

EXECUTIVE

Date: Thursday, 12 October 2023

Time: 2.00pm

Location: Council Chamber, Daneshill House, Danestrete, Stevenage

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Members:

Councillors: R Henry (Chair), J Thomas (Vice-Chair), S Barr, L Briscoe,

J Hollywell, Mrs J Lloyd, L Rossati and S Speller.

AGENDA

PART I

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

2. MINUTES - 20 SEPTEMBER 2023

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Executive held on 20 September 2023 for signature by the Chair. Pages 5 – 14

3. MINUTES OF OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE AND SELECT COMMITTEES

To note the following Minutes of meetings of the Overview & Scrutiny Committee and Select Committees –

Environment & Economy Select Committee – 4 September 2023 Pages 15 – 22

4. CLIMATE CHANGE - ANNUAL UPDATE OCTOBER 2023

To consider the Climate Change Annual Update – October 2023. Pages 23 – 50

5. HOUSING ALLOCATION POLICY

To consider a proposed revised and updated Housing Allocation Policy. Pages 51 – 172

6. STEVENAGE BOROUGH COUNCIL CORPORATE PLAN - MAKING STEVENAGE EVEN BETTER

To consider a draft of the updated Stevenage Borough Council Corporate Plan. Pages173 – 180

7. CO-OPERATIVE COMMERCIAL AND INSOURCING STRATEGY 2023 - 2026

To consider a proposed Co-operative Commercial and Insourcing Strategy for 2023 - 2026.

Pages 181 – 212

8. TOWNS FUND - PROGRAMME DELIVERY UPDATE

To consider an update report regarding the Towns Fund Programme delivery. Pages 213 – 268

9. URGENT PART I BUSINESS

To consider any Part I business accepted by the Chair as urgent.

10. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

To consider the following motions -

- 1. That under Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as described in Paragraphs 1 7 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act as amended by Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006.
- 2. That Members consider the reasons for the following reports being in Part II and determine whether or not maintaining the exemption from disclosure of the information contained therein outweighs the public interest in disclosure.

11. PART II MINUTES - EXECUTIVE - 20 SEPTEMBER 2023

To approve as a correct record the Part II Minutes of the meeting of the Executive held on 20 September 2023 for signature by the Chair. Pages 269 - 270

12. CO-OPERATIVE COMMERCIAL AND INSOURCING STRATEGY 2023 - 2026: HIGH LEVEL ACTION PLAN, INSOURCING ROAD MAP AND CHANGES TO KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

To consider the proposed high level action plan, insourcing road map and changes to Key Performance Indicators relating to the Co-operative Commercial and Insourcing Strategy 2023 – 2026.

Pages 271 - 294

13. TOWNS FUND - SPORTS AND LEISURE HUB PROGRESSION

To consider a report regarding progression of the Towns Fund Scheme for the provision of a new Sports and Leisure Hub. Pages 295 - 328

14. URGENT PART II BUSINESS

To consider any Part II business accepted by the Chair as urgent.

NOTE: Links to Part 1 Background Documents are shown on the last page of the individual report, where this is not the case they may be viewed by using the following link to agendas for Executive meetings and then opening the agenda for Thursday, 12 October 2023 – http://www.stevenage.gov.uk/have-your-say/council-meetings/161153/

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