





**Brighton & Hove
City Council**

Title:	Equalities, Community Safety & Human Rights Committee
Date:	11 July 2023
Time:	4.00pm
Venue	Council Chamber - BTH
Members:	Councillors: Pumm (Chair), Winder, Goldsmith, Alexander, Czolak, Gajjar, Lyons, McGregor, Mistry, Pickett Standing Invitees: Lola Banjoko Justin Burtenshaw Joanna Martindale Stephanie Prior
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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

1 Procedural Business

- (a) **Declarations of Substitutes:** Where councillors are unable to attend a meeting, a substitute Member from the same political group may attend, speak and vote in their place for that meeting.
- (b) **Declarations of Interest:**
 - (a) Disclosable pecuniary interests;
 - (b) Any other interests required to be registered under the local code;
 - (c) Any other general interest as a result of which a decision on the matter might reasonably be regarded as affecting you or a partner more than a majority of other people or businesses in the ward/s affected by the decision.

In each case, you need to declare

- (i) the item on the agenda the interest relates to;
- (ii) the nature of the interest; and
- (iii) whether it is a disclosable pecuniary interest or some other interest.

If unsure, Members should seek advice from the committee lawyer or administrator preferably before the meeting.

- (c) **Exclusion of Press and Public:** To consider whether, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, the press and public should be excluded from the meeting when any of the following items are under consideration.

Note: Any item appearing in Part Two of the agenda states in its heading the category under which the information disclosed in the report is exempt from disclosure and therefore not available to the press and public. A list and description of the exempt categories is available for public inspection at Brighton and Hove Town Halls and on-line in the Constitution at part 7.1.

2 Chairs Communications

3 Call Over

- (a) Items (7 - 9) will be read out at the meeting and Members invited to reserve the items for consideration.
- (b) Those items not reserved will be taken as having been received

and the reports' recommendations agreed.

4 Public Involvement

To consider the following matters raised by members of the public:

- (a) **Petitions:** To receive any petitions presented by members of the public;
- (b) **Written Questions:** To receive any questions submitted by the due date of 12 noon on the 5 July 2023;
- (c) **Deputations:** To receive any deputations submitted by the due date of 12 noon on the 5 July 2023.

5 Items referred from Council

To consider items referred from the last meeting of Full Council held on 25 May 2023.

6 Member Involvement

To consider the following matters raised by Members:

- (d) **Petitions:** To receive any petitions;
- (e) **Written Questions:** To consider any written questions;
- (f) **Letters:** To consider any letters;
- (g) **Notices of Motion:** to consider any Notices of Motion referred from Full Council or submitted directly to the Committee.

7	Constitutional Matters	7 - 12
8	Domestic Abuse Act New Burdens Funding Allocation	13 - 20
	<i>Ward Affected: All Wards</i>	
9	Accessible City Strategy 2023-2028	21 - 136
	<i>Ward Affected: All Wards</i>	
10	Items referred for Full Council	

To consider items to be submitted to the 20 July 2023 Council meeting for information.

In accordance with Procedure Rule 24.3a, the Committee may determine that any item is to be included in its report to Council. In addition, any Group may specify one further item to be included by notifying the Chief Executive no later than 10am on the eighth working day before the Council meeting at which the report is to be made, or if the Committee meeting take place after this deadline, immediately at the conclusion of the Committee meeting.

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