

Cabinet

4 September 2015

Monday, 14 September 2015 Room 0.02, Ground Floor, Quadrant, The Silverlink North, Cobalt Business Park, North Tyneside **commencing at 6.00 pm**

Agenda Page(s) Item

1. Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

2. To Receive any Declarations of Interest and Notification of any Dispensations Granted

You are invited to declare any registerable and/or non-registerable interests in matters appearing on the agenda, and the nature of that interest.

You are also invited to disclose any dispensation in relation to any registerable and/or non-registerable interests that have been granted to you in respect of any matters appearing on the agenda.'

Please complete the Declarations of Interests card available at the meeting and return it to the Democratic Services Officer before leaving the meeting.

3. Minutes

To confirm the minutes of the Ordinary meeting held on 10 August 2015 (previously circulated).

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4. Report of the Young Mayor

To receive a verbal report on the latest activities of the Young Mayor and Young Cabinet.

5. Reports from Scrutiny Committees

(a) To consider any reports submitted by the Overview, Scrutiny and Policy Development Committee or any of its Sub-Committees:

6. Finance Items

(a) 2015/16 Financial Management Report to 31 July 2015 (All Wards)

To consider a report detailing the budget monitoring position as at 31 July 2015, including forecast outturn positions for 2015/16 for the General Fund, Housing Revenue Account, School finances and the Investment Plan, including a summary of projects to be delivered during 2015/16 and which requests approval of revision to the Authority's Investment Plan.

(The annex and appendices have been circulated under separate cover).

(b) 2016-2019 Financial Planning and Budget Process incorporating the Council Plan and Associated Engagement Strategy

To consider a report outlining the process to be adopted for the Authority's Financial Planning and Budget process for the current year as part of the proposed framework for the next three years.

The report provides information in relation to the proposed 2016-2019 Financial Planning and Budget Process, including information on the key decision milestones. It also includes information in relation to the proposed Budget Engagement Strategy to be adopted as part of the 2016-2019 Financial Planning and Budget process and the process for the refreshing of the Our North Tyneside Council Plan.

7. Key (and non-key) Decisions

(a) North Tyneside Surface Water and Drainage Partnership – Quarterly Update (All Wards)

The purpose of the report is to update Cabinet on the progress of the North Tyneside Surface Water and Drainage Partnership.

(b) Engagement Strategy (All Wards)

To consider a report requesting approval of a new Corporate Engagement Strategy.

Agenda Page(s) **Item** (c) Response to Kier North Tyneside Joint Venture - Report of the Overview, Scrutiny and Policy Development Committee (All Wards) To consider a report which requests approval of a proposed response. (d) Affordable Rent Policy (All Wards) To consider a report which requests approval of an Affordable Rent Policy. **Council Tax Support Scheme 2016-17 (All Wards)** (e) The attached report asks Cabinet to consider whether it wishes to

8. Exclusion of the Press and Public

Cabinet is requested to consider passing the following resolution:

consultation exercise can be undertaken on the proposals.

propose any changes to the Council Tax Support Scheme, so that a

Resolved that under Section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) and having applied a public interest test as defined in Part 2 of Schedule 12A of the Act, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act.

Reason for taking the items in private:

Item 9(a): The report contains information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding the information).

9. Key (and non-key) decisions:

(a) Delivering Affordable Homes – Update (All Wards)

To consider a report which provides an update on delivering affordable homes.

10. Date and Time of Next Meeting

6.00pm on Monday 12 October 2015

Circulation overleaf.

Circulated to Members of the Cabinet: -

N Redfearn (Elected Mayor)

Councillor C Burdis

Councillor E Darke

Councillor R Glindon

Councillor I Grayson

Councillor J Harrison

Councillor B Pickard (Deputy Mayor)

Councillor L Spillard

Councillor J Stirling

Councillor A Waggott-Fairley

Young and Older People's Representatives and Partners of North Tyneside Council:

Abbie Armstrong, Young Mayor

Alma Caldwell, Age UK

Maurya Cushlow, North Tyneside Clinical Commissioning Group

Roger Layton, North Tyneside Joint Trade Union Committee

Steve Neill, North Tyneside Area Commander, Northumbria Police

Lisa Goodwin, North Tyneside VODA

Mark Almond, Voluntary and Community Sector

Ken Parkin, Business Representative