

**Report for:** Annual Full Council – 20 May 2024

**Title:** **APPOINTMENT OF POLITICAL GROUPS 2024-25**

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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 To note the composition of political groups for 2024/25.

**2. Cabinet Member Introduction**

N/A

**3. Recommendation**

3.1 That the constitution of Political Groups be noted.

**4. Background information**

N/A

**5. Information supplied by the Political Parties.**

The Chief Executive has been notified of the constitution of the Political Groups as set out below.

**The Labour Group**

<b>Leader:</b>	Councillor Ahmet
<b>Deputy Leader:</b>	Councillor Williams
<b>Chief Whip:</b>	Councillor Weston
<b>Chair:</b>	Councillor Abela
<b>Vice Chair:</b>	Councillor Bartlett
<b>Secretary:</b>	Councillor Ali
<b>Assistant Whips:</b>	Councillors: Dogan, Johnson, Worrell,
<b>Group Treasurer</b>	Councillor Dunstall
<b>Non-Executive members</b>	Councillors B. Blake Mahbub

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**Councillors**

Adamou

Amin

Arkell

Bevan

Brabazon

Brennan

Buxton

Carlin

Carroll

Chandwani

Culverwell

das Neves

Diakides

Elliott

Grosskopf

Gordon

Gunes

Hakata

Harrison – Mullane

Hymas

Ibrahim

Iyngkaran

Jameson

Jogee

Lawton

Moyeed

O'Donovan

Opoku

Ovat

Peacock

Rice

Simmons- Safo

Stennett

White

### **The Liberal Democrat Group**

**Leader:**

Councillor Cawley- Harrison

**Deputy Leader:**

Councillor Barnes

**Chief Whip:**

Councillor Emery

**Deputy Whip:**

Councillor Rossetti

**Councillors:**

Cllr Connor

Cllr da Costa

Cllr Isilar-Gosling

Cllr Luke Cawley-Harrison, Leader of the Opposition, Spokesperson for Corporate Strategy & Finance

Cllr Dawn Barnes, Deputy Leader of the Opposition, Spokesperson for Housing & Regeneration

Cllr Scott Emery, Opposition Chief Whip, Spokesperson for the Environment & Transport

Cllr Nick da Costa, Group Chair, Spokesperson for Crime & Communities

Cllr Pippa Connor, Vice-Chair of Overview & Scrutiny Committee, Spokesperson for Adults, Health & Social Care

Cllr Marsha Isilar-Gosling, Group Deputy Chair, Spokesperson for Education, Youth, Children & Families

Cllr Alessandra Rossetti, Opposition Deputy Chief Whip, Spokesperson for Council & Customer Services

### Independent Socialist Group

Cllr Collett – Leader

Cllr Mason – Deputy Leader

Cllr M Blake

### Independent Member

Cllr Joy Wallace

## **6. Use of Appendices**

6.1 N/A

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

7.1 Background documents:

- Constitution of Political Groups 2023/24

7.2 The background papers are located at George Meehan House, 294 High Road Wood Green N22 8JZ

7.3 To inspect them or to discuss this report further, please contact Ayshe Simsek on 0208 489 2929.