

Medway Council
Meeting of Joint Meeting of Committees
Wednesday, 22 May 2019
8.19pm to 8.20pm

Record of the meeting

Subject to approval as an accurate record at the next meeting of the committees set out at the end of this document

Present: Councillors: Adeoye, Ahmed, Aldous, Barrett, Bhutia, Bowler, Brake, Browne, Buckwell, Carr, Chitty, Clarke, Cooper, Curry, Doe, Etheridge, Fearn, Filmer, Sylvia Griffin, Gulvin, Hackwell, Howcroft-Scott, Hubbard, Mrs Josie Iles, Steve Iles, Jarrett, Johnson, Kemp, Khan, Lloyd, Mahil, Maple, McDonald, Murray, Opara, Osborne, Paterson, Pendergast, Potter, Prenter, Price, Purdy, Sands, Chrissy Stamp, Tejan, Thompson, Thorne, Mrs Elizabeth Turpin, Rupert Turpin, Wildey and Williams

In Attendance: Neil Davies, Chief Executive
Wayne Hemingway, Principal Democratic Services Officer
Richard Hicks, Director Regeneration, Culture, Environment and Transformation and Deputy Chief Executive
Perry Holmes, Chief Legal Officer/Monitoring Officer
Julie Keith, Head of Democratic Services
Ian Sutherland, Director of People - Children and Adults Services
Phil Watts, Chief Finance Officer

10 Election of Chairman

The Worshipful the Mayor of Medway, Councillor Tejan, was elected to chair the meeting.

11 Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Mrs Diane Chambers, Rodney Chambers OBE, Stamp and Tranter.

Apologies for absence were received from Fay Cordingley and Clive Mailing (voting coopted Members of the Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee).

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12 **Declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and Other Significant Interests**

Disclosable pecuniary interests

There were none.

Other significant interests (OSIs)

There were none.

Other interests

There were none.

13 **The appointment of Committee Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen as set out in Appendix B to item 8 on the Annual Meeting of Medway Council agenda**

Discussion:

The report on the agenda for the Annual Meeting of Medway Council on 22 May 2019 set out the recommendations for the appointment of Chairmen and Vice Chairmen of Committees excluding the Health and Wellbeing Board.

The Mayor proposed the recommendations as set out in paragraph 6.2(i) of agenda item 8 (Establishment of Committees, Appointments and Schedule of Meetings 2019/2020) on the agenda for the Annual Meeting of Medway Council.

Decision:

The Joint Meeting of Committees agreed the appointment of Chairmen and Vice Chairmen of Committees as set out in Appendix B of item 8 of the agenda for the Annual Meeting of Medway Council.

14 **The establishment, their size, the allocation of seats to political groups and membership of Sub-Committees, as set out in Appendix B to agenda item 8 on the Annual Meeting of Medway Council agenda**

Discussion:

The report on the agenda for the Annual Meeting of Medway Council on 22 May 2019 set out the recommendations for the establishment, their size, the allocation of seats to political groups and membership of Sub-Committees and their membership.

The Mayor proposed the recommendations as set out in paragraph 6.2 (ii) and (iii) of agenda item 8 (Establishment of Committees, Appointments and Schedule of Meetings 2019/2020) on the agenda for the Annual Meeting of Medway Council.

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Decision:

- a) The Joint Meeting of Committees agreed the establishment of Sub-Committees (with terms of reference as set out in the Council's Constitution), their size, the allocation of seats to political groups and memberships as set out in paragraph 3.9 and Appendix B of item 8 of the agenda for the Annual Meeting of Medway Council.
- b) The Joint Meeting of Committees agreed that the requirement for political balance should be waived in respect of Licensing Hearing Panels and Licensing 1982 Act Hearing Panels and that the process for selection of the Chairman, Vice Chairman and Panel Members for these Panels should be as set out in Appendix B of item 8 of the agenda for the Annual Meeting of Medway Council.

Chairman

Date:

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Chairman of the Audit Committee

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Chairman of the Business Support Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Date.....

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Chairman of the Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee

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Chairman of the Councillor Conduct Committee

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Chairman of the Employment Matters Committee

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Chairman of the Health and Adult Social Care Overview and Scrutiny
Committee

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Chairman of the Licensing and Safety Committee

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Chairman of the Planning Committee

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Chairman of the Regeneration, Culture and Environment Overview and
Scrutiny Committee

Date.....

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Chairman of the School Transport and Curriculum Appeals Committee

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