

Meeting: Annual Council

Date: Thursday 25th May, 2023

Time: 6:00 pm

Venue: Council Chamber, The Cube, George Street, Corby NN17 1QG

The meeting will be available for the public to view live at our Democratic Services' YouTube channel:

https://www.youtube.com/c/DemocraticServicesNorthNorthantsCouncil

Council Membership:

Councillor Larry Henson (Chair), Councillor Barbara Jenney (Vice-Chair), Councillor Jean Addison, Councillor Tim Allebone, Councillor Valerie Anslow, Councillor Ross Armour, Councillor Charlie Best, Councillor Paul Bell, Councillor Matt Binley, Councillor Jennie Bone, Councillor David Brackenbury, Councillor Wendy Brackenbury, Councillor Cedwien Brown, Councillor Scott Brown, Councillor Leanne Buckingham, Councillor Lyn Buckingham, Councillor Lloyd Bunday, Councillor Jon-Paul Carr, Councillor Robin Carter, Councillor Melanie Coleman, Councillor William Colguboun, Councillor John Currall, Councillor Alison Dalziel, Councillor Mark Dearing, Councillor Dez Dell, Councillor Scott Edwards, Councillor Jonathan Ekins, Councillor Emily Fedorowycz, Councillor Martin Griffiths, Councillor Jim Hakewill, Councillor Clive Hallam, Councillor Ken Harrington, Councillor Helen Harrison, Councillor Kirk Harrison, Councillor Helen Howell, Councillor David Howes, Councillor Philip Irwin, Councillor Bert Jackson, Councillor Ian Jelley, Councillor Matt Keane, Councillor King Lawal, Councillor Graham Lawman, Councillor Lora Lawman, Councillor Anne Lee, Councillor Richard Levell, Councillor Paul Marks, Councillor Dorothy Maxwell, Councillor Peter McEwan, Councillor John McGhee, Councillor Zoe McGhee, Councillor Andy Mercer, Councillor Gill Mercer, Councillor Macaulay Nichol, Councillor Steven North, Councillor Jan O'Hara, Councillor Dr Anup Pandey, Councillor Tom Partridge-Underwood, Councillor Mark Pengelly, Councillor Harriet Pentland, Councillor Roger Powell, Councillor Elliot Keith Prentice, Councillor Simon Rielly, Councillor Russell Roberts, Councillor Mark Rowley, Councillor Geoff Shacklock, Councillor David Sims, Councillor Jason Smithers, Councillor Chris Smith-Haynes, Councillor Joseph John Smyth, Councillor Mike Tebbutt, Councillor Sarah Tubbs, Councillor Michael Tye, Councillor Malcolm Ward, Councillor Malcolm Waters, Councillor Keli Watts, Councillor Kevin Watt, Councillor Andrew Weatherill and Councillor Lee Wilkes.

Members of The Council are invited to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business listed on the agenda.

Agenda			
Item	Subject	Page no.	
01	Election of Chair of North Northamptonshire Council		
	To elect the Chair of the Council until the Annual Meeting on 23 rd May 2024.		
02	Appointment of Vice Chair of North Northamptonshire Council		
	To appoint the Vice Chair of the Council until the Annual Meeting on 23 rd May 2024.		
03	Apologies		
	To receive any apologies for absence.		
04	Minutes of the meetings held on 30 th March 2023		
	The minutes of the Meetings of the Council held on 30 th March 2023	5 - 24	
05	Declarations of Interest		
	Members to declare any interest as appropriate in respect of items to be considered at the meeting.		
06	Chair's Announcements		
	To receive any announcements from the Chair.		
	Items requiring a decision		
07	Political Group Leadership	To Follow	
	To note confirmation of Group leadership for 2023/24		
08	Leader's Address to Council	-	
	To receive any announcements from the Leader and Group leaders.		
09	Confirmation of Executive Appointments	To Follow	
	The Council is requested to note the appointment of members of Executive and Executive Portfolios as may be announced by the Leader.		
	I .		

10	Committee Membership and Appointment of Chairs/Vice Chairs of Committees	To Follow		
	To consider and determine the allocation of seats to Committees in accordance with political balance rules set out in the Local Government and Housing Act 1989.			
11	Outside Bodies	To Follow		
	To note the appointments to strategic outside bodies made by the Leader and to consider and determine the appointments to community outside bodies.			
12	Chief Executive & Head of Paid Service Designation - Interim Appointment	25 - 28		
	To recommend the appointment of the Interim Chief Executive and Head of Paid Service statutory designation.			
	Urgent Items			
	To consider any items of business of which notice has been given to the Proper Officer and the Chair considers to be urgent, pursuant to the Local Government Act 1972.			
13	Close of Meeting			
	Adele Wylie, Monitoring Officer			
	North Northamptonshire Council			
	Proper Officer			
	Wednesday 17 th May 2023			

This agenda has been published by Democratic Services.

2 01536 464013 ¹ democraticservices@northnorthants.gov.uk

Members' Declarations of Interest

Members are reminded of their duty to ensure they abide by the approved Member Code of Conduct whilst undertaking their role as a Councillor. Where a matter arises at a meeting which **relates to** a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest, you must declare the interest, not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless granted a dispensation.

Where a matter arises at a meeting which **relates to** other Registerable Interests, you must declare the interest. You may speak on the matter only if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting but must not take part in any vote on the matter unless you have been granted a dispensation.

Where a matter arises at a meeting which **relates to** your own financial interest (and is not a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest) or **relates to** a financial interest of a relative, friend or

close associate, you must disclose the interest and not vote on the matter unless granted a dispensation. You may speak on the matter only if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting.

Members are reminded that they should continue to adhere to the Council's approved rules and protocols during the conduct of meetings. These are contained in the Council's approved Constitution.

If Members have any queries as to whether a Declaration of Interest should be made please contact the Monitoring Officer at – monitoringofficer@northnorthants.gov.uk

Press & Media Enquiries

Any press or media enquiries should be directed through Council's Communications Team to communications@northnorthants.gov.uk

Public Access and Enquiries

The public are welcome to attend the Council's meetings in person using the Council's public gallery. Public enquiries regarding the Council's meetings can be made to democraticservices@northnorthants.gov.uk

Webcasting

Meetings of the Council will be filmed by the Council for live and/or subsequent broadcast on the Council's website. The whole of the meeting will be filmed, except where there are confidential or exempt items. A copy will be retained in accordance with the Council's data retention policy.

If you make a representation to the meeting, unless you have specifically asked not to appear on the webcast, you are taking positive action to confirm that you consent to being filmed. You have been made aware of the broadcast and entering the Council Chamber you are consenting to be filmed by North Northamptonshire Council and to the possible use of those images and sound recordings for webcasting.

If you do not wish to have your image captured you should sit in the public gallery area that overlooks the Chamber.

The Council is obliged by law to allow members of the public to take photographs, film, audio-record, blog or tweet the proceedings at public meetings. The Council will only seek to prevent this should it be undertaken in a disruptive or otherwise inappropriate manner.

The Council intends to webcast all of its public meetings held at the Corby Cube, but if it is unable to do so, for the avoidance of doubt, the meeting will continue as scheduled and decisions and minutes made available on the Council's website in the normal manner.

If you have any queries regarding webcasting or the recording of meetings by the public, please contact democraticservices@northnorthants.gov.uk

