



Planning Policy Committee

A meeting of the Planning Policy Committee will be held in the Jeffrey Room, the Guildhall, St Giles Street, Northampton on Tuesday 25 April 2023 at 6.00 pm

Agenda

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 - 12)
4.	Chair's Announcements To receive communications from the Chair.
5.	Updated West Northamptonshire Local Development Scheme (Pages 13 - 30)
6.	Response to Government consultations on proposed changes to the Planning System (Pages 31 - 48)
7.	Urgent Business The Chair to advise whether they have agreed to any items of urgent business being admitted to the agenda.
8.	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
17 April 2023

Planning Policy Committee Members:

Councillor Rebecca Breese (Chair)

Councillor Matt Golby (Vice-Chair)

Councillor Adam Brown

Councillor Phil Bignell

Councillor Stephen Clarke

Councillor Jonathan Harris

Councillor Jamie Lane

Councillor Kevin Parker

Councillor Wendy Randall

Councillor Cathrine Russell

Information about this Agenda

Apologies for Absence

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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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