

| REPORT TO | DATE OF MEETING |
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| Appointment of Committees 2015/16 | Leader | Martin O'Loughlin | 9 |

SUMMARY AND LINK TO CORPORATE PRIORITIES

The report deals with the appointment of the Council's Committees.

The provision of an effective democratic structure and process underpins the delivery of all the council's corporate objectives.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Committees be appointed in accordance with the attached schedule (Appendix A).

DETAILS AND REASONING

The schedule attached shows nominations received from the political groups in respect of the membership of Committees (Appendix A).

WIDER IMPLICATIONS

In the preparation of this report, consideration has been given to the impact of its proposals in all the areas listed below, and the table shows any implications in respect of each of these.

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| FINANCIAL | There are no financial implications arising from the appointments. | | |
| LEGAL | The appointments to Committees are made in accordance with relevant legislation and, in particular, with regard to the proportionality requirements of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 where these apply. | | |
| RISK | Failure to have in place a robust and effective decision making structure could leave the council's decisions open to challenge. This risk is addressed by the proposals within the report. | | |
| THE IMPACT ON EQUALITY | The appointment of Committees is in accordance with proportionality. | | |
| <i>Asset Management</i> | <i>Corporate Plans and Policies</i> | <i>Efficiency Savings</i> | <i>Equality, Diversity and Community Cohesion</i> |
| <i>Freedom of Information/ Data Protection</i> | <i>Health and Safety</i> | <i>Human Rights Act 1998</i> | <i>Implementing Electronic Government</i> |
| <i>Respect Agenda</i> | <i>Staffing</i> | <i>Sustainability</i> | <i>Training and Development</i> |

BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

None

SOUTH RIBBLE BOROUGH COUNCIL

MEMBERSHIP OF COMMITTEES 2015/16 NOMINATIONS

1. SCRUTINY COMMITTEE (12)

(a) Conservative (7)

Councillors Mrs. Ball, Coulton, Mrs B Nathan, Nelson, Mrs K Walton, Wharton and Mrs Woollard

(b) Labour (5)

Councillors K Jones, Martin, Titherington, M Tomlinson, Watkinson

Chairman: Councillor Titherington
Vice-chairman: Councillor Mrs Ball

2. PLANNING COMMITTEE (15)

(a) Conservative (9)

Councillors Bird, Mrs Mary Green, Hesketh, Marsh, Mrs Mort, M Nathan, Mrs Noblet, Walton and Yates

(b) Labour (6)

Councillors Evans, Forrest, Ms Hamilton, Heyworth, Mrs S Jones, Ms L Mawson

Chairman: Councillor Hesketh
Vice-chairman: Councillor Mrs Noblett

3. LICENSING ACT COMMITTEE (11)

(a) Conservative (6)

Councillors Mrs Blow, Marsh, Nelson, Rainsbury, Suthers and Wharton

(b) Labour (4)

Councillors Ms Bell, C Tomlinson, Watts, Wooldridge

(c) Liberal Democrat (1)

Councillor Hancock

Chairman: Councillor Rainsbury
Vice-chairman: Councillor Suthers

4. GENERAL LICENSING COMMITTEE (11)

(a) Conservative (6)

Councillors Mrs Blow, Marsh, Nelson, Rainsbury, Suthers and Wharton

(b) Labour (4)

Councillors Ms Bell, C Tomlinson, Watts, Wooldridge

(c) Liberal Democrat (1)

Councillor Hancock

Chairman: Councillor Rainsbury
Vice-chairman: Councillor Suthers

5. GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE (6)

(a) Conservative (4)

Councillors Clark, Ogilvie, Mrs Snape and Mrs K Walton

(b) Labour (2)

Councillor Patten and Foster

Chairman: Councillor Ogilvie
Vice-chairman: Councillor Foster

6. APPEALS COMMITTEE (6)

(a) Conservative (4)

Councillors Clark, Coulton, Mrs. Mort and Mrs B Nathan

(b) Labour (2)

Councillors Heyworth & Titherington

7. STANDARDS COMMITTEE (7)

(a) Conservative (4)

Councillors Mrs Blow, Clark, M Nathan, and Ogilvie

(b) Labour (3)

Councillors Mrs S Jones, Heyworth and Higgins

Chairman: Councillor Clark

8. BOUNDARY COMMITTEE (11)

(a) Conservative (6)

Councillors, Bird, Michael Green, Hughes, Mullineaux, Mrs M Smith and P Smith

(b) Labour (4)

Councillors Foster, Martin, Watts & M Tomlinson

(c) Liberal Democrat (1)

Councillor Howarth

Chairman: Councillor Mrs M Smith