Management Committee 6 March 2018 Councillor Appointment to Outside Body

For Decision

Briefholder

Cllr Alison Reed

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Statutory Authority

Local Government Act 1972

Purpose of Report

- 1 To appoint a councillor to serve on one of the council's outside bodies.
- 2 To appoint a councillor to serve as the Vice-Chairman of Portland Quarries Liaison Group.

Recommendations

- 3 To appoint a councillor to serve as on Portland Harbour Consultative Committee.
- 4 To approve Cllr M Leicester as the council's appointment to serve as the Vice-Chairman of the Portland Quarries Liaison Group.

Reason for Decision

- 5 To ensure there is representation of Weymouth & Portland Borough Council on the Portland Harbour Consultative Committee.
- 6 To appoint a Vice Chairman to the Portland Quarries Liaison Group as requested by the organisation.

Background and Reason Decision Needed

Portland Harbour Consultative Committee

7 Following the resignation of Councillor David Hawkins a vacancy occurred on the Portland Harbour Consultative Committee. The committee have asked us to appoint a new member to serve as the council's representative on this outside body.

8 All WPBC members were invited to apply for this position. Three applications were received from ClIrs P Kimber, O Kanji and K Baker which are appended to this report.

Portland Quarries Liaison Group

9 Cllrs M Leicester and R Nowak currently serve as Weymouth and Portland Borough Council's representatives on the Portland Quarries Liaison Group. The group has requested that either of the borough councillors serve as Vice-Chairman to the group. Both councillors are aware of the request and agreed that the Management Committee be requested to approve the appointment of Cllr M Leicester to serve as Vice-Chairman on the Portland Quarries Liaison Group.

Implications

Financial

10 There are no financial implications arising from the process of making appointments to internal working groups or outside bodies.

Equalities

11 All members of WPBC are invited to apply for vacancies on the council's outside bodies.

Consultation and Engagement

12 All WPBC councillors were notified of the vacancy on the Portland Harbour Consultative Committee and both councillor representatives of the Portland Quarries Liaison Group were made aware of the group's request.

Appendices

13 Appendix 1 - Applications received for the vacancy of Portland Harbour Consultative Committee

Background Papers

14 There are no background papers.

Footnote

Issues relating to financial, environmental, economic and equalities implications have been considered and any information relevant to the decision is included within the report.

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