

**Schedule of Council representation on Joint Committees, outside bodies, other bodies and charities
for the 2025/2026 municipal year**

(A) Joint committees and other joint bodies

Title	No and ratio
Joint KCC/Medway NHS Overview and Scrutiny Committee	8 Members; 4 x KCC and 4 x Medway Medway 2:1:1
Kent and Essex Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority	1 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration)
Kent and Medway Adults Safeguarding Board	1 (Deputy Leader)
Kent and Medway Fire and Rescue Authority	4 (Leader of the Council) (2:1:1)
Kent and Medway Integrated Care Partnership Joint Committee	3 (Leader of the Council, Deputy Leader and 1 Portfolio Holder)
Kent Leaders Meetings	2 (Leader of the Council and Chief Executive)
Key Cities Group	2 (Leader of the Council and Chief Executive)
Key Cities Group – Executive Committee	1 (Leader of the Council)
Patrol Adjudication Joint Committee	1 (Portfolio Holder for Community Safety, Highways and Enforcement) plus 1 substitute (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration)
Pension Fund Committee (with KCC)	1 plus 1 substitute
Police and Crime Panel for Kent and Medway	2 (Deputy Leader) (plus 2 named substitutes)
South East 7 Leaders meeting	1 (Leader of the Council and Chief Executive)
South East 7 – Sub National Transport Partnership Board	1 (Leader of the Council)
South Thames Gateway Building Control Joint Committee	1 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration) plus 1 substitute (Portfolio Holder for Housing and Homelessness)
Southern Regional Flood and Coastal Committee	1 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration)
Thames Estuary Growth Board	1 (Leader of the Council) plus observer (Chief Executive)

(B) Other bodies required by statute

Title	No and ratio
Admiralty Court	6 plus Mayor (3:2:1)
Adoption Panel	1:1:1
Community Safety Partnership	1 (Portfolio Holder for Community Safety, Highways and Enforcement) (Portfolio Holder for Children's Services and Councillor Gulvin by invitation)
Complaints Review Panel (Children's Social Care)	6 Independent Members
Fostering Panel	4 (2:2)
Local Access Forum	3 (1:1:1)
Medway Admissions Forum	2 (Portfolio Holder for Education) (1:1) Plus 2 parent/governor reps
Rochester Airport Consultative Committee	1
Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education	4 (2:1:1)

(C) Outside bodies

Title	No and ratio
Action with Communities in Rural Kent	2 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration) (1:1)
Art for Life Project	1 (Portfolio Holder for Heritage, Culture and Leisure)
Board of the NHS Kent and Medway Integrated Care Board	1 (Lee-Anne Farach Director of People - Children and Adults)
Chatham Historic Dockyard Trust	1 (Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment)
Chatham Maritime Charitable Trust Ltd	2 (Portfolio Holder for Heritage, Culture and Leisure) (1:1)
Court of the University of Kent at Canterbury	3 (The Mayor of Medway, Leader of the Council and Chief Executive)
Creative Medway Compact	1 (Portfolio Holder for Heritage, Culture and Leisure)
Friends of Medway Archives	1
Gillingham Golf Club – Honorary Member	1 (Mayor of Medway)
Halling Association	1
“HANDS” Gillingham Volunteer Centre	1
“HANDS” Rochester Volunteer Centre	1
Kent and Medway Civilian Military Partnership Board	1 (Leader of the Council)
Kent Downs National Landscape	1 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration)
Kent Resource Partnership Annual Council	1 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration)
Local Government Association – General Assembly	4 (Leader of the Council, Deputy Leader, Leader of the Conservative Group and Leader of the Independent Group) (2:1:1:1)
Lower Medway Internal Drainage Board	3 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration) (2:1)
Maidstone Borough Council Lidsing Stakeholder Steering Group	4 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration and one Ward Member from Hempstead and Wigmore Ward and Lordswood and Walderslade Ward) 1:2

