



Council

Members of the **Council of Gravesham Borough Council** are summoned to attend a meeting to be held Virtually on **Tuesday, 23 February 2021 at 7.30 pm** when the business specified in the following agenda is proposed to be transacted. Details on how Members can attend the meeting will be sent separately.

In response to COVID-19, the Government has legislated to permit remote attendance by Elected Members at formal meetings. This is conditional on other Elected Members and the public being able to hear those participating in the meeting. This meeting will be streamed live and can be watched via Gravesham Borough Council's YouTube Channel:-

www.youtube.com/graveshamtv



S Walsh
Service Manager (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 - 12)
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. Changes to Committee Membership

Council is advised that the following change to committee membership has been made by the Conservative Group:

Finance & Audit Committee:

Cllr Gurjit Bains replaces Cllr Tony Rice as a Member.

6. 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 Standards Committee held on Tuesday, 8 December 2020 (Pages 13 - 14)
- b) Minutes of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on Wednesday, 16 December 2020 (Pages 15 - 20)
- c) Minutes of the meeting of the Cabinet held on Monday, 4 January 2021 (Pages 21 - 26)
- d) Minutes of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on Wednesday, 6 January 2021 (Pages 27 - 36)
- e) Minutes of the meeting of the Cabinet held on Monday, 1 February 2021 (Pages 37 - 46)
- f) Minutes of the meeting of the Overview Scrutiny Committee held on Thursday, 11 February 2021 TO FOLLOW
- g) Minutes of the meeting of the Finance & Audit Committee held on Monday, 15 February 2021 TO FOLLOW

7. 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
Planning Committee
Standards Committee

To consider reports from officers of the Council

- 8. Council Tax and Budget Setting 2021-22 (Pages 47 - 272)
- 9. Investment Opportunity – long term leasehold arrangement (Pages 273 - 276)
- 10. Equality Policy 2021 to 2024 (Pages 277 - 288)

11. Senior Management Restructure

TO FOLLOW

12. Appointment of Interim Monitoring Officer

TO FOLLOW

13. Appointments to Outside Bodies

To appoint a Member to the following outside body:-

- Henry Pinnocks Charity

14. To consider questions from Members of the Council of which notice has been given under Council Procedure Rule 14.

Question from Cllr Conrad Broadley – to Cllr John Burden, Leader of the Executive:

Could the Leader of the Executive please confirm what powers and responsibilities the Council has for protecting, preserving and ensuring in the long term restoration of Listed heritage structures and how does the Executive plan to utilise these powers at Rosherville to restore the listed and unlisted historic structures bringing them back into the public domain?

15. To receive the Mayor's Announcements