# Agenda for Cabinet Wednesday, 29th November, 2023, 6.00 pm

### Members of Cabinet

Councillors: M Rixson, G Jung, D Ledger, M Hall, O Davey, S Jackson, J Loudoun, N Hookway, P Arnott (Chair) and P Hayward (Vice-Chair)

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- 1 Minutes of the previous meeting (Pages 4 11)
- 2 Apologies
- 3 Declarations of interest

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- 4 Public speaking Information on public speaking is available online
- 5 Matters of urgency

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6 Confidential/exempt item(s)

To agree any items to be dealt with after the public (including the Press) have been excluded. There are two items which officers recommend should be dealt with in this way.

- 7 Minutes of Scrutiny Committee held on 5 October 2023 (Pages 12 15)
- 8 Minutes of Strata Joint Executive Committee held on 5 October 2023 (Pages 16 17)
- 9 Minutes of Placemaking in Exmouth Town and Seafront Group held on 7 November 2023 (Pages 18 - 21)
- 10 Minutes of Overview Committee held on 12 October 2023 (Pages 22 27)

- 11 Minutes of Recycling and Waste Partnership Board held on 25 October 2023 (Pages 28 34)
- 12 Minutes of Arts and Culture Forum held on 8 November 2023 (Pages 35 43)
- 13 Minutes of Housing Review Board held on 9 November 2023 (Pages 44 51)
- 14 Minutes of Overview Committee held on 9 November 2023 (Pages 52 57)

#### Key Matters for Decision

- 15 Review of bin collection service and town and parishes' service charges (Pages 58 64)
- 16 Housing Benefit Modified Scheme Policy (Pages 65 72)
- 17 Safeguarding update following recommendations from Council 11 July 2023 (Pages 73 78)
- 18 Safeguarding Policy update report (Pages 79 90)
- 19 Homelessness Service update (Pages 91 102)

### **Matters for Decision**

- 20 Exmouth Sea Wall Emergency Repairs Budget (Pages 103 110)
- 21 **Peer challenge update report** (Pages 111 116)
- 22 Car Park Summer Income report (Pages 117 122)
- 23 Mill Street Reserved Permits & Devon County LEVI (EV) Funding Bid (Pages 123 - 138)
- 24 **Treasury Management Performance 2023/24 1 April to 30 September 2023** (Pages 139 - 140)
- 25 Financial Monitoring Report 2023/24 Month 6 September 2023 (Pages 141 150)
- 26 Application to designate West Hill Neighbourhood Area (Pages 151 162)
- 27 **Consultation on draft Cemetery Regulations** (Pages 163 189)
- 28 Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985 Exclusion of Press and Public

#### The Vice Chair to move the following:

"that under Section 100(A) (4) of the Local Government Act 1972 the public (including the press) be excluded from the meeting as exempt information, of the description set out on the agenda, is likely to be disclosed and on balance the public interest is in discussing this item in private session (Part B)".

## Part B Key Matters for Decision

- 29 Discretionary Rate Relief (Broadclyst Ward) (Pages 190 198)
- 30 Site Acquisition Opportunity (Pages 199 207)

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