



Council Meeting

**Wednesday, 24th
January, 2024**

HASTINGS BOROUGH COUNCIL

Dear Councillor

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the Hastings Borough Council to be held at the Council Chamber, Muriel Matters House, Breeds Place, Hastings, East Sussex, TN34 3UY. Please enter the building through the Contact Centre entrance via the seafront., on Wednesday, 24th January, 2024 at 6.00 pm at which meeting the business specified below is proposed to be transacted.

Yours sincerely,

Chief Legal Officer

Muriel Matters House
Breeds Place
Hastings

17 January 2024

AGENDA

6. Review of political balance, committee allocations and membership of committees

Note: Nothing contained in this agenda or in the attached reports and minutes of committees constitutes an offer or acceptance of an offer or an undertaking or contract by the Borough Council

Committee	Seats	Allocation to political groups				Appointments as of 24.01.24				Notes
		CON	HIG	LAB	GRN	Conservative	Hastings Independent	Labour	Green	
Licensing Committee	15	5	4	3	3	1. Paul Foster (VC) 2. Mike Edwards 3. Andy Patmore 4. Peter Pragnell 5. Graeme Williams	1. Andy Batsford 2. Nigel Sinden 3. John Cannan 4. Mike Turner (Chair)	1. Heather Bishop 2. Judy Rogers 3. James Bacon	1. Tony Collins 2. Amanda Jobson 3.	Cabinet portfolio holders may not sit on this Committee. If more than 7 members of the Planning Committee may sit on this Committee for 2023/24. Chair and Vice-Chair may not be members of the Planning Committee
Overview and Scrutiny Committee	11	4	3	2	2	1. Andy Patmore (Chair) 2. Paul Foster 3. Rob Cooke 4. Alan Hay	1. Nigel Sinden (VC) 2. Andy Batsford 3. Maya Evans	1. Trevor Webb 2. James Bacon	1. Tony Collins 2. Claire Carr	No Cabinet Member may sit on O&S Committee. Mayor and Deputy Mayor not eligible for membership.

Planning Committee	10	4	3	2	1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Matthew Beaver (Vice-Chair) 2. Mike Edwards 3. Karl Beaney 4. Graeme Williams 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nigel Sinden 2. John Cannan 3. Maya Evans 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. James Bacon 2. Margi O'Callaghan (Chair) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tony Collins 	No Cabinet member with Portfolio eligible for membership
Museum Committee	Maximum of 10	4	3	2	1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Peter Pragnell (VC) 2. Andy Patmore 3. Graeme Williams 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nigel Sinden 2. Andy Batsford 3. Maya Evans 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Trevor Webb 2. Heather Bishop 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Julia Hilton (Chair) 	Chaired by the relevant portfolio holder
Audit Committee	5	2	1	1	1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Paul Foster (Chair) 2. Sorrell Marlow-Eastwood 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nigel Sinden 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Judy Rogers (VC) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tony Collins 	Members of this Committee may not be members of Cabinet. The Chair may not be in the same political group as the Leader of the Council.
Standards Committee	5	2	1	1	1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mike Edwards 2. Peter Pragnell 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ali Roark (VC) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Judy Rogers (Chair) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Amanda Jobson 	No more than 1 Cabinet member who is not to be the Leader.

Environment & Safety Committee	5	2	1	1	1	1. Sorrell Marlow-Eastwood (VC) 2. Rob Cooke	1. Nigel Sinden	1. Judy Rogers (Chair)	1. Amanda Jobson	No Cabinet member with Portfolio
Council Appointments Committee	5	1	2	1	1	1. Paul Foster	1. Paul Barnett (VC)	1. Heather Bishop	1. Julia Hilton (Chair)	
Employment Committee	4	1	1	1	1	1. Graeme Williams	1. Paul Barnett (VC)	1. Margi O'Callaghan	1. Glenn Haffenden (Chair)	
Employment Appeals Committee	4	1	1	1	1	1. Mike Edwards	1. Simon Willis (VC)	1. Trevor Webb	1. Julia Hilton (Chair)	
Total		26	20	15	13					

This page is intentionally left blank