### NOTICE OF MEETING

# **CORPORATE COMMITTEE**

Thursday, 25th July, 2019, 7.30 pm - Civic Centre, High Road, Wood Green, N22 8LE

**Members**: Councillors Isidoros Diakides (Chair), Mike Hakata (Vice-Chair), Peray Ahmet, Dawn Barnes, Patrick Berryman, Barbara Blake, Mahir Demir, Makbule Gunes, Liz Morris, Alessandra Rossetti, Daniel Stone and Noah Tucker

Quorum: 3

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## 2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS (IF ANY)

#### 3. URGENT BUSINESS

The Chair will consider the admission of any late items of urgent business. (late items will be considered under the agenda items where they appear. New items will be dealt with at items 13 & 17.

#### 4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

A member with a disclosable pecuniary interest or a prejudicial interest in a matter who attends a meeting of the authority at which the matter is considered:



- (i) must disclose the interest at the start of the meeting or when the interest becomes apparent, and
- (ii) may not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must withdraw from the meeting room.

A member who discloses at a meeting a disclosable pecuniary interest which is not registered in the Register of Members' Interests or the subject of a pending notification must notify the Monitoring Officer of the interest within 28 days of the disclosure.

Disclosable pecuniary interests, personal interests and prejudicial interests are defined at Paragraphs 5-7 and Appendix A of the Members' Code of Conduct.

#### 5. DEPUTATIONS / PETITIONS / PRESENTATIONS / QUESTIONS

To consider any requests received in accordance with Part 4, section B, Paragraph 29 of the Council's Constitution.

6. MINUTES (PAGES 1 - 16)

To consider and agree the minutes of the meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> March 2019 and 17<sup>th</sup> June 2019.

- 7. TREASURY MANAGEMENT OUTTURN 2018/19 (PAGES 17 30)
- 8. 2018/19 STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS (PAGES 31 160)

BDO Audit report (Appendix 1) to follow.

- 9. INTRODUCTION OF A RISK BASED VERIFICATION (RBV) POLICY FOR HOUSING BENEFIT AND COUNCIL TAX REDUCTION CLAIMS (PAGES 161 178)
- 10. COUNTER FRAUD UPDATE REPORT QTR 4 (PAGES 179 188)
- 11. ANNUAL INTERNAL AUDIT REPORT 2018/19 (PAGES 189 220)
- 12. DRAFT ANNUAL GOVERNANCE STATEMENT 2018/19 & REVISED LOCAL CODE OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE (PAGES 221 274)
- 13. NEW ITEMS OF URGENT BUSINESS

To consider any items admitted at item 3 above.

- 14. ANY OTHER BUSINESS
- 15. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

That the press and public be excluded from the remainder of the meeting as the items below contain exempt information, as defined under Paragraph 3 Part 1.

Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, in that it contains information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).

# 16. INTRODUCTION OF A RISK BASED VERIFICATION (RBV) POLICY FOR HOUSING BENEFIT AND COUNCIL TAX REDUCTION CLAIMS (PAGES 275 - 290)

#### 17. NEW ITEMS OF EXEMPT URGENT BUSINESS

#### 18. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

9<sup>th</sup> September 2019 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2019

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Wednesday, 17 July 2019