Record of Decisions

Annual Pay Policy including Gender Pay Gap Report

Decision Taker

Cabinet on 22 February 2022.

Decision

That Council be recommended to approve:

- 1) the Torbay Council Annual Pay Policy Statement 2022/23 as set out in Appendix 1 to the submitted report be approved for publication;
- 2) the Torbay Council Gender Pay Gap Report, contained within the Annual Pay Policy Statement 2022/23 in Appendix 1 be approved for publication; and
- 3) the Employers Pensions Discretions set out in Appendix 2 to the submitted report be approved for publication.

Reason for the Decision

To meet the statutory requirements to review these reports and policies.

Implementation

The recommendations of the Cabinet will be considered at the Council meeting on 3 March 2022.

Information

The submitted report set out the Council's Annual Pay Policy Statement, as required under Section 38 (1) of the Localism Act 2011. It was noted that the pay policy statement drew together the Council's overarching policies on pay and conditions and would be published on the Councils Website. The report also set out the annual review of pensions discretions as required by the Local Government Pension Scheme Regulations. In addition, the report set out details of the Council's gender pay gap data as required by the Equality Act 2010 (Specific Duties and Public Authorities) Regulations 2017.

At the meeting Councillor Carter proposed and Councillor Cowell seconded a motion that was agreed unanimously by the Cabinet, as set out above.

Alternative Options considered and rejected at the time of the decision

None.

Is this a Key Decision?

Yes

Does the call-in procedure apply?

No

Declarations of interest (including details of any relevant dispensations issued by the Standards Committee)

None.

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Signed:

Date: _____

Leader of Torbay Council on behalf of the Cabinet