

CABINET

Monday, 10 June 2019

10.00 a.m.

**Council Chamber, Rotherham Town Hall,
Moorgate Street, Rotherham. S60 2TH**

Cabinet Members:-

Leader of the Council
Deputy Leader of the Council,
Children's Services and Neighbourhood Working Portfolio
Adult Social Care and Health Portfolio
Cleaner, Greener Communities
Corporate Services and Finance Portfolio
Housing Portfolio
Jobs and the Local Economy Portfolio
Waste, Roads and Community Safety Portfolio

Councillor Chris Read
Councillor Gordon Watson

Councillor David Roche
Councillor Sarah Allen
Councillor Saghir Alam
Councillor Dominic Beck
Councillor Denise Lelliott
Councillor Emma Hoddinott

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A G E N D A

1. Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies from any Member who is unable to attend the meeting.

2. Declarations of Interest

To invite Councillors to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests or personal interests they may have in any matter which is to be considered at this meeting, to confirm the nature of those interests and whether they intend to leave the meeting for the consideration of the item.

3. Questions from Members of the Public

To receive questions from members of the public who wish to ask a general question in respect of matters within the Council's area of responsibility or influence.

Subject to the Chair's discretion, members of the public may ask one question and one supplementary question, which should relate to the original question and answered received.

Councillors may also ask questions under this agenda item.

4. Minutes of the Previous Meeting (Pages 1 - 9)

To receive the record of proceedings of the Cabinet meeting held on 20 May 2019.

5. Exclusion of the Press and Public

There are no agenda items which would require the exclusion of the press or public from the meeting. However, if necessary when considering those items, the Chair will move the following resolution:-

That under Section 100(A) 4 of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the relevant paragraph of Part 1 of Schedule 12(A) of such Act indicated, as now amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006.

LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

6. Appointment of Councillors to serve on Outside Bodies (Pages 11 - 20)

Report of the Assistant Chief Executive

Recommendations:-

1. That Councillors be appointed to serve on Outside Bodies, as detailed on the schedule in Appendix 1.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES AND NEIGHBOURHOOD WORKING

7. Looked After Children and Care Leavers Sufficiency Strategy 2019-2022 (Pages 21 - 52)

Report of the Strategic Director of Children and Young People's Services

Recommendations:-

1. That approval be given to the publication of the Looked After Children's Sufficiency Strategy.

CLEANER GREENER COMMUNITIES

8. Rotherham's Cultural Strategy 2019 - 2026 (Pages 53 - 95)

Report of the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment

Recommendations:-

1. That the new Cultural Strategy 2019 – 2026 be considered and endorsed.

HOUSING

9. Selective Licensing - Consultation on future designations (Pages 97 - 142)

Report of the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment

Recommendations:-

1. That approval be given to a public consultation on the proposed designation areas for Selective Licensing of private rented housing.
2. That a further report be submitted to Cabinet in January 2020 on the outcome of the public consultation to consider designating Selective Licensing areas.

10. Designation of Selective Licensing Areas - Parkgate and Thurcroft (Pages 143 - 218)

Report of the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment

Recommendations:-

1. That the strong evidence and public support for the Selective Licensing of Private Rented properties in Thurcroft and Parkgate be noted.
2. That the two areas in Thurcroft and Parkgate detailed in this report be designated as Selective Licensing Areas under Part 3 of the Housing Act 2004 through the designation orders in Appendix 5, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government.
3. That the Selective Licensing Conditions contained in Appendix 3 in the new designation orders be adopted for all new licences granted across Rotherham.
4. That, further to the adoption of the Selective Licensing conditions contained as at Appendix 3, approval be given to the proposed licence fee structure for the Thurcroft and Parkgate areas as set out in paragraph 6.1 below, and the application of this fee structure to all new Selective licences granted in Selective Licensing areas across Rotherham.
5. That the Assistant Director, Community Safety & Street Scene be required to apply to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government to confirm the designations.

JOBS AND THE LOCAL ECONOMY

11. Rotherham Employment and Skills Strategy (Pages 219 - 328)

Report of the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment

Recommendations:-

1. That the Rotherham Employment & Skills Strategy be endorsed.
2. That it be noted that responsibility for delivering and monitoring of the Strategy sits with the Business Growth Board of the Rotherham Together Partnership (RTP).
3. That it be noted that the Strategy will be monitored on a six-monthly basis, with the results reported through the Business Growth Board of RTP.

WASTE, ROADS AND COMMUNITY SAFETY

12. Proposal for a Public Space Protection Order in the Fitzwilliam Road area (Pages 329 - 363)

Report of the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment

Recommendations:-

1. That approval be given to the implementation of a Public Space Protection Order on the boundaries as shown as draft in Appendix 1, for the maximum three year period.
2. That the specific conditions recommended in section 7 and captured within the draft Order at Appendix 1 be approved and adopted.
3. That the action to pilot a 'Tidy Garden Scheme' in relation to waste in gardens be noted.

13. Modern Slavery Update and Transparency Statement 2019-20 (Pages 365 - 386)

Report of the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment

Recommendations:-

1. That the progress against commitments made be noted.
2. That the refreshed Transparency Statement be approved for publication.

14. Adoption of a Sex Establishment Licensing Policy (Pages 387 - 454)

Report of the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment

Recommendations:-

1. That the Cabinet notes and has due regard to the attached reports including the Equality Analysis and the consultation document appended to this report.
2. That the proposed Sex Establishment Licensing Policy be adopted (see Appendix 2), including: proposed limits on the numbers of Sex Establishments in localities of the Borough and the types of areas where Sex Establishments would/would not be deemed appropriate; to be effective from 1st July 2019.
3. That the charging arrangements for the licensing of Sex Establishments, to be effective from 1st July 2019, be approved.

15. Licensing Act 2003 - Statement of Licensing Policy (Pages 455 - 540)

Report of the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment

Recommendations:-

1. That approval be given to begin public consultation, in line with Option 3 (section 3), to inform the development of the Council's Licensing Act 2003 Statement of Licensing Policy.
2. That Cabinet agree that Officers undertake a Cumulative Impact Assessment in respect of licensable activities, to support the development of a Licensing Act 2003 Statement of Licensing Policy.

16. Gambling Act 2005 - Statement of Licensing Policy (Pages 541 - 586)

Report of the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment

Recommendations:-


1. That approval be given to begin public consultation, in line with Option 3 (section 3), to inform the development of the Council's Gambling Act 2005 Statement of Licensing Policy.
2. That Cabinet agree to the commencement of a study into the individual and cumulative impact of gambling across the Borough to develop a Local Area Risk Profile, to support the Gambling Act 2005 Statement of Licensing Policy.

17. Recommendations from Overview and Scrutiny Management Board
To receive a report detailing the recommendations of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board in respect of the following items that were subject to pre-decision scrutiny on 5th June, 2019:-

- Looked After Children and Care Leavers Sufficiency Strategy 2019-2022.
- Rotherham's Cultural Strategy 2019-2026.
- Rotherham Employment and Skills Strategy.
- Adoption of a Sex Establishments Policy.
- Proposal for a Public Space Protection Order in the Fitzwilliam Road Area.

18. Date and Time of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Cabinet will take place on Monday 8 July 2019 at 10.00 am in Rotherham Town Hall.



SHARON KEMP,
Chief Executive.