

Improving People's Lives

Corporate Policy Development and Scrutiny Panel

Date: Monday, 1st February, 2021

Time: 4.00 pm

Venue: https://www.youtube.com/bathnescouncil

Councillors: Paul Myers, Winston Duguid, Mark Elliott, Andrew Furse, Hal MacFie, Alastair Singleton, Shaun Hughes, Karen Warrington and Lucy Hodge

Panel pre-meet at 3.30pm



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AGENDA

- WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS
- APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS
- DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

At this point in the meeting declarations of interest are received from Members in any of the agenda items under consideration at the meeting. Members are asked to indicate:

- (a) The agenda item number in which they have an interest to declare.
- (b) The nature of their interest.
- (c) Whether their interest is a disclosable pecuniary interest <u>or</u> an other interest, (as defined in Part 2, A and B of the Code of Conduct and Rules for Registration of Interests)

Any Member who needs to clarify any matters relating to the declaration of interests is recommended to seek advice from the Council's Monitoring Officer or a member of his staff before the meeting to expedite dealing with the item during the meeting.

- 4. TO ANNOUNCE ANY URGENT BUSINESS AGREED BY THE CHAIRMAN
- 5. ITEMS FROM THE PUBLIC OR COUNCILLORS TO RECEIVE DEPUTATIONS, STATEMENTS, PETITIONS OR QUESTIONS RELATING TO THE BUSINESS OF THIS MEETING

At the time of publication no notifications had been received.

- 6. MINUTES (Pages 5 12)
- 7. CABINET MEMBER UPDATE

The Cabinet Member will update the Panel on any relevant issues. Panel members may ask questions on the update provided.

 DRAFT BUDGET & COUNCIL TAX 2021/22 AND FINANCIAL OUTLOOK (Pages 13 -40)

This report presents the draft revenue and capital budgets together with proposals for Council Tax and Adult Social Care Precept for 2021/22. Annex 1 is marked 'to follow' and will be circulated separately.

A BRIEFING ON THE GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE FOR LOCAL AUTHORITY COMPANIES There will be a briefing on the governance structure for Local Authority companies. There will be a presentation at the meeting. Panel Members may ask questions and also consider the next steps for any scrutiny of such companies.

10. PANEL WORKPLAN (Pages 41 - 44)

This report presents the latest workplan for the Panel. Any suggestions for further items or amendments to the current programme will be logged and scheduled in consultation with the Panel's Chair and supporting officers.

The Committee Administrator for this meeting is Michaela Gay who can be contacted on michaela_gay@bathnes.gov.uk, 01225 394411.