

# **Council Meeting**

28 January 2015

Time 5.45 pm Public Meeting? YES Type of meeting Full Council

Venue Council Chamber - Civic Centre, St Peter's Square, Wolverhampton WV1 1SH

Membership (Quorum for this meeting is 15 Councillors)

Mayor Cllr Michael Heap (LibDem)

Deputy Mayor Cllr Ian Brookfield (Lab)

#### Labour

Cllr Ian Angus
Cllr Harbans Bagri
Cllr Harman Banger
Cllr Mary Bateman
Cllr Philip Bateman
Cllr Payal Bedi
Cllr Peter Bilson
Cllr Alan Bolshaw
Cllr Greg Brackenridge
Cllr Paula Brookfield
Cllr Ian Claymore
Cllr Craig Collingswood
Cllr Susan Constable
Cllr Claire Darke
Cllr Bishan Dass

Cllr Jasbinder Dehar
Cllr Steve Evans
Cllr Val Evans
Cllr Bhupinder Gakhal
Cllr Val Gibson
Cllr Dr Michael Hardacre
Cllr Julie Hodgkiss
Cllr Keith Inston
Cllr Jasbir Jaspal
Cllr Milkinderpal Jaspal
Cllr Andrew Johnson
Cllr Roger Lawrence
Cllr Linda Leach
Cllr Elias Mattu
Cllr Lorna McGregor

Cllr Peter O'Neill
Cllr Phil Page
Cllr Rita Potter
Cllr John Reynolds
Cllr John Rowley
Cllr Judith Rowley
Cllr Sandra Samuels
Cllr Caroline Siarkiewicz
Cllr Stephen Simkins
Cllr Tersaim Singh
Cllr Jacqueline Sweetman
Cllr Paul Sweet
Cllr Bert Turner
Cllr Martin Waite
Cllr Daniel Warren

#### Conservative

Cllr Mark Evans
Cllr Barry Findlay
Cllr Christopher Haynes
Cllr Christine Mills
Cllr Patricia Patten
Cllr Arun Photay
Cllr Zahid Shah
Cllr Paul Singh
Cllr Wendy Thompson
Cllr Andrew Wynne
Cllr Jonathan Yardley

# Liberal Democrat

Cllr Richard Whitehouse Cllr Malcolm Gwinnett

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## [NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED]

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# **Agenda**

Item No. Title

# **MEETING BUSINESS ITEMS**

- 1 Apologies for absence
- 2 Declarations of interest
- 3 Minutes of previous meeting (Pages 5 12)
- 4 Communications

[To receive the Mayor's announcements]

# **DECISION ITEMS**

Housing Revenue Account Business Plan (including 2015/16 budget rents and service charges) (Pages 13 - 16)

[To the updated Housing Revenue Account business plan]

6 **Polling Stations** (Pages 17 - 20)

[To approve changes to polling stations for the 2015 elections]

7 Changes to the Constitution (Pages 21 - 24)

[To consider changes to the Constitution in respect of of Parent Governor representatives on the Children and Young People Scrutiny Panel and the governance arrangements of the Local Government Pension Scheme]

8 Funding cuts to the West Midlands Police Councillor Mattu to move the following motion

"The Government have announced that in 2015-16 the West Midlands Police service will be subject to £23M further cuts, equivalent to a further 5% reduction. This is on top of the £120M savings already made.

This Council wishes to express its concern regarding the impact this will have for local residents in Wolverhampton. This Council therefore calls on the Government to review its unfair funding cuts to the West Midlands Police, in particular the unfair implementation of the national funding policing formula which has led to resources being passed to areas with lower needs."

- 9 **Executive Business** (Pages 25 26)
  - [To receive the summary of executive business]
- 10 Questions

## [NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED]

- 1. Councillor P. Singh to ask the Cabinet Member for Governance & Performance:-
  - Could the Cabinet Member advise Council on the costs of employing temporary staff through agencies in the authority for the last three completed financial years?
- 2. Councillor S. Simkins to ask the Cabinet Member for Schools, Skills and Learning:-
  - Could the Cabinet Member update Council on the outcome of the latest Ofsted inspection of the Wolverhampton Adult Education Service?