

MEETING:	Cabinet	
DATE:	Wednesday 16 November 2022	
TIME:	10.00 am	
VENUE: Council Chamber, Barnsley Town Hall		

# MINUTES

Present	Councillors Houghton CBE (Chair), T. Cave, Frost, Higginbottom, Lamb, Makinson and Platts
Members in Attendance:	Councillors Cain, Cherryholme, Franklin, Newing and Osborne

### 125. Declaration of pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests

There were no declarations of pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests.

#### 126. Leader - Call-in of Cabinet decisions

The Leader reported that no decisions from the previous meeting held on 2 November 2022 had been called in.

#### 127. Minutes of the previous meeting held on 2 November 2022 (Cab.16.11.2022/3)

The minutes of the meeting held on 2 November 2022 were taken as read and signed by the Chair as a correct record.

#### 128. Decisions of Cabinet Spokespersons (Cab.16.11.2022/4)

The Record of Decisions taken by Cabinet Spokespersons under delegated powers during the week ending 4 November 2022 were noted.

#### 129. Petitions received under Standing Order 44 (Cab.16.11.2022/5)

It was reported that no petitions had been received under Standing Order 44.

### 130. Social Media Guidance for Employees and Elected Members (Cab.16.11.2022/6)

### **RECOMMENDATION TO FULL COUNCIL ON 24 NOVEMBER 2022**

**RESOLVED** that Cabinet:-

- 1. Agrees the recommendation to Full Council on 24 November 2022, acknowledging the updated social media guidance and best practices for employees and elected members; and
- 2. Encourages all employees and elected members to pledge their support to the No Place for Hate campaign and to acknowledge their role and responsibility in making online hate and abuse socially unacceptable.

## 131. Commuted Sums Policy (Cab.16.11.2022/7)

**RESOLVED** that Cabinet:-

- 1. Approves the Commuted Sum Policy as outlined in this report; and
- 2. Approves that the implementation date for the commuted sums and new fees / charges is 1 December 2022; and
- 3. Gives delegated authority to the Executive Director (Growth & Sustainability), and Service Director Finance - (S151 Officer), in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Environment & Transport, to agree fees and charges which vary from the standard inflation clause, if the cost base changes or new services are introduced and that this can be done at 6 month intervals if external factors influence the cost base significantly throughout the financial year.

#### 132. Exclusion of Public and Press

**RESOLVED** that the public and press be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items, because of the likely disclosure of exempt information as described by the specific paragraphs of Part I of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended, as follows:-

Item Number	Type of Information Likely to be Disclosed

9 Paragraph 3

### 133. St Michael's Housing Development - Financial Update (Cab.16.11.2022/9)

**RESOLVED** that Cabinet:-

- Approves the revised scheme cost increase of £0.6M. The scheme has previously been approved by Cabinet and is to be financed from a combination of HRA Reserves, 1-4-1 receipts and Berneslai Homes Surplus; and
- 2. Approves the sale of 6 housing units originally earmarked for private rent via Berneslai Homes.

Chair