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| **REPORT TO** | **ON** | |
| Council | 27 February 2019 | |
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| **TITLE** | | **REPORT OF** | |
| Nomination of Mayor Elect and Deputy Mayor Elect 2019/2020 | | Assistant Director of Scrutiny and Democratic Services | |

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| Is this report confidential? | **No** |

1. **PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

To agree nominations for the Mayor Elect and Deputy Mayor Elect 2019/20.

1. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

2.1That the current Deputy Mayor, Councillor Carol Chisholm be nominated as the Mayor Elect for 2019/20; and

2.2 That Councillor Peter Mullineaux be nominated as the Deputy Mayor Elect for 2019/20.

1. **CORPORATE PRIORITIES**

The report relates to the following corporate priorities:

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| Excellence and Financial Sustainability | 🗸 |
| Health and Wellbeing |  |
| Place |  |

Projects relating to People in the Corporate Plan:

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| People |  |

1. **MAYOR ELECT AND DEPUTY MAYOR ELECT 2019/20**
   1. The Mayor and Deputy Mayor for the Council Year 2019/20 will need to be formally appointed at the Annual Council Meeting (Mayoral Installation) to be held on 15 May 2019.
   2. It has been the practice for a number of years for the Cabinet to nominate the Mayor Elect and Deputy Mayor Elect for the forthcoming Council Year, in advance of the Annual Council Meeting. This will enable arrangements to be made for the Mayoral Installation and invitations sent out to family members and friends, well in advance of the event.
   3. It has also been normal practice for the Deputy Mayor to be appointed as the Mayor for the succeeding Council Year. Councillor Carol Chisholm was appointed as the Deputy Mayor for 2018/19 and it would therefore follow that she should be nominated as the Mayor Elect for 2019/20.
   4. At the Cabinet meeting on 13 February 2019 consideration was given to nominating a Councillor to be the Deputy Mayor Elect for 2019/20 who would be seeking re-election as a Councillor at the Council Elections to be held 2 May 2019 and subject to being re-elected, would be willing to serve as the Mayor for 2019/20.
   5. Cabinet agreed to nominate Councillor Carol Chisholm as Mayor Elect for 2019/20 and Councillor Peter Mullineaux as Deputy Mayor Elect for 2019/20.

**6. CONSULTATION CARRIED OUT AND OUTCOME OF CONSULTATION**

6.1Not applicable.

**7. Financial implications**

7.1 Mayoral costs are already included in the Council’s revenue budget and therefore the appointment of the Mayor Elect and Deputy Mayor Elect for 2019/20 will have no financial impact.

**8. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

8.1This report complies with our constitution and legal requirements.

**9. COMMENTS OF THE STATUTORY FINANCE OFFICER**

9.1 Mayoral costs are already included in the Council’s revenue budget and therefore the appointment of the Mayor Elect and Deputy Mayor Elect for 2019/20 will have no financial impact.

**10. COMMENTS OF THE MONITORING OFFICER**

10.1 The Constitution states that the Mayor and Deputy Mayor should be appointed at the Annual Council Meeting and this report requests that Council nominate the Mayor Elect and Deputy Mayor Elect for 2019/20 to enable arrangements for the Mayoral Installation on 15 May 2019 to be commenced.

**11. OTHER IMPLICATIONS:**

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| * **HR & Organisational Development** * **ICT / Technology** * **Property & Asset Management** * **Risk** * **Equality & Diversity** | None  None  None  None  None |

**12. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS**

12.1 There are no background papers to this report.

**13. APPENDICES**

13.1 There are no appendices to this report.

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