



A meeting of **HUNTINGDONSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL** will be held in the **CIVIC SUITE (LANCASTER / STIRLING ROOMS), PATHFINDER HOUSE, ST MARY'S STREET, HUNTINGDON PE29 3TN** on **WEDNESDAY, 26 MARCH 2025** at **7:30 PM (OR ON THE RISING OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL WHICHEVER IS THE LATER)** and you are requested to attend for the transaction of the following business:-

AGENDA

APOLOGIES

1. MINUTES (Pages 5 - 20)

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 26th February 2025 and the Extraordinary Meeting held on 19 March 2025 – To Follow.

Time Allocation: 2 Minutes.

2. MEMBERS' INTERESTS

To receive from Members declarations as to disclosable pecuniary, other registerable and non-registerable interests in relation to any Agenda item. See Notes below.

Time Allocation: 2 Minutes.

3. CHAIR'S ENGAGEMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (Pages 21 - 22)

To note the Chair's engagements since the last Council meeting.

Time Allocation: 5 Minutes.

4. QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

To answer any questions submitted by the public in accordance with the Constitution.

The deadline for the receipt of public questions is five days prior to the meeting and must be submitted to the Monitoring Officer.

5. QUESTIONS TO MEMBERS OF THE CABINET

In accordance with the Council Procedure Rules, all questions –

- ❖ Must be relevant to an item which the Council has powers or duties;
- ❖ Must not relate to an item which is included elsewhere on the Agenda
- ❖ Should be limited to obtaining information or pressing for action; and
- ❖ Should not exceed two minutes in duration.

Questions should not divulge or require to be divulged, confidential or exempt information.

Time Allocation: 15 Minutes.

6. CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH COMBINED AUTHORITY - QUESTIONS (Pages 23 - 34)

This item provides an opportunity for District Council Members to ask questions on Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority issues.

If Members wish to raise questions or issues requiring a detailed response, it would be helpful if they can provide prior notice so that the necessary information can be obtained in advance of the meeting.

Time Allocation: 20 Minutes.

7. APPOINTMENT OF MONITORING OFFICER

To consider a report by the Chief Executive on the appointment of a new Monitoring Officer for the District Council – **TO FOLLOW.**

Time Allocation: 10 Minutes.

8. OUTCOMES FROM COMMITTEES AND PANELS (Pages 35 - 36)

An opportunity for Members to raise any issues or ask questions arising from recent meetings of the Council's Committees and Panels.

A list of meetings held since the last Council meeting is attached for information and Members are requested to address their questions to Committee and Panel Chairs.

Time Allocation: 10 Minutes.

9. VARIATIONS TO THE MEMBERSHIP OF COMMITTEES AND PANELS

Group Leaders to report on variations to the Membership of Committees and Panels if necessary.

Time Allocation: 5 Minutes.

10. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

To resolve –

that the press and public be excluded from the meeting because the business to be transacted contains exempt information:

- relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information); and
- in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.

11. WORKFORCE STRATEGY AND DUE DILIGENCE FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT REORGANISATION

To consider a report by the Head of Paid Service.

18th day of March 2025

Michelle Sacks

Chief Executive and Head of Paid Service

Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and other Registerable and Non-Registerable Interests.

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Please contact Mrs Lisa Jablonska, Elections and Democratic Services Manager, Tel No. 01480 388004 / e-mail Lisa.Jablonska@huntingdonshire.gov.uk 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 Council.

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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