Executive decisions to which the call-in procedure does not apply.

Meeting Attendance

Torbay Council has taken the decision to continue operating in a Covid-19 secure manner in order to protect staff and visitors entering Council buildings and to help reduce the spread of Covid-19 in Torbay. This includes social distancing and other protective measures (e.g. wearing a face covering whilst moving around the building (unless exempt), the face covering can be removed once seated and using hand sanitiser). Our public meetings will continue to operate with social distancing measures in place and as such

there are limited numbers that can access our meeting rooms. If you have symptoms, including runny nose, sore throat, fever, new continuous cough and loss of taste and smell please do not come to the meeting.

If you wish to attend a public meeting, please contact us to confirm arrangements for your attendance.

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