

Cabinet

A meeting of the Cabinet will be held at the Forum, Towcester, NN12 6AF on Tuesday 11 April 2023 at 6.00 pm

Agenda

Public Session	
1.	Apologies for Absence and Notification of Substitute Members
2.	Declarations of Interest
	Members are asked to declare any interest and the nature of that interest which they may have in any of the items under consideration at this meeting.
3.	Minutes (Pages 5 - 10)
	To confirm the minutes of the meeting of Cabinet held on 7 March 2023.
4.	Chair's Announcements
	To receive communications from the Chair.
5.	Urgent Business
	The Chairman to advise whether they have agreed to any items of urgent business being admitted to the agenda.
6.	Report from the Overview and Scrutiny Committee (if any)
7.	Planning Advisory Service - Planning Peer Review (Pages 11 - 42)
8.	Community Grants Framework (Pages 43 - 64)

9.	Private Sector Housing Enforcement and Civil Penalties Policy (Pages 65 - 124)
10.	Replacement of existing contract for WNC's main Housing Management System 'OpenHousing' (Pages 125 - 128)
11.	A43 Northampton - Kettering Improvements Phase 3 (Pages 129 - 138)
12.	2023/24 Bus Subsidy Budget (Pages 139 - 144)
13.	Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman Report (Pages 145 - 164)
14.	SACRE Annual Report (Pages 165 - 174)
15.	Consolidating printers into a single contract (Pages 175 - 180)
16.	Consolidating phone lines into a single contract (Pages 181 - 186)
17.	Exclusion of the Press and Public
	In respect of the following items the Chairman may move the resolution set out below, on the grounds that if the public were present it would be likely that exempt information (information regarded as private for the purposes of the Local Government Act 1972) would be disclosed to them: The Committee is requested to resolve: "That under Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item(s) of business on the grounds that if the public were present it would be likely that exempt information under Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act of the descriptions against each item would be disclosed to them"

Catherine Whitehead Proper Officer 30 March 2023

Cabinet Members:

Councillor Jonathan Nunn (Chair)

Councillor Adam Brown (Vice-Chair)

Councillor Fiona Baker Councillor Rebecca Breese

Councillor Matt Golby
Councillor Phil Larratt
Councillor Malcolm Longley
Councillor David Smith

Information about this Agenda

Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence and the appointment of substitute Members should be notified to democraticservices@westnorthants.gov.uk prior to the start of the meeting.

Declarations of Interest

Members are asked to declare interests at item 2 on the agenda or if arriving after the start of the meeting, at the start of the relevant agenda item

Local Government and Finance Act 1992 – Budget Setting, Contracts & Supplementary Estimates

Members are reminded that any member who is two months in arrears with Council Tax must declare that fact and may speak but not vote on any decision which involves budget setting, extending or agreeing contracts or incurring expenditure not provided for in the agreed budget for a given year and could affect calculations on the level of Council Tax.

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