



CABINET

Date: Wednesday, 11 March 2026
Time: 2.00pm,
Location: Council Chamber
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Members: Councillors: Richard Henry (Chair), Jeannette Thomas (Vice-Chair), Myla Arceno, Rob Broom, Coleen DeFreitas, Jackie Hollywell, Tom Plater, Loraine Rossati, Simon Speller and Nigel Williams

AGENDA

PART 1

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

2. MINUTES - CABINET 11 FEBRUARY 2026

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on 11 February 2026.

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3. MINUTES OF THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY AND SELECT COMMITTEES

To note the following minutes of the Overview and Scrutiny and Select Committees:

Environment and Economy Select Committee – 28 January 2026

Community Select Committee – 4 February 2026

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4. STEVENAGE BIODIVERSITY DUTY MONITORING

To provide Members with the Council's first Stevenage Borough Biodiversity Duty report as required by the Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006 (as amended by the Environment Act 2021).

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5. CORPORATE PERFORMANCE - QUARTER 3 2025/26

To highlight the Council's performance across key priorities and projects for Quarter Three 2025/26 and provide an update on progress against current strategic risks.

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6. QUARTER 3 BUDGET MONITORING

To receive a report updating Members on the projected General Fund (GF), Housing Revenue Account (HRA) and Capital 2025/26 net expenditure and seek approval to amend the General Fund, HRA and Capital budgets as part of the quarterly revenue monitoring review.

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7. REVOCATION AND VARIATION OF TAXI RANKS TO THE HIGH STREET, STEVENAGE

To seek approval to revoke the existing taxi rank located on the southbound side of the High Street, Stevenage and vary the taxi rank located on the northbound side of the High Street, Stevenage.

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8. URGENT PART 1 BUSINESS

To consider any Part 1 business accepted by the Chair as urgent.

9. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

To consider the following motions –

1. That under Section 100(A) 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.

10. PART II MINUTES - CABINET 11 FEBRUARY 2026

To approve as a correct record the Part II Minutes of the meeting held on 11 February 2026.

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11. 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 Wednesday, 11 March 2026 –

<http://www.stevenage.gov.uk/have-your-say/council-meetings/161153/>

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