

Meeting: **Cabinet**
Date: **23 March 2022**
Time: **5.00 pm**
Place: **Council Chamber - Civic Centre Folkestone**

To: **All members of the Cabinet**

All Councillors for information

The cabinet will consider the matters listed below on the date and at the time and place shown above.

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Although social distancing rules have been relaxed, for the safety of the public, elected members and staff, we will continue to seat members of the public approximately one metre apart. This means that there will be 13 seats available for members of the public, which will be reserved for those speaking or participating at the meeting. The remaining available seats will be given on a first come, first served basis.

All attendees at meetings are kindly asked to wear face coverings, unless they are addressing the meeting.

1. **Apologies for absence**
2. **Declarations of Interest (Pages 5 - 6)**

Members of the Council should declare any interests which fall under the following categories:

- a) disclosable pecuniary interests (DPI);
- b) other significant interests (OSI);

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c) voluntary announcements of other interests.

3. **Minutes (Pages 7 - 10)**

To consider and approve, as a correct record, the minutes of the meeting held on 23 February 2022.

4. **Quarter 3 Performance Report 2021/22 (Pages 11 - 38)**

This report provides an update on the Council's performance for the third quarter of the year covering 1st October 2021 –31st December 2021. The report enables the Council to assess progress against the approved key performance indicators arising from the Council's new Corporate Action Plan.

Key performance indicators will be monitored during 2021-22 and reported to CLT and Members quarterly.

5. **Review of Risk Management Policy and Strategy and Corporate Risk Register (Pages 39 - 70)**

This report presents an updated Risk Management Policy & Strategy for adoption by Cabinet which will provide a framework for Members and officers in the management of risk. This report also provides Cabinet with an updated Risk Register, as considered by the Audit and Governance Committee on 16 March.

6. **Oportunitas Limited - Progress report 2021/22 and Business Plan 2022-23 (Pages 71 - 96)**

This report proposes a Business Plan from the Board of Oportunitas Ltd ("the company") covering its activities through to 31 March 2023. The report also provides a financial update for 2021/22. The report meets the requirement contained in the Shareholder's agreement between the company and the Council.

7. **The Use of Fixed Term Tenancies for Council Tenants (Pages 97 - 114)**

This report reviews the use of fixed term tenancies for council housing lettings, and seeks approval to cease using fixed term tenancies and to return to using secure tenancies in the Council's social housing stock.

8. **Bulky Waste Collection Review (Pages 115 - 126)**

The report considers the options as set out in the agreed council motion 27/7/21 to revise the bulky waste charges to provide a free scheme to households in receipt of council tax support and other support schemes. The report considers the potential financial costs and what would be likely impact on fly-tipping.

9. **Core Strategy Review - Report of the Planning Inspectors and**

Adoption of the Plan (Pages 127 - 476)

This report summarises the findings of the planning Inspectors' report into the Core Strategy Review. The report recommends that the council proceeds to adopt the Core Strategy Review, with the main modifications identified by the Inspectors, so that the plan can be used to make decisions on planning applications.

10. **District-wide Carbon Plan - project proposal (Pages 477 - 484)**

This report outlines the proposed District Wide Carbon Plan (DWCP) and proposal for consultation in response to the Climate & Ecological Emergency Declaration Resolution: *"to develop a strategy for Folkestone and Hythe District Council (the Council) to play a leadership role in community, public and business partnerships for our Carbon Neutral 2030 commitment throughout the district"*.

11. **Review of Anti-Social Behaviour Public Spaces Protection Order (Pages 485 - 492)**

This report sets out proposals to renew the Anti-Social Behaviour Public Spaces Protection Order (ASB PSPO) and requests approval to proceed to public consultation on the renewal.

12. **Street naming and numbering policy (Pages 493 - 524)**

This report outlines suggested revisions to the current Street Naming and Numbering policy approved by Cabinet in May 2017 (and updated by Cabinet in October 2018). The majority of the amendments are minor and simply a refresh of the existing policy however there is a new proposal concerning consultation with Town and Parish councils in respect of the naming of new streets for which consideration is required.