

MEETING:	Full Council
DATE:	Thursday 28 July 2022
TIME:	10.00 am
VENUE:	Council Chamber, Barnsley Town Hall

SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

8. Appointments to Boards, Committees and Outside Bodies

Appointment to Boards and Committees

Appeals, Awards and Standards Committee

Proposed to
Remove – Councillor Makinson
Add – Councillor Bowler

Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Proposed to
Remove – Councillor Makinson
Add – Councillor Williams

Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Healthy Barnsley Workstream)

Proposed to
Remove - Councillors Cain, Peace and Makinson
Add - Councillors Smith, Sumner and Williams

Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Growing Barnsley Workstream)

Proposed to
Remove – Councillors Smith and Sumner
Add - Councillors Cain and Peace

Planning Regulatory Board

Proposed to
Remove – Councillor Makinson
Add – 1x Vacancy (Labour)

Appointment to Outside Bodies

Barnsley Hospital NHS Foundation Trust Council of Governors

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Place Health and Adult Social Care

Barnsley Local Access Forum

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Environment and Highways

Barnsley Magistrates Court Liquor Licensing Forum

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Public Health and Communities

Barnsley Premier Leisure Board

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Environment and Highways

Barnsley Safeguarding Adults Board

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Place Health and Adult Social Care

Minding the Gap Multi-Agency Steering Group

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Public Health and Communities

PATROL Adjudication Joint Committee

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Environment and Highways

Safer Barnsley Partnership Board

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Public Health and Communities

Schools Forum

Proposed to

Remove - Councillor McCarthy

Add - Councillor Newing

Shaw Lands Trust

Proposed – Councillor Makinson for a term of three years

Smokefree Tobacco Alliance

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Public Health and Communities

South West Yorkshire Foundation Trust (Previously South West Yorkshire Partnership NHS Foundation Trust)

Proposed - Cabinet Support Member Place Health and Adult Social Care

South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority Audit, Standards and Risk Committee

Proposed to

Remove - Councillors Clarke and Stowe

Add - Councillors Lofts and Richardson (Substitute)

South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority Education, Skills and Employability Board

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Regeneration and Culture and Cabinet Support Member Regeneration and Culture (Substitute)

South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority Transport and Environment Board

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Regeneration and Culture and Cabinet Support Member Regeneration and Culture (Substitute)

South Yorkshire PCP Violence Reduction Unit Reference Group

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Public Health and Communities

South Yorkshire Sub-Regional Migration Group

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Public Health and Communities

Stronger Communities Partnership

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Public Health and Communities

Transport for the North Scrutiny Committee

Proposed - Cabinet Spokesperson Regeneration and Culture

Yorkshire and Humber Joint Health Scrutiny Committee

Proposed – Chair of Overview and Scrutiny Committee

YPO Management Committee

Proposed - Councillor Gardiner and Councillor Barnard (Substitute)

YPO Audit and Governance Sub Committee

Proposed – Councillor Gardiner and Councillor Barnard (Substitute)

37. Cost of Living Emergency (*Pages 5 - 6*)

Notice of Amendment Submitted in Accordance with Standing Order No 8(1)(b)



Sarah Norman
Chief Executive

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Amended Motion to Council - 28th July, 2022

Proposer – Councillor Sir Steve Houghton CBE
Seconder – Councillor Lamb

This Council commends the council's administration for the work it has done to support people during the Covid Pandemic and the current cost of living crisis.

However, it notes:-

- On 1 April 2022, Ofgem increased the energy price cap by 54%.
- In light of the increased energy price cap, the average standard tariff energy bill will increase by £693 per year. The average pre-pay meter energy bill will increase by £708 per year (Ofgem, 2022).
- In 2021/22 Barnsley Foodbanks distributed food parcels at a rate of 3200 per 100,000 people – a total of 7265 parcels (Trussell Trust, 2022).
- That the cost of living crisis is having a significant effect on Council budgets and the ability to deliver services to the most vulnerable.

Council welcomes the decision taken in June, 2022 to impose a windfall tax on the super profits of oil and gas companies and to redistribute this as a 'one off' payment of £400 later this year.

The Council notes that the windfall tax was first called for by Sir Kier Starmer, Leader of the Labour Party and then by Sir Ed Davey, Leader of the Liberal Democrats but initially rejected by Boris Johnson.

Though the windfall tax is welcome Council believes it does not go far enough, and the Government should be doing more to support local people during the cost of living crisis.

Rishi Sunak MP, one of the two candidates to be the next Prime Minister, has said in his campaign there is a national economic emergency in the UK.

This Council agrees and calls upon the next Prime Minister to declare a national economic and cost of living emergency and to:-

- Immediately reduce the standard rate of VAT from 20% to 17.5% for one year, saving the average household in Barnsley a further £600 this year.
- Immediately restore the Universal Credit supplement of £20, which was cancelled by the Government in September 2021.
- Extend free school meals to all those families on Universal Credit.
- Provide additional and fair funding to local councils to ensure continuity of service delivery.

Council asks the Leader and Chief Executive to write to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions to express the Council's wishes on these matters.

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