BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

RESOURCES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

THURSDAY, 27 APRIL 2023 AT 14:00 HOURS
IN COMMITTEE ROOM 6, COUNCIL HOUSE, VICTORIA SQUARE,
BIRMINGHAM, B1 1BB

AGENDA

1 NOTICE OF RECORDING/WEBCAST

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

2 APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies.

3 **DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS**

Members are reminded they must declare all relevant pecuniary and other registerable interests arising from any business to be discussed at this meeting.

If a disclosable pecuniary interest is declared a Member must not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless they have been granted a dispensation.

If other registerable interests are declared a Member may speak on the matter only if members of the public are allowed to speak at the meeting but otherwise must not take part in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless they have been granted a dispensation.

If it is a 'sensitive interest', Members do not have to disclose the nature of the interest, just that they have an interest.

Information on the Local Government Association's Model Councillor Code of Conduct is set out via http://bit.ly/3WtGQnN. This includes, at Appendix 1, an interests flowchart which provides a simple guide to declaring interests at meetings.

5 - 16 4 ACTION NOTES AND ACTION TRACKER

To agree the action notes of the meeting held on 30 March 2023 and note the action tracker.

17 - 34 5 FINANCIAL RESERVES

To receive a briefing on the use of financial reserves. Fiona Greenway, Interim Director of Finance, in attendance.

6 PLANNED PROCUREMENT ACTIVITIES REPORT 35 - 48

To consider the latest Planned Procurement Activities Report (considered at Cabinet on 25 April 2023).

Steve Sandercock, Assistant Director, Procurement, in attendance.

7 **WORK PROGRAMME**

For discussion.

8 REQUEST(S) FOR CALL IN/COUNCILLOR CALL FOR ACTION/PETITIONS RECEIVED (IF ANY)

To consider any request for call in/councillor call for action/petitions (if received).

9 OTHER URGENT BUSINESS

To consider any items of business by reason of special circumstances (to be specified) that in the opinion of the Chair are matters of urgency.

10 **AUTHORITY TO CHAIR AND OFFICERS**

Chair to move:-

'In an urgent situation between meetings, the Chair jointly with the relevant Chief Officer has authority to act on behalf of the Committee'.

11 **EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC**

If members wish to consider information under agenda item 14 it is recommended that members of the press and public be excluded from the meeting under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that:

It involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

PRIVATE AGENDA

12 PLANNED PROCUREMENT ACTIVITIES EXEMPT APPENDIX 3

 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information);