



DARLINGTON
Borough Council

Council Agenda

6.00 pm, Thursday, 30 January 2025

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 Meetings of this Council held on 28 November 2024 and 19 December 2024 (Pages 5 - 18)
3. Declarations of Interest.
4. Sealing.
5. Announcements.
6. Questions - To answer questions (where appropriate notice has been given from):-
 - (a) The Public; (Pages 19 - 24)
 - (b) Members to Cabinet/Chairs;
7. Council Reports.
8. Cabinet Reports.
 - (a) Council Tax Calculation of Tax Base 2025/26 – Report of the Executive Director, Resources and Governance (Pages 25 - 32)
 - (b) Climate Change Progress – Report of the Chief Executive (Pages 33 - 38)

- (c) Mid Year Prudential Indicators and Treasury Management Monitoring Report 2024/25 – Report of the Executive Director, Resources and Governance (Pages 39 - 52)
 - (d) Overview Report of the Leader of the Council; (Pages 53 - 56)
 - (e) Overview Report of the Economy Portfolio; (Pages 57 - 62)
 - (f) Overview Report of the Adults Portfolio; (Pages 63 - 66)
 - (g) Overview Report of the Children and Young People Portfolio; (Pages 67 - 74)
 - (h) Overview Report of the Health and Housing Portfolio; (Pages 75 - 82)
 - (i) Overview Report of the Local Services Portfolio; (Pages 83 - 88)
 - (j) Overview Report of the Resources Portfolio; and (Pages 89 - 92)
 - (k) Overview Report of the Stronger Communities Portfolio; (Pages 93 - 98)
9. Scrutiny Reports - To consider Scrutiny Overview Reports:-
- (a) Adults Scrutiny Committee; (Pages 99 - 102)
 - (b) Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee; (Pages 103 - 106)
 - (c) Communities and Local Services Scrutiny Committee; (Pages 107 - 108)
 - (d) Economy and Resources Scrutiny Committee; and (Pages 109 - 114)
 - (e) Health and Housing Scrutiny Committee. (Pages 115 - 120)
10. Membership Changes - To consider any membership changes to Committees, Subsidiary Bodies and Other Bodies.



Luke Swinhoe
Assistant Director Law and Governance

Wednesday, 22 January 2025

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Membership

The Mayor, Councillors Ali, Allen, Anderson, Baker, Bartch, Beckett, Coe, Cossins, Crudass, Crumbie, Mrs Culley, Curry, Dillon, Dulston, Durham, Garner, Harker, Haszeldine, Henderson, Holroyd, Johnson, Kane, Keir, Laing, Lawley, Layton, Lee, Mahmud, Mammolotti, Marshall, McCollom, McEwan, McGill, K Nicholson, M Nicholson, Pease, Porter, Ray, Renton, Dr. Riley, Robinson, Roche, Mrs Scott, Snedker, Storr, Toms, Tostevin, Wallis and Walters.

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