

# **CABINET**

16 January 2017

7.00 pm

**Town Hall Watford** 

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Welcome to this meeting. We hope you find these notes useful.

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# **Cabinet Membership**

Mayor D Thornhill (Chair)

Councillor P Taylor (Deputy Mayor)

Councillors K Collett, S Johnson, I Sharpe and M Watkin

#### **Agenda**

#### Part A - Open to the Public

- 1. Apologies for Absence
- 2. Disclosure of Interest (if any)
- 3. Minutes of previous meeting

The minutes of the meeting held on 5 December 2016 to be submitted and signed.

Copies of the minutes of this meeting are usually available seven working days following the meeting.

(All minutes are available on the Council's website.)

# 4. Conduct of meeting

The Cabinet may wish to consider whether there are any items on which there is general agreement which could be considered now, to enable discussion to focus on those items where the Cabinet sees a need for further debate.

## **5. Petition** (Pages 5 - 6)

A petition has been received in the following terms (the letter referred to is attached to the agenda):

"We, the undersigned, support and concur the above letter, and would like to bring the problem regarding (details of the above problem) to your attention and suggest recommendation to improve the situation. We need restriction similar to the Cassiobury Estate e.g., Shepherds Road Watford Herts"

At the time of publication of the agenda the petition contained 37 signatures.

# 6. Financial Planning

Report of Shared Director of Finance

Please note that this report has been printed separately for Budget Panel on 10 January, Cabinet on 16 January and Council on 24 January. Members who receive hard copies are reminded to take their copies to these meetings.

7. Appointment to Watford Health Campus Partnership LLP Partnership Board (Pages 7 - 8)

Report of Head of Democracy and Governance

**8.** Watford's Monitoring Report **2016** (Pages 9 - 172)

Report of the Planning Policy Section Head

9. Procurement of Housing Stock Modelling Exercise - exemption to contract procedures (Pages 173 - 180)

Report of Head of Community and Customer Services