

**AGENDA  
CABINET  
13th November, 2007**

A meeting of Cabinet will be held in Committee Room No. 1 at the Town Hall, Darlington on Tuesday, 13th November, 2007 commencing at 5.30 p.m. at which the items below are to be discussed.

**PART I**

1. Attendance at Meeting :-
  - (a) Present;
  - (b) Apologies for Absence; and
  - (c) Absent.
2. Declarations of Interests.
3. To hear relevant representation (from Members and the General Public) on items on this Cabinet Agenda.
4. To Confirm the Minutes of the Meeting of this Cabinet held on 16th October, 2007 (Minutes enclosed).
5. Matters Referred to Cabinet - **There are no matters referred back for reconsideration to this Meeting.**
6. Issues Arising from Scrutiny Committee - **There are no issues referred from the Scrutiny Committees to this Meeting, other than where they have been specifically consulted on an issue and their comments are included in the contents of the relevant report on this agenda.**
7. Key Decisions :-
  - (a) Renewal of Insurance – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed).
  - (b) Community Engagement – Implementation Plan – Assistant Chief Executive (report enclosed).

- (c) Commencement of The Oval Development – Assistant Chief Executive (Regeneration) (report enclosed).
  - (d) 20mph Zones Proposed for Bank Top, Lascelles, Red Hall, Corporation Road and Oakwood Areas – Consideration of Objections - Director of Community Services (report enclosed).
  - (e) Darlington and Stockton Partnership – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed).
8. Darlington’s Parenting Strategy – Director of Children’s Services (report enclosed).
  9. Review of Outcome of Complaints Made to Ombudsman – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed).
  10. Annual Letter from the Local Government Ombudsman – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed).
  11. Corporate Service and Medium Term Financial Plan Performance Report – Quarter 2 Service and Financial Management 2007/08 –Chief Executive and all Directors (report enclosed).
  12. The Ullswater Avenue Footpath Crime Prevention Closure – Director of Community Services (report enclosed).
  13. Advertising and Sale of Tobacco to Children Under the Age of 16 – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed).
  14. Management of Change – Severance and Protection Payments – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed).
  15. Cabinet’s Delegated Powers – Additional Revenue and Capital Expenditure – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed).
  16. Capital Programme – Release of Funding for Planned Maintenance – Capitalised Repairs – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed).
  17. Capital Programme Monitoring Report – September 2007 – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed).
  18. Membership Changes - To Consider any Membership Changes to Other Bodies to which Cabinet Appoints.
  19. **SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM(S)** (if any) which in the opinion of the Chair of this Committee are of an urgent nature and can be discussed at this meeting.
  20. Questions.

#### **EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS**

21. To consider the exclusion of the Public and Press :-

**RECOMMENDED** - That, pursuant to Sections 100A(4) and (5) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the ensuing item on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in exclusion paragraphs 1 and 3 of Part I of Schedule 12A of the Act.

**PART III**

**NOT FOR PUBLICATION**

22. Schedule of Transactions – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed) (Exclusion Paragraph No. 3).
23. **SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM(S)** (if any) which in the opinion of the Chair of this Committee are of an urgent nature and can be discussed at this meeting.
24. Questions.

**Paul Wildsmith**  
**Director of Corporate Services**

5th November, 2007

**Membership**

Councillors Chapman, Copeland, Dixon, Harker, McEwan, D.A. Lyonette, Thistlethwaite, Wallis and Williams.

**Town Hall,  
Darlington.**

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