

## Resources Department Town Hall, Upper Street, London, N1 2UD

#### AGENDA FOR THE HOUSING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Members of the Housing Scrutiny Committee are summoned to Committee Room 1, Town Hall, Upper Street, N1 2UD on, **18 April 2024 at 7.30 pm.** 

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Despatched : 10 April 2024

### **Membership**

Councillor Ilkay Cinko-Oner (Vice-Chair)
Councillor Jason Jackson (Chair)
Councillor Phil Graham
Councillor Valerie Bossman-Quarshie
Councillor Michael O'Sullivan
Councillor Mick Gilgunn
Councillor Gulcin Ozdemir
Councillor Ernestas Jegorovas-Armstrong
Dean Donaghey (Resident Observer) (Co-Optee)
Rose Marie McDonald (Resident Observer) (Co-Optee)

#### **Substitute Members**

Councillor Jilani Chowdhury Councillor Ben Mackmurdie Councillor Heather Staff Councillor Rosaline Ogunro Councillor Caroline Russell Councillor Marian Spall

## **Quorum is 4 Councillors**

A. Formal Matters Page

- 1. Apologies for Absence
- Declaration of Substitute Members
- 3. Declarations of Interests

If you have a **Disclosable Pecuniary Interest\*** in an item of business:

- if it is not yet on the council's register, you must declare both the
  existence and details of it at the start of the meeting or when it
  becomes apparent;
- you may **choose** to declare a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest that is already in the register in the interests of openness and transparency.

In both the above cases, you **must** leave the room without participating in discussion of the item.

If you have a **personal** interest in an item of business **and** you intend to speak or vote on the item you **must** declare both the existence and details of it at the start of the meeting or when it becomes apparent but you **may** participate in the discussion and vote on the item.

- \*(a) **Employment, etc -** Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain.
- **(b) Sponsorship** Any payment or other financial benefit in respect of your expenses in carrying out duties as a member, or of your election; including from a trade union.
- (c) Contracts Any current contract for goods, services or works, between you or your partner (or a body in which one of you has a beneficial interest) and the council.
- (d) Land Any beneficial interest in land which is within the council's area.
- **(e) Licences-** Any licence to occupy land in the council's area for a month or longer.
- **(f) Corporate tenancies -** Any tenancy between the council and a body in which you or your partner have a beneficial interest.
- **(g) Securities -** Any beneficial interest in securities of a body which has a place of business or land in the council's area, if the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body or of any one class of its issued share capital.

This applies to **all** members present at the meeting.

4. Minutes of Previous Meeting

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- 5. Chair's Report
- 6. External Attendees (if any)

#### 7. Order of Business

#### 8. Public Questions

For members of the public to ask questions relating to any subject on the meeting agenda under Procedure Rule 70.5. Alternatively, the Chair may opt to accept questions from the public during the discussion on each agenda item.

В.	Items for Decision/Discussion	Page
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## C. Urgent non-exempt items (if any)

Any non- exempt items which the Chair agrees should be considered urgent by reason of special circumstances. The reasons for urgency will be agreed by the Chair and recorded in the minutes.

## D. Exclusion of press and public

To consider whether, in view of the nature of the remaining items on the agenda, any of them are likely to involve the disclosure of exempt or confidential information within the terms of the Access to Information Procedure Rules in the Constitution and, if so, whether to exclude the press and public during discussion thereof.

## E. Confidential/exempt items

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### F. Urgent exempt items (if any)

Any exempt items which the Chair agrees should be considered urgently

by reason of special circumstances. The reasons for urgency will be agreed by the Chair and recorded in the minutes.

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