



North Tyneside Council

Cabinet

Monday, 24 June 2024 0.02 Chamber - Quadrant, The Silverlink North, Cobalt Business Park, North Tyneside, NE27 0BY commencing at 6.00 pm.

Agenda Item

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1. **Apologies for Absence**

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

2. **To Receive any Declarations of Interest and Notification of any Dispensations Granted**

You are invited to **declare** any registerable and/or non-registerable interests in matters appearing on the agenda, and the nature of that interest.

You are also invited to **disclose** any dispensation in relation to any registerable and/or non-registerable interests that have been granted to you in respect of any matters appearing on the agenda.

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<p>3. Minutes</p> <p>To confirm the minutes of the meetings held on 20 May 2024 and 10 June 2024 respectively.</p>	<p>7 – 16</p>
<p>4. Report of the Young Mayor</p> <p>To receive a verbal report on the latest activities of the Young Mayor and Young Cabinet.</p>	
<p>5. North Tyneside Statement of Licensing Policy (Gambling)</p> <p>Local Authorities are required by the Gambling Act 2005 (“the Act”) to publish a Statement of Licensing Policy and to revise the Policy at least every three years. Cabinet are being asked to endorse the initial proposals for the draft revised Statement of Licensing Policy (Gambling) and approve the consultation on the draft revised statement.</p>	<p>17 – 114</p>
<p>6. 2023/24 Performance and Financial Management Report to 31 March 2024</p> <p>The report summaries both the performance and financial outturn position across the Authority as at 31 March 2024. It also deals with a number of procedural matters as the Authority moves into the new financial year.</p>	<p>115 – 306</p>
<p>7. Housing and Property Services Annual Complaints Report 2023–2024</p> <p>The Housing Act 1996 was amended by the Social Housing (Regulation) Act 2023 which meant that from September 2023 the Housing Ombudsman (HO) was empowered to issue a code of practice about procedures for handling housing complaints to members of the Housing Ombudsman Scheme. As a social landlord the Authority is</p>	<p>307 – 396</p>

by law a member of the HO Scheme. A further amendment to the Housing Act placed a duty on the HO to monitor landlord compliance with the code of practice.

The HO will monitor compliance in three ways to ensure that the landlord:

- Has scrutinised and challenged the compliance with the Code, complaints handling performance and learning from complaints at its governing body and published the outcome on its website.
- Complies with the Code in policy, and that any deviations are explained and reasonable.
- Complies with the Code in practice.

Cabinet is requested to Agree the Housing and Property Services Annual Complaints Performance and Service Improvement Report 2023-24.

8. North East Mayoral Combined Authority Borrowing Powers 397 - 402

The report seeks consent to the making of Regulations by central government to provide the new Mayoral Combined Authority (“NECA”), with borrowing powers in line with the Devolution Deal and Scheme, the latter of which was subject to public consultation.

9. Terms and Conditions for Garden Waste Collection Charges 403 - 422

Garden waste collections are currently provided to residents free of charge. Brown bins are collected between the months of March and November. The introduction of a £30 charge to households as an opt-in garden waste collection service was approved by full Council at its budget setting meeting on 15 February 2024. The report seeks Cabinet approval of the Terms and

Condition for the garden waste collection service.

10. An Ambition for North Tyneside - Update 423 - 448

The report is presented to Cabinet with an update on the delivery of the Authority's 'Ambition for North Tyneside' which was agreed by Cabinet on 26 November 2018 as a framework for the regeneration of the borough in line with the then 'Our North Tyneside Plan'.

11. North Tyneside Housing Delivery Test Action Plan 449 - 486

The Housing Delivery Test Action Plan ("Action Plan") is necessary because of the results of the 2022 Housing Delivery Test published by the Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities (DLUHC) show that the Authority's housing delivery has fallen below 95% of its requirement over the previous three years. This means that in accordance with the National Planning Policy Framework the Authority is required to prepare an Action Plan which assesses the causes of the under-delivery and identifies actions that will be taken to increase delivery in future years.

The Action Plan will provide an ongoing framework for the Authority that will be reviewed annually, until housing returns above 95% of the Authority's requirement.

12. Date and Time of Next Meeting

Monday 29 July 2024 at 6.00pm.

Circulation overleaf ...

Circulated to Members of Cabinet: -

N Redfearn (Elected Mayor)

Councillor C Johnson (Deputy Mayor)

Councillor K Clark

Councillor P Earley

Councillor S Graham

Councillor J Harrison

Councillor Janet Hunter

Councillor H Johnson

Councillor A McMullen

Councillor S Phillips

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North Tyneside Council.**