

# Council

**Date:** Tuesday, 14 December 2021  
**Time:** 6.30 pm  
**Venue:** A link to the meeting can be found on the front page of the agenda.

## Membership: (Quorum 21)

The Council membership is listed on the following page.

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**Chief Executive:** Matt Prosser, South Walks House, South Walks Road, Dorchester, Dorset DT1 1UZ (Sat Nav DT1 1EE)

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# Membership of Dorset Council

Anthony Alford	Stella Jones
Jon Andrews	Andrew Kerby
Rod Adkins	Paul Kimber
Michael Barron	Rebecca Knox
Peter Barrow	Noc Lacey-Clarke
Shane Bartlett	Howard Legg
Pauline Batstone	Robin Legg
Derek Beer	Cathy Lugg
Richard Biggs	Laura Miller
David Bolwell	David Morgan
Alexandra Brenton	Louie O'Leary
Cherry Brooks	Jon Orrell
Piers Brown	Emma Parker
Ray Bryan	Mike Parkes
Andrew Canning	Andrew Parry
Graham Carr-Jones	Mary Penfold
Simon Christopher	Bill Pipe
Kelvin Clayton	Valerie Potheary
Susan Cocking	Byron Quayle
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Tim Cook	Belinda Ridout
Toni Coombs	Mark Roberts
Janet Dover	Julie Robinson
Jean Dunseith	Maria Roe
Mike Dyer	David Shortell
Beryl Ezzard	Jane Somper
Tony Ferrari	Andrew Starr
Spencer Flower	Gary Suttle
Les Fry	Clare Sutton
Simon Gibson	Roland Tarr
Barry Goringe	David Taylor
David Gray	Gill Taylor
Matthew Hall	David Tooke
Paul Harrison	William Trite
Jill Haynes	Daryl Turner
Brian Heatley	David Walsh
Ryan Holloway	Peter Wharf
Ryan Hope	Kate Wheller
Robert Hughes	Sarah Williams
Nick Ireland	John Worth
Sherry Jespersen	
Carole Jones	

# AGENDA

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## 1 APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies for absence.

## 2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To disclose any pecuniary, other registrable or personal interest as set out in the adopted Code of Conduct. In making their decision councillors are asked to state the agenda item, the nature of the interest and any action they propose to take as part of their declaration.

If required, further advice should be sought from the Monitoring Officer in advance of the meeting.

## 3 PRESENTATION

The Chairman to receive, on behalf of Dorset Council, the Armed Forces Covenant Silver Employer Recognition Award.

## 4 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

To receive any announcements from the Chairman of Council.

## 5 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

A period of 30 minutes is allocated to receive and respond to questions and statements on the business of the Council in the following order:

- (a) Questions and statements from Town and Parish Councils;
- (b) Questions and statements from those living or working in the Dorset Council area;

A person or organisation can ask either 2 questions, or 2 statements or 1 question and 1 statement at each meeting.

**\*\*Important\*\*The full text of the question or statement must be received by 8.30am on Thursday 9 December 2021 and each question or statement is limited to 450 words.**

Due to the Coronavirus pandemic public speaking has been suspended, however questions and statements will be published on the website and the Chairman of Council will decide whether a question or statement is to be read out aloud in whole, in part or not at

all in the meeting. The Chairman will invite the relevant member to respond to the questions and statements at the meeting.

Details of the Council's procedure rules can be found at:  
[Temporary Council Procedure Rules](#)

## **6 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - PETITIONS AND DEPUTATIONS**

A period of 15 minutes is allocated to receive and respond to petitions in accordance with the council's petitions scheme.

A period of 15 minutes is allocated to receive and respond to deputations in accordance with the council's constitution.

The petitions scheme and procedures relating to deputations can be viewed at:

[Temporary Council Procedure Rules](#)

## **7 ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REPORTS FROM THE LEADER OF COUNCIL AND CABINET MEMBERS**

To receive any announcements and reports from the Leader of Council and members of the Cabinet.

## **8 QUESTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS**

To receive questions submitted by councillors. The deadline for receipt of questions is 8.30am on Thursday 9 December 2021.

## **9 COMMUNITY GOVERNANCE REVIEW - REVISED TIMETABLE** 7 - 10

To consider a report by the Service Manager for Democratic and Electoral Services.

## **10 CHANGING THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR BRINGING MOTIONS ON NOTICE TO FULL COUNCIL** 11 - 16

To consider a recommendation from the Audit & Governance Committee.

## **11 APPOINTMENT OF OVERVIEW COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN**

(a) To appoint a Chairman of the Place & Resources Overview Committee for the period up to the Annual Meeting of Council in 2022.

The nomination from the Conservative Group is Cllr Carole Jones.  
The nomination from the ALL Group is Cllr Les Fry.

(b) To appoint a Chairman of the People & Health Overview Committee for the period up to the Annual Meeting of Council in 2022.

The nomination from the Conservative Group is Cllr Mike Parkes.

## **12 REVIEW OF POLITICAL BALANCE** 17 - 22

To consider a report by the Democratic Services Team Leader.

## **13 ADOPTION OF THE CALENDAR OF MEETINGS 2022 - 2023** 23 - 36

To consider a report by the Senior Democratic Services Officer.

## **14 URGENT ITEMS**

To consider any items of business which the Chairman has had prior notification and considers to be urgent pursuant to section 100B (4) b) of the Local Government Act 1972. The reason for the urgency shall be recorded in the minutes.

## **15 EXEMPT BUSINESS**

To move the exclusion of the press and the public for the following item in view of the likely disclosure of exempt information within the meaning of paragraph 3 of schedule 12 A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended). The public and the press will be asked to leave the meeting whilst the item of business is considered.

**There is no exempt business.**