

**Report for:** Full Council – 13 July 2020

**Title:** **Report of the Chief Executive - Notification of changes to the Cabinet and the Liberal Democrat Group's political constitution**

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**Ward(s) affected:** All

**Report for Key/  
Non Key Decision:** Non Key Decision

### **1. Describe the issue under consideration**

- 1.1 This report notifies full Council of changes to the Liberal Democrat Group's political constitution which will take effect from the 13<sup>th</sup> of July 2020.
- 1.2 Full Council is also asked to note the changes to Cabinet and the appointment of an Assistant Cabinet Member.

### **2. Cabinet Member Introduction**

N/A

### **3. Recommendations**

- 3.1 Council is asked to:
  1. Note the Liberal Democrat Group political constitution as set out at paragraph 4.1.
  2. Note the Cabinet membership and the appointment of an Assistant Cabinet Member as set out in Appendix 1.

### **4. Background information**

- 4.1 The Chief Executive was notified on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of July by the Liberal Democrat Chief Whip of the following changes to the Liberal Democrat Political Group Constitution:

#### **The Liberal Democrat Group**

<b>Leader:</b>	Councillor Cawley -Harrison
<b>Deputy Leader:</b>	Councillor Dixon
<b>Chief Whip:</b>	Councillor Ogiehor
<b>Deputy Whip:</b>	Councillor Scott Emery
<b>Group Chair:</b>	Councillor Dennison

**Deputy Group Chair:**

Councillor Viv Ross

- 4.2 Full Council is asked to note the membership of the Cabinet and appointment of an Assistant Cabinet Member. As set out in paragraph 1.2 of Part Three Section C of the Council's Constitution, the Leader selects the Members of the Council's Cabinet. The Leader of the Majority Group has made changes to the Cabinet as set out at Appendix 1 for the Council to note. Also included are the appointment of an Assistant Cabinet Member. The selection of the Assistant Cabinet Members is an executive function and taken forward by the Leader. The Constitution advises at Part 3, Section C, section 1 paragraph 4.1 that these appointments require noting by full Council.

## **6. Use of Appendices**

None

## **7. Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985**

- 7.1 Background documents:
- *Haringey Council's Constitution*
- 7.2 The background papers are located at River Park House, 225 High Road, Wood Green, London N22 8HQ.
- 7.3 To inspect them or to discuss this report further, please contact Ayshe Simsek on 0208 489 2929.