

# Cabinet Agenda

Date: Tuesday, 22nd August, 2017

Time: 2.00 pm

Venue: Committee Suite 1, 2 & 3, Westfields, Middlewich Road,

Sandbach CW11 1HZ

The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and in the report.

It should be noted that Part 1 items of Council decision-making meetings are audio recorded and the recording will be uploaded to the Council's website.

#### PART 1 - MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT

#### 1. Apologies for Absence

#### 2. **Declarations of Interest**

To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any disclosable pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests in any item on the agenda.

#### 3. Public Speaking Time/Open Session

In accordance with Procedure Rules Nos.11 and 35 a period of 10 minutes is allocated for members of the public to address the meeting on any matter relevant to the work of the body in question. Individual members of the public may speak for up to 5 minutes but the Chairman or person presiding will decide how the period of time allocated for public speaking will be apportioned where there are a number of speakers. Members of the public are not required to give notice to use this facility. However, as a matter of courtesy, a period of 24 hours' notice is encouraged.

Members of the public wishing to ask a question at the meeting should provide at least three clear working days' notice in writing and should include the question with that notice. This will enable an informed answer to be given.

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#### 4. Questions to Cabinet Members

A period of 20 minutes is allocated for questions to be put to Cabinet Members by members of the Council. Notice of questions need not be given in advance of the meeting. Questions must relate to the powers, duties or responsibilities of the Cabinet. Questions put to Cabinet Members must relate to their portfolio responsibilities.

The Leader will determine how Cabinet question time should be allocated where there are a number of Members wishing to ask questions. Where a question relates to a matter which appears on the agenda, the Leader may allow the question to be asked at the beginning of consideration of that item.

#### 5. **Minutes of Previous Meeting** (Pages 5 - 8)

To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> July 2017.

### 6. Safer Routes to Primary Schools (Pages 9 - 16)

To consider a report on safer parking for communities around schools.

## 7. Transport for the North - Membership of Cheshire East Council (Pages 17 - 52)

To consider a report which sets out the process and governance arrangements for Transport for the North to become a statutory body, and which seeks Cabinet approval for Cheshire East Council to confirm its membership of Transport for the North.

# 8. Transfer of the Fairerpower Contract to The Skills & Growth Company (Pages 53 - 64)

To consider a report that proposes that the Fairerpower Contract is transferred to, and modified by, The Skills & Growth Company to enable the expansion of the Fairerpower scheme in the North West and Midlands Region to support the Council's energy objectives and ensure the scheme is viable and sustainable in the longer term.

#### 9. Exclusion of the Press and Public

The report or a part thereof relating to the remaining item on the agenda has been withheld from public circulation and deposit pursuant to Section 100(B)(2) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that the matter may be determined with the press and public excluded.

The Cabinet may decide that the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the item pursuant to Section 100(A)4 of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 3 and 5 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 and the public interest would not be served in publishing the information.

# PART 2 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITHOUT THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT

10. Transfer of the Fairerpower Contract to The Skills & Growth Company (Pages 65 - 76)

To consider the appendix to the report.