

BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

TUESDAY, 5 MARCH 2024 AT 1400 HOURS
IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNCIL HOUSE, VICTORIA SQUARE,
BIRMINGHAM, B1 1BB

A G E N D A

1 NOTICE OF RECORDING

Lord Mayor to advise that this meeting will be webcast for live or subsequent broadcast via the Council's Public-I microsite (please click this link) and that members of the press/public may record and take photographs except where there are confidential or exempt items.

2 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Members are reminded that they must declare all relevant pecuniary and non pecuniary interests arising from any business to be discussed at this meeting. If a disclosable pecuniary interest is declared a Member must not speak or take part in that agenda item. Any declarations will be recorded in the minutes of the meeting

3 MINUTES

To confirm and authorise the signing of the Minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 6 February 2024.

4 LORD MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

(10 minutes allocated) (1400-1410)

To receive the Lord Mayor's announcements and such communications as the Lord Mayor may wish to place before the Council.

5 PETITIONS

(10 minutes allocated) (1410-1420)

To receive and deal with petitions in accordance with Council Rules of Procedure (B4.4 E of the Constitution).

As agreed by Council Business Management Committee a schedule of outstanding petitions is available electronically with the published papers for the meeting and can be viewed or downloaded.

6 APPOINTMENTS BY THE COUNCIL

(5 minutes allocated) (1420-1425)

To make appointments to, or removals from, committees, outside bodies or other offices which fall to be determined by the Council.

7 FINANCIAL PLAN

(The remaining time until the close of the meeting at 1915 is allocated)

(1425-1915 inclusive of the break)

Report from Cabinet.

(A 30 Minute break will be taken during the debate at approximately 1630 hours).

Council Business Management Committee has passed the following resolution:-

‘That Standing Orders be waived so that, at the beginning of the debate on the Finance Plan report, the remaining time of the City Council meeting to 1915 hours is allocated for the whole debate, permit the Leader of the City Council to make a speech of up to 20 minutes, permit the other Group Leaders to make a speech of up to 20 minutes each, permit all other speakers in the debate to speak for up to 5 minutes and permit the Leader of the City Council to reply to the debate up to a maximum of 20 minutes’.

The Leader of the Council, Councillor John Cotton to move the recommendations set out in the document pack at pages x to x.

Members must, in reaching their decision on the Budget Motions, have due regard to the contents of the Financial Plan when making decisions about the budget.