



**Council**

Members of the **Council of Gravesham Borough Council** are summoned to attend a meeting to be held at the Civic Centre, Windmill Street, Gravesend, Kent on **Tuesday, 27 February 2018 at 7.30 pm** when the business specified in the following agenda is proposed to be transacted.

S Kilkie  
Assistant Director (Communities)

**Agenda**

**Part A**

**Items likely to be considered in Public**

1. Apologies for absence
2. To sign the minutes of the previous meeting (Pages 5 - 10)
3. To declare any interests members may have in the items contained on this agenda. When declaring an interest a member must state what their interest is
4. To answer any questions received from members of the public of which notice has been given under Council Procedure Rule 13
5. Minutes of Committees  
To receive and adopt the proceedings, reports and recommendations of the following committees, except those items reserved under Council procedure Rule 5.2 (6) and to ratify and confirm the orders made by them.
  - a) Minutes of the meeting of the Cabinet held on Monday, 8 January 2018 (Pages 11 - 16)
  - b) Minutes of the meeting of the Overview Scrutiny Committee held on Thursday, 15 January 2018 (Pages 17 - 22)

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| c) | <u>Minutes of the meeting of the Cabinet held on Monday, 5 February 2018</u>   | (Pages 23 - 28)         |
| d) | <u>Minutes of the meeting of the Regulatory Board (Planning) held on Wednesday, 7 February 2018</u>                    | (Pages 29 - 32)         |
| e) | <u>Minutes of the meeting of the Overview Scrutiny Committee held on Thursday, 15 February 2018</u>                    | (Pages 33 - 42)         |
| f) | <u>Minutes of the meeting of the Finance and Audit Committee held on Monday, 19 February 2018 - minutes to follow.</u> | <i>REPORT TO FOLLOW</i> |

6. Reserved Minutes

To receive and adopt the proceedings, reports and recommendations of committees contained in the list of items reserved under Council Procedure Rule 5.2(6) and to ratify the orders made by them. They will be dealt with in the following order:-

Cabinet  
 Finance & Audit Committee  
 Overview Scrutiny Committee  
 Regulatory Board (Planning)

**To consider reports from officers of the Council**

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| 7. Council Tax Setting 2018/19 | (Pages 43 - 274) |
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To consider a resolution to determine the Council Tax to be levied for 2018/19.

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| 8. Gravesham Borough Council Pay Policy Statement 2017/18 | (Pages 275 - 296) |
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9. Appointments to outside bodies

To appoint Member(s) to the following outside bodies:-

- Councillor John Knight to replace Councillor Alan Ridgers on the Cyclopark.
- Councillor John Knight to replace Councillor David Turner on the Dartford and Gravesham Community Safety Partnership. Councillor David Turner to be appointed as the substitute.
- Councillors Anthony Pritchard and Colin Caller to be reappointed to the Elizabeth Huggins Cottages Charity.
- Appointment to the Henry Pinnock Charity – to be confirmed by the Leader of the Labour Party.

10. To consider motions of which notice has been given under Council Procedure Rule 15.

To be moved by Cllr John Burden and seconded by Cllr Jenny Wallace that:-

*This council believes action on assisting homeless people needs to be better co-ordinated between agencies within Gravesham and resolves to set up a cross party working group to work with all agencies who may*

*have a legal, or active working interest in this matter to put in place a co-ordinated strategy to prevent homelessness, aid the homeless and support those that are provided accommodation after being homeless. This working group to complete its work and put in place agreed measures to deal with this before the end of November 2018.*

11. To consider questions from Members of the Council of which notice has been given under Council Procedure Rule 14.
12. To receive the Mayor's Announcements