

Council Agenda

6.00 pm, Thursday, 26 January 2023 Central Hall, Dolphin Centre, Horsemarket, Darlington, DL1 5RP

Members of the Public are welcome to attend this Meeting.

- 1. Introductions / Attendance at Meeting.
- 2. Minutes To approve the Minutes of the Meeting of this Council held on 24 November 2022 (Pages 5 14)
- 3. Declarations of Interest.
- 4. Sealing.
- 5. Announcements.
- 6. Questions To answer questions (where appropriate notice has been given from):-
 - (a) The Public;
 - (b) Members to Cabinet/Chairs;
- 7. Council Reports.
 - (a) Council Tax Calculation of Tax Base 2023/24 Report of the Group Director of Operations (Pages 15 - 22)
 - (b) Chief Executive's Appraisal –Report of the Group Director of Operations

(Pages 23 - 26)

- (c) Admission as Honorary Freewoman Report of the Chief Executive (Pages 27 - 32)
- 8. Cabinet Reports.
 - (a) Overview Report of the Leader of the Council; (Pages 33 34)
 - (b) Overview Report of the Local Services Portfolio; (Pages 35 38)
 - (c) Overview Report of the Adults Portfolio; (Pages 39 42)
 - (d) Overview Report of the Children and Young People Portfolio; (Pages 43 48)
 - (e) Overview Report of the Economy Portfolio; (Pages 49 52)
 - (f) Overview Report of the Health and Housing Portfolio; (Pages 53 56)
 - (g) Overview Report of the Resources Portfolio; and (Pages 57 60)
 - (h) Overview Report of the Stronger Communities Portfolio. (Pages 61 64)
 - (i) Mid Year Prudential Indicators and Treasury Management Monitoring Report 2022/23

 Report of the Group Director of Operations
 (Pages 65 80)
 - (j) Climate Change Progress Report of the Chief Executive (Pages 81 - 86)
 - (k) Town Centre Parking Offer Report of the Group Director of Services (Pages 87 - 92)
- 9. Scrutiny Reports To consider Scrutiny Overview Reports:-
 - (a) Adults Scrutiny Committee; (Pages 93 96)
 - (b) Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee; (Pages 97 102)
 - (c) Communities and Local Services Scrutiny Committee. (Pages 103 106)
 - (d) Economy and Resources Scrutiny Committee; (Pages 107 108)
 - (e) Health and Housing Scrutiny Committee; and (Pages 109 112)

10. Membership Changes - To consider any membership changes to Committees, Subsidiary Bodies and Other Bodies.

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Luke Swinhoe
Assistant Director Law and Governance

Wednesday, 18 January 2023

Town Hall Darlington.

Membership

The Mayor, Councillors Ali, Allen, Baldwin, Bartch, Bell, Boddy, Dr. Chou, Clarke, Cossins, Crudass, Crumbie, Mrs Culley, Donoghue, Dulston, Durham, Harker, Haszeldine, Heslop, Holroyd, C L B Hughes, L Hughes, Johnson, B Jones, Mrs D Jones, Keir, Laing, Layton, Lee, Lister, Lucas, Marshall, McCollom, McEwan, Mills, Newall, K Nicholson, M Nicholson, Paley, Preston, Renton, A J Scott, Mrs H Scott, Snedker, Sowerby, Tait, Tostevin, Wallis, Willis and Wright

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