

Monday, 14 March 2022

CABINET

A meeting of **Cabinet** will be held on

Tuesday, 22 March 2022

commencing at **5.30 pm**

The meeting will be held in the Meadfoot Room, Town Hall, Castle Circus,
Torquay, TQ1 3DR

Members of the Committee

Councillor Steve Darling (Chairman)

Councillor Carter

Councillor Long

Councillor Cowell

Councillor Morey

Councillor Law

Councillor Stockman

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CABINET AGENDA

1. **Apologies**
To receive apologies for absence.
2. **Minutes** (Pages 4 - 10)
To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Cabinet held on 22 February 2022.
3. **Disclosure 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.)
4. **Communications**
To receive any communications or announcements from the Leader of the Council.
5. **Urgent Items**
To consider any other items the Chairman decides are urgent.
6. **Torbay Young Carers Under 25 Strategy** (Pages 11 - 51)
To consider a report that seeks approval of the Torbay Young Carers Under 25 Strategy.
7. **Devon, Plymouth and Torbay County Deal - Current position and appointment of Advisory Board** (Pages 52 - 63)
To consider a report that provides the current position in relation to the development of a County Deal for Devon, Plymouth and Torbay and sets out how members of the Council will be involved as discussions and negotiations continue over the coming months.

8. **Carbon Neutral Council Programme** (Pages 64 - 141)
To consider a report that seeks approval for two key elements of the approved Carbon Neutral Torbay Approach.
9. **Draft Torbay Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2022-26** (Pages 142 - 161)
To consider a report that seeks approval to undertake consultation on the Draft Torbay Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2022-26.
10. **Review of Torbay's Housing Crisis - Report of the Overview and Scrutiny Board** (Pages 162 - 175)
To consider the recommendations of the Overview and Scrutiny Board on the Review of Torbay's Housing Crisis and formally respond to the recommendations contained within the submitted report.
11. **Empty Homes Policy** (Pages 176 - 201)
To consider a report that seeks approval of the Empty Homes Policy.
12. **Budget Monitoring 2021/22 - Period 10 (April - January) Revenue Outturn Forecast and Quarter 3 (Period 9, to December) Capital Outturn Forecast** (Pages 202 - 227)
To consider a report that provides a high-level budget summary of the Council's revenue and capital position for the financial year 2021/22.

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 (unless exempt), signing in 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. Also, to help prevent the spread of the virus, anyone attending meetings is asked to take Covid lateral flow test the evening before - if you have a positive test result please follow the Government's guidelines and do not attend the meeting.

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