Title	No and ratio
Medway Diversity Forum	3 (2:1)
Medway Macmillan Cancer Support Welfare Fund – Honorary Member	1 (Mayor of Medway)
Medway Maritime Hospital Foundation Trust – Council of Governors	1 x partner governor
"Medway Queen" Preservation Society	2 (1:1)
Medway Strategic Partnership Board	1 (Deputy Leader)
Medway Tourism Association	4 (Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment and Portfolio Holder for Heritage, Culture and Leisure) (2:1:1)
Medway Towns Sea Cadets	1
NHS Medway Primary Care Commissioning Committee	1 (Director of People - Children and Adults representing Health and Wellbeing Board – non-voting advisory position)
North Kent Marshes Drainage Board	3 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration) (2:1)
North Kent Strategic Access Management and Monitoring Strategy Board	1 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration)
RELATE (Medway and Gravesham)	1 (Portfolio Holder for Housing and Homelessness)
Rochester Bridge Trust	3 (2:1)
Rochester Diocesan Board of Education	1 (non-voting) (Portfolio Holder for Education)
Safer Kent	1 (Portfolio Holder for Community Safety, Highways and Enforcement)
South East England Health Scrutiny Network	2 (Chairperson for Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Community and Chairperson for Health and Adult Social Care Overview and Scrutiny Committee)
South East Reserve Forces and Cadet Association	1
Thames Gateway Strategic Group	1 (Leader of the Council) plus 1 substitute (Deputy Leader)
The Oast Community Hub	1
Tourism South East	2 (Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment) (1:1)

(D) Charities

Title	No and ratio
All Saints Frindsbury Charities	2 (1:1)
Arthur Ingram Trust – Honorary Member	1 (Mayor of Medway)
Chatham Charities Trustees	8 (5:3)
Gillingham United Charities	3 (2:1)
Gunsley Charity	2 (1:1)
Rochester Grammar School for Girls Charity	2 (1:1)
Sir Joseph Williamson's Mathematical School Scheme	1

(E) Other bodies set up by Medway

Title	No and ratio
Chatham Centre Forum	2 (one Ward Member from Chatham Central and Brompton Ward and Fort Pitt Ward)
Ethical Framework Informal Working Party	6 (Portfolio Holder for Business Management) (6:3:1)
Gillingham Internal Task Force	3 (one Ward Member from Gillingham North Ward, Gillingham South Ward and Watling Ward)
Gillingham Town Centre Forum	3 (one Ward Member from Gillingham North Ward, Gillingham South Ward and Watling Ward)
HRA Governance Group	3 (Portfolio Holder for Housing and Property and Portfolio Holder for Housing and Homelessness) (2:1)
Informal Working Party on Polling Districts and Polling Places	7 (Leader of the Council) (Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment) (4:2:1)
Member Development Advisory Group	7 (Deputy Leader and Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment) (4:2:1)
Member Working Group on Local Government Reorganisation and Devolution	12 (Leader, Deputy Leader, Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment, Leader of the Conservative Group, Deputy Leader of the Conservative Group, Leader of the Independent Group and Leader of Reform UK Group) (6:4:1:1)
Rainham Town Centre Forum	2 (one Ward Member from Rainham North Ward and Rainham South West Ward)
Rochester City Centre Forum	3 (one Ward Member from Fort Pitt Ward, Rochester East and Warren Wood Ward and Rochester West and Borstal Ward)
Rural Liaison Committee	11 (5:4:1:1) Plus 11 Parish Council Reps = 1 Rep per Parish Council
Strood Town Centre Forum	4 (one Ward Member from Cuxton, Halling and Riverside Ward, Strood North and Frindsbury Ward, Strood Rural Ward and Strood West Ward)
Young Medway Community Interest Organisation	3 (2:1)

(F) Other bodies appointed to by Cabinet

Title	No and ratio
Climate Change Working Party	9 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration, Portfolio Holder for Heritage, Culture and Leisure and Portfolio Holder for Business Management) (5:3:1)
Dynamics Community Interest Company	1 (Portfolio Holder for Education)
Kent and Medway Business Fund Advisory Board	1 (Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment)
Kent and Medway Business Fund Small Business Boost Sub-Group	1 (Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment)
Kent and Medway Economic Partnership	1 (Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment)
Local Plan Working Party	7 (Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration, Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment and Portfolio Holder for Housing and Homelessness) (4:3)
Medway Education Partnership	1 (Portfolio Holder for Education)
Medway for Business – Economic Partnership	2 (Leader of the Council plus Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inward Investment)
Medway Skills Partnership Board	4 (Portfolio Holder for Education, Portfolio Holder for Climate Change and Strategic Regeneration, Portfolio Holder for Economic and Social Regeneration and Inwards Investment and Portfolio Holder for Children's Services)
Medway Special Education Needs (SEND) Partnership Board	1 (Portfolio Holder for Education)
Medway Youth Justice Partnership Board	1 (Portfolio Holder for Children's Services)
Member User Testing Group	9 (5:3:1)