

<u>To</u>: Councillor Radley, <u>Convener</u>; Councillor McRae, <u>Vice-Convener</u>; and Councillors Bonsell, Brooks, Copland, Cross, Delaney, the <u>Depute Provost</u>, Graham, Greig, McLellan, Nicoll, Mrs Stewart and Thomson.

Town House, ABERDEEN 10 May 2023

COMMUNITIES, HOUSING AND PUBLIC PROTECTION COMMITTEE

The Members of the COMMUNITIES, HOUSING AND PUBLIC PROTECTION COMMITTEE are requested to meet in Council Chamber - Town House on <u>TUESDAY</u>, 16 MAY 2023 at 10.00 am. This is a hybrid meeting and Members may also attend remotely.

The meeting will be webcast and a live stream can be viewed on the Council's website. https://aberdeen.public-i.tv/core/portal/home

JENNI LAWSON INTERIM CHIEF OFFICER – GOVERNANCE (LEGAL)

BUSINESS

DETERMINATION OF URGENT BUSINESS

1. There are no items of urgent business at this time.

DETERMINATION OF EXEMPT BUSINESS

2. Determination of Exempt Business

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

3. Members are requested to intimate any declarations of interest

REQUESTS FOR DEPUTATION

4. There are no requests for deputation at this time

MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING

5. <u>Minute of the Previous Meeting of 14 March 2023</u> (Pages 5 - 8)

COMMITTEE PLANNER

6. <u>Committee Business Planner</u> (Pages 9 - 14)

NOTICES OF MOTION

- 7. <u>Notice of Motion by Councillor Tissera referred from Council meeting of 26 April 2023.</u>
 - Notes the decision taken by the Administration to deny the public a voice at the last Council meeting.
 - Notes the Administration have agreed to shut 6 well-loved libraries in our city,
 2 of which are in the ward of Councillor Hazel Cameron.
 - Notes that libraries are community facilities with many uses, including helping teach children to read and notes Aberdeen City Council's active support for libraries on their website specifically saying children are never too young to join the library.
 - Notes the words used by Councillor Hazel Cameron when defending library closures "that buildings will not teach your children to read" and strongly disagrees with this position.
 - Affirms the benefits of libraries in helping children learn to read.

REFERRALS FROM COUNCIL, COMMITTEES AND SUB COMMITTEES

8. There are no reports under this heading

GENERAL BUSINESS

PUBLIC PROTECTION

9.1. <u>Scottish Fire and Rescue - Thematic Report: SFRS Rescue and Specialist</u> Support - SFR/23/152 (Pages 15 - 26)

9.2. Police Scotland - verbal update

FINANCE, PERFORMANCE, RISK AND SERVICE WIDE ISSUES

10.1. Performance Report - COM/23/114 (Pages 27 - 60)

COMMUNITIES AND HOUSING

- 11.1. Participatory Budgeting CUS/23/134 (Pages 61 68)
- 11.2. Housing Strategy Report COM/23/127 (Pages 69 74)
- 11.3. Piper Alpha Memorial RES/23/151 (Pages 75 78)
- 11.4. Parks & Open Areas Management Rules 2024 RES/23/143 to follow
- 11.5. <u>City Centre Multi Storey Blocks Progress on Full Options Appraisal RES/23/149</u> (Pages 79 88)
- 11.6. <u>Food Standards Scotland Audit of Local Authority implementation of interventions Food Law Code of Practice (Scotland) RES/23/133</u> (Pages 89 152)
- 11.7. <u>Housing Improvement Group Capital Works Improvements RES/23/158</u> (Pages 153 164)

CONFIDENTIAL AND EXEMPT BUSINESS

- 12.1. Cremation Aberdeen Crematorium RES/23/147 (Pages 165 170)
- 12.2. <u>City Centre Multi Storey Blocks Progress on Full Options Appraisal -</u> exempt appendices (Pages 171 602)

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