A meeting of the CABINET will be held in the CIVIC SUITE 0.1A, THE PATHFINDER HOUSE, ST MARY'S STREET, HUNTINGDON, PE29 3TN on THURSDAY, 16 SEPTEMBER 2010 at 7:00 PM and you are requested to attend for the transaction of the following business:-

APOLOGIES

Contact (01480)

1. MINUTES (Pages 1 - 6)

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Cabinet held on 21st July 2010.

Mrs H J Taylor 388008

2. MEMBERS' INTERESTS

To receive from Members declarations as to personal and/or prejudicial interests and the nature of those interests in relation to any Agenda item. Please see Notes 1 and 2 overleaf.

3. FINANCIAL STRATEGY (Pages 7 - 26)

To consider a report by the Head of Financial Services

S Couper 388103

4. PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT (Pages 27 - 54)

To consider a report by the Head of People, Performance and Partnerships containing details of the Council's performance against its priority objectives.

Ms C Garbett 388459

5. THE REVOCATION OF THE REGIONAL SPATIAL STRATEGY - IMPLICATIONS FOR THE ADOPTED HUNTINGDONSHIRE CORE STRATEGY 2009 AND THE JOINT CAMBRIDGESHIRE APPROACH TO STRATEGIC PLANNING (Pages 55 - 76)

To consider a report by the Head of Planning Services on the implications of the Government's revocation of the Regional Spatial Strategy and the adoption of a joint Cambridgeshire approach to strategic planning.

S Ingram 388400

6. FORMAT OF THE COUNCIL'S EXECUTIVE - THE CHOICE OF EXECUTIVE LEADER OR ELECTED MAYOR (Pages 77 - 88)

To consider a report by the Head of Democratic and Central Services proposing a change in governance arrangements in accordance with the Local Government and Public Involvement R Reeves 388003

Act 2007.

7. SINGLE EQUALITY SCHEME (Pages 89 - 142)

To consider a report by the Head of People, Performance and Partnerships on progress of the Council's Corporate Equality Policy Action Plan and seeking endorsement of the new Single Equality Scheme.

Mrs L Sboui 388032

8. DEMOCRATIC STRUCTURE WORKING GROUP (Pages 143 - 148)

To receive the report of the Working Group held on 6th July 2010.

Miss H Ali 388006

Dated this 16 day of September 2010

Chief Executive

Notes

- 1. A personal interest exists where a decision on a matter would affect to a greater extent than other people in the District
 - (a) the well-being, financial position, employment or business of the Councillor, their family or any person with whom they had a close association:
 - (b) a body employing those persons, any firm in which they are a partner and any company of which they are directors;
 - (c) any corporate body in which those persons have a beneficial interest in a class of securities exceeding the nominal value of £25,000; or
 - (d) the Councillor's registerable financial and other interests.
- 2. A personal interest becomes a prejudicial interest where a member of the public (who has knowledge of the circumstances) would reasonably regard the Member's personal interest as being so significant that it is likely to prejudice the Councillor's judgement of the public interest.

Please contact Mrs H Taylor, Senior Democratic Services Officer, Tel No. 01480 388008/e-mail Helen.Taylor@huntsdc.gov.uk /e-mail: if you have a general query on any Agenda Item, wish to tender your apologies for absence from the meeting, or would like information on any decision taken by the Cabinet.

Specific enquiries with regard to items on the Agenda should be directed towards the Contact Officer.

Members of the public are welcome to attend this meeting as observers except during consideration of confidential or exempt items of business.

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