

Birmingham City Council

Council Business Management Committee

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Subject: City Council Appointments
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1 Executive Summary

- 1.1 To recommend to City Council appointments to committees, outside bodies and other offices.
- 1.2 Current bodies and membership appointed by City Council are detailed in **Appendix A** to the report.
- 1.3 Proposed bodies to be appointed by City Council are set out in **Appendix B** to the report.

2 Recommendations

- 2.1 That the Committee notes the current appointments to committees, outside bodies and other offices for the current municipal year 2022-23 (**Appendix A**).
- 2.2 That nominations be submitted to the next meeting of City Council of representatives to serve on the bodies detailed in **Appendix B** to the report, for the municipal year 2023-24.

3 Recommended Proposal

- 3.1 The Committee is recommended to include appointments in the Summons to the next City Council meeting.
- 3.2 The proportionality provisions of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 only

apply to Committees and Sub-Committees of the Council however Council appointments to outside bodies have also usually been based on proportionality. Where there is only one appointment to be made, this has usually been taken by the largest political group on the Council.

4 Legal Implications

- 4.1 Committee proportionality is based on the provisions outlined as part of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989.

5 Financial Implications

- 5.1 There are no immediate financial implications arising from this report.

6 Public Sector Equality Duty

- 6.1 There are no immediate equality implications arising from this report.

7 Other Implications

- 7.1 None.

8 Background Papers

- 8.1 Birmingham City Council Constitution.

9 Appendices

- 9.1 **Appendix A** - Current bodies and membership appointed by City Council.
- 9.2 **Appendix B** - Proposed bodies to be appointed by City Council.