

## South Thames Gateway Building Control Joint Committee

Thursday, 21 September 2023

10.00 am

### Present:

Cllr John Burden (Chair)

Councillors: Tim Gibson (Swale)  
Naushabah Khan (Medway)

Janine Weaver	Director of South Thames Gateway Building Control (STGBC)
Wendy Lane	Assistant Director (Planning)
Joanne Johnson	Head of Planning (Swale) - virtual
Mark Breathwick	Chief Housing Officer (Medway) - virtual
Karen Gingles	Committee Services Officer (Minutes)

### 10. Apologies for absence

An apology for absence was received from Canterbury Councillor Pat Edwards.

### 11. To sign the Minutes of the previous meeting

The minutes of the meeting held on Monday 17 July 2023 were signed by the Chair.

### 12. To declare any interest members may have in the items contained on this agenda. When declaring an interest a member must state what their interest is.

There were no declarations of interest.

### 13. Exclusion

**Resolved** pursuant to Section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972 that the public be excluded during the following items of business because it was likely in view of the nature of business to be transacted that, if members of the public were present during these items, there would be disclosure to them of exempt information.

### 14. South Thames Gateway Building Control Business Plan 2024 - 2027

The Director (STGBC) presented the Committee with the South Thames Gateway Building Control Business Plan 2024 – 2027, highlighting key points.

Members held an in-depth discussion.

The Committee approved the business plan.

**15. South Thames Gateway Building Control Monitoring report - April 2023 to August 2023**

The Director (STGBC) presented the Committee with the South Thames Gateway Building Control Monitoring Report – April 2023 to August 2023, outlining key points.

The purpose of the report was to update the Joint Committee on the current forecast for the 2023/2024 financial year and gives details against the progress of the objectives of the Business Plan 2023/2024.

Members held a robust discussion and noted the report.

**Close of meeting**

The meeting ended at 10:55am