CHESHIRE EAST COUNCIL

Council

Date of Meeting:	16 th October 2014
Report of:	Head of Governance and Democratic Services
Subject:	Council's Mayor-Making and Annual General Meetings 2015

1.0 Report Summary

1.1 This report seeks Council approval in respect of a proposed change of date of the Council's 2015 Mayor-Making and Annual General Meetings.

2.0 Recommendations

2.1 That the Council's 2015 Mayor-Making and Annual General Meetings be rescheduled to take place on 27th May 2015.

3.0 Financial Implications

3.1 No direct financial implications arise from the recommendations of this report.

4.0 Legal Implications

4.1 In accordance with Schedule 12 - Meetings and Proceedings of Local Authorities, Part I Principal Councils of The Local Government Act 1972, the first day in accordance with the legislation that the Annual General Meeting could be held is 19th May 2015, with the last day being 1st June. The proposed scheduling of the meeting on 27th May 2015 therefore falls within the statutory timeframe.

5.0 Risk Management

5.1 No risks would appear to arise from the recommendations of this report.

6.0 Background and Options

- 6.1 The Council Calendar of Meetings identifies 20th May 2015 as the date of the Council's Mayor-Making and Annual General Meetings.
- 6.2 Tatton Park is the Council's regular venue for Mayor-Making and Annual General Meetings. However, the venue is not available on the date in question.

6.3 Tatton Park can, however, be secured on 27th May 2015 and this report recommends that Council agrees to change the date of the Mayor-Making and Annual General Meetings to that date.

7.0 Access to Information

No background papers were used in the preparation of this report.

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