

Appointment of Outside Bodies 2023 to 2027

Introduction:

The Council's Constitution, Local Protocol on Relations between Leader and Political Group states (para 6.3):

Each political group will be entitled to nominate members to a proportionate number of seats on outside organisations. However, where the outside organisation requests a specific role (e.g. a relevant Cabinet Member) the Council should accede to the request other than in exceptional circumstances. Appointments to outside organisations are made every four years following a local government election and will not normally be reviewed after a change of political balance during the four year period. The Chief Executive has delegated authority to determine any new appointments within the four year period.

Political Balance:

The Council makes a total of 90 appointments to organisations and associations. Those organisations which have requested a specific role are shown in brackets in the table below. The remaining number of appointments is 33 and the political balance calculations are set out below:

Councillors	No	%	No of appointments per group
Conservative	19	52.78%	17
Liberal Democrat	15	41.67%	14
Independent Grp	2	5.56%	2
TOTAL	36	100.00%	33

Outside Bodies Appointments:

*Specific requests from organisations for appointments shown in brackets and excluded from political balance calculation

Name of Outside Body	*No of Appts	Council Representative
Adults Social Care Improvement Board	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Adults and Health
Board of Torbay Culture	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Culture
Children and Young People's Plan Strategic Partnership	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Children's Services
Community Infrastructure Levy Spend Board	(3)	Leader of the Council, Cabinet Member responsible for Finance and Cabinet Member responsible for Place Services and Economic Growth

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Name of Outside Body	*No of Appts	Council Representative
Community Safety Partnership Board	(2)	Cabinet Member responsible for Community Safety and the Council's Representative on the Police and Crime Panel (Note: A request has been made for the same representative to be on the Police and Crime Panel as one of the representatives on the Community Safety Partnership Board as there is a link to both roles)
Devon and Cornwall Police and Crime Panel	1	1 Member to be nominated by the Conservative Group (Note: A request has been made for the same representative to be on the Police and Crime Panel as one of the representatives on the Community Safety Partnership Board as there is a link to both roles)
Devon and Severn Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority	(1)	Chair of the Harbour Committee
Devon and Somerset Fire and Rescue Authority	2	2 members nominated by the Conservative Group
Devon Audit Partnership	(2)	Chair and Vice-Chair of the Audit Committee
Devon Authorities Strategic Waste (Joint) Committee	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Waste
Devon County Council - Investment and Pension Fund Committee	1	1 Member to be nominated by the Conservative Group
Devon Rail Forum	1	1 Member to be nominated by the Conservative Group
Devon, Somerset and Torbay Trading Standards Joint Review Panel	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Environmental Health
English Riviera Geopark Organisation (ERGO) Management Group	(2)	Cabinet Members responsible for Environment and Tourism
Great South West Partnership Board	(1)	Leader of the Council
Heart of the South West (HotSW) Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP) Joint Scrutiny Committee	(2)	Overview and Scrutiny Co-ordinator and Vice-Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Board
Heart of the South West Joint Committee	(1)	Leader of the Council
Local Government Association General Assembly	3	2 Members to be nominated by the Conservative Group and 1 Member to be nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group
Local Government Association Coastal Special Interest Group (SIG)	(1)	Leader of the Council or relevant Cabinet Member
Local Government Association Unitary Councils Network	(1)	Leader of the Council

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Local Safeguarding Adults Board	(2)	Cabinet Member responsible for Adults and Health and the Scrutiny Lead with portfolio for Adults and Health
Local Safeguarding Children's Board	(2)	Cabinet Member responsible for Children and the Scrutiny Lead with portfolio for Children
One Devon Partnership Board	(1)	Leader of the Council
PATROL (Parking and Traffic Regulations Outside London) Joint Committee	1	1 Member to be nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group
Regional Adoption Agency Joint Scrutiny Group	(2)	Overview and Scrutiny Co-ordinator and Scrutiny Lead with portfolio for Children
South Devon Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (AONB) Partnership Committee	1	1 Member to be nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group
South West Councils	(1)	Leader of the Council
South West Councils Employers Panel	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Human Resources
South West Devon Waste Partnership (Joint Working Committee)	1 + (1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Waste and 1 Member to be nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group
South West Regional Flood and Coastal Committee	1	1 Member to be nominated by the Conservative Group
Sport Torbay	3	1 Member to be nominated by the Conservative Group, 1 Member to be nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group and 1 Member to be nominated by the Independent Group
SWISCo Customer Liaison Panel	3 + (1)	Scrutiny Lead with portfolio for SWISCo/Place, plus 1 Member to be nominated by the Conservative Group, 1 Member to be nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group and 1 Member nominated by the Independent Group
SWISCo Shareholder Panel	(3)	Leader of the Council, Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member responsible for SWISCo
TDA Shareholder Panel	(2)	Leader and Deputy Leader of the Council
Torbay and South Devon NHS Foundation Trust - Board of Directors	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Adults and Health
Torbay and South Devon NHS Foundation Trust Council of Governors	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Health
Torbay Bus Enhanced Partnership Board	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Transport.
Torbay Bus Forum	3	2 Members to be nominated by the Conservative Group and 1 Member to be nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group

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Torbay Climate Partnership	3	2 Members to be nominated by the Conservative Group and 1 Member to be nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group
Torbay Economic Development Company Ltd	2 + (1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Regeneration, 1 Member nominated by the Conservative Group and 1 Member nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group
Torbay Flood Steering Group	(2)	Cabinet Member responsible for Environment and the Council's representative on the South West Regional Flood and Coastal Committee
Torbay Local Outbreak Engagement Board	2 + (2)	Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member responsible for Health, plus 2 Members of the Liberal Democrat Group
Torbay Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education (SACRE)	3 + (1)	Cabinet Member for Children, plus 1 Members nominated by the Conservative Group and 2 Member nominated by the Liberal Democrat Group
Torbay Youth Trust	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Children
TorVista Shareholder Panel	(2)	Leader of the Council and Deputy Leader of the Council
Torquay Town Deal and Paignton Future High Streets Steering Group	(5)	Leader of the Council, Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member responsible for Place Services and Economic Growth, Cabinet Member who is also a Paignton Ward Councillor, plus Leaders of other political Groups on the Council or their representative (Councillor Steve Darling and Councillor Cowell)
Town Board	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Place Services and Economic Growth
Transport for the South West Peninsula Sub-National Transport Body	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Transport
Virtual School Governing Body	2	1 Member nominated by the Conservative Group and 1 Member nominated by the Liberal Democrat (recommended one appointment to also a member of the Corporate Parent Members Group)
Vision Zero South West	(1)	Cabinet Member responsible for Transport