



# COUNCIL SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

All Members of the Council are  
**HEREBY SUMMONED**  
to attend a meeting of the Council  
to be held on:

Wednesday, 29 November 2023 at 7.00 pm  
Hackney Town Hall,  
Mare Street, E8 1EA

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# MEETING OF COUNCIL

## WEDNESDAY, 29 NOVEMBER 2023

### SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

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#### 6 Questions from Members of the Public

##### 6.1 To the Cabinet Member for Housing Services and Resident Participation From Ms Anotinette Fernandez

Why are new developments not prioritising social and affordable housing? Developments of 58 flats like the Laundry building on Mare street should not be exempt.

##### 6.2 To the Cabinet Member for Climate Change, Environment and Transport From Ms Louisa Hillwood

In October 2022 I asked whether Hackney Council would switch to fully plant-based catering at internal meetings and events to address food related emissions. Could the Cabinet Member provide an update on this? If Councillors still have concerns I would like to meet with them to discuss further.

##### 6.3 To the Cabinet Member for Climate Change, Environment and Transport From Dr. Noah Birksted-Breen

Will Hackney Council find an appropriate way of marking Earth Overshoot Day annually, the day when humanity uses up more resources than the earth can regenerate in a year, to help educate Hackney residents about the need to focus on reducing and reusing as higher priorities than recycling?

##### 6.4 To the Cabinet Member for Housing Services and Resident Participation From Mr Derek Miller

Please can the Cabinet Member for Housing provide an update on the Council's response times for dealing with leaks in its Council homes since its launch of a new faster service in February 2023?

##### 6.5 To the Mayor From Ms Sarah Thompson

In light of the circumstances surrounding the resignation of the previous Mayor (Philip Glanville) will you as Hackney's newly elected Mayor lead by example and hold yourself and your Cabinet Members to account in a way that is open and transparent and puts the residents of Hackney first?

6.6 To the Cabinet Member for Housing Services and Resident Participation  
From Ms Laura Summerfield

Can the Cabinet Member for housing please advise of its work over the last year to better support the housing needs of Hackney's Gypsy and Traveller community?

6.7 To the Cabinet Member for Health, Adult Social Care, Voluntary Sector and Culture  
From Ms Laura Pascal

What is the Tree of Life project and why has it won an award?

6.8 To the Cabinet Member for Housing Services and Resident Participation  
From Ifeoma Mkparu

Hackney Council dissolved Hackney Homes in March 2016. Please can the Cabinet Member explain why seven years on there are still Council run estates with old Hackney Homes branding?

6.9 To the Mayor From Ifhat Smith

Will the Mayor call on the government to call for a ceasefire in Israel / Palestine and for more support to promote community cohesion locally?

**9 Composition of Cabinet and Cabinet Committees; Appointment of Deputy Cabinet Members and Member Champions; Elected Mayor's Scheme of Delegation (Pages 15 - 38)**

Report of the Elected Mayor: Enclosed

**13 Motions:**

**13a Green Group Motion: : Call for an Independent Investigation Following the Resignation of Mayor of Hackney**

**This Council notes:**

- The former Mayor of Hackney tendered his resignation on the 15th of September 2023
- He had misled the public in relation to his actions in the immediate aftermath of being informed by the council of Mr Dewey's arrest.
- The former Mayor was under investigation by the Labour Party for his behaviour.
- The Mayor failed to live up to at least four of the seven Principles of Public Life. He has avoided accountability, failed to act with openness and transparency, been dishonest with the public, and failed to show leadership by exhibiting these principles in his own behaviour.
- The former Mayor called partying with Mr Dewey after learning about his arrest "an error of judgement" and has apologised and has stated that he takes full responsibility for "not being as transparent as [he] should have been".

- That Hackney Council has commissioned an independent review into its handling of “events surrounding” the resignation of former Labour councillor Tom Dewey

**The Council believes that:**

- An independent investigation is still required into who knew what and when about Mr Dewey’s arrest and what actions they took, within the Labour Party.

**This Council therefore resolves to:**

- Write to the chair of the Hackney Labour Party to call for them to hold an independent investigation into who knew what, when and what actions they took following the raid on Mr Dewey’s home by the NCA, in the Labour Party.

**Proposed by:** Cllr Zoë Garbett

**Seconded by:** Cllr Alastair Binnie-Lubbock

**13b Green Group Motion: Include a Ban on High-Carbon Advertising in the Council’s Advertising and Sponsorship Policy**

**This Council notes:**

- That the Council’s Corporate Advertising and Sponsorship Policy 2022 was adopted by the Cabinet Procurement and Insourcing Committee on 16/01/2023. However, to date, it has not been implemented across sites run by the Council.
- The policy outlines a number of products and services which will not be accepted on council-owned media, including the promotion of products high in fats, sugars and salts (HFSS), alcohol, knives or weapons and gambling services. These proscribed products and services would undermine the Mayor’s priorities as set out in the strategic plan for a fairer, safer, healthier Hackney working together for every child. However none of the products or services currently banned address the “greener” priority.
- The policy states that it “will be subject to ongoing updates made by the Council on a regular and reasonable basis.”

**This Council believes that:**

- Advertising can be used to induce demand for products and services where there may be no actual need, and where the products and services run counter to the council’s stated policies, aims and objectives.

**This Council also notes that:**

- London borough of Hackney declared a Climate Emergency in 2019 committing to reach net zero emissions by 2040. In 2022, the Council passed the Climate and Ecology Bill, declaring its intention to bring forward its net zero target to 2030 so it can join the UK100 network.
- Hackney’s Climate Action Plan emphasised the Council is only directly responsible for 5% of the borough’s territorial emissions and that the Council

must take a leading role in encouraging and supporting behavioural change in individuals, institutions and businesses.

- Hackney's Climate Action Plan notes that 15% of Hackney's emissions are from transport and aviation accounts for 7% of that amount.
- One of Hackney's Climate Action Plan goals is for goods to be repaired and reused, and for us only to buy what we need.
- Last year a nationally representative survey of UK public attitudes found that over two-thirds (68%) of UK adults said that they would restrict the advertising of environmentally harmful products.

#### **In addition this Council notes:**

- The legal opinion, as part of the due diligence in addressing the role of advertising in fuelling the climate emergency, of Richard Wald KC of 39 Essex Chambers, commissioned by the New Weather Institute on behalf of Badvertising and Adfree Cities, which provides legal advice to local councils implementing policies to restrict advertising for environmentally-damaging, high-carbon goods and services.
- Richard Wald KC's legal opinion outlines how:
  - The adoption of an advertising policy banning 'high-carbon' advertising is squarely within the powers available to local authorities and therefore prima facie lawful.
  - The legal risks of adopting a high-carbon advertising ban are limited and the prospect of a successful challenge is low.
  - Councils have broad scope to design a policy according to their discretion, despite a lack of a national definition of 'high carbon', with effective precedents already set and working in practice.
- In broad terms 'high-carbon' products and services, are those which are environmentally damaging and which must be phased out or limited to reach the UK's climate goals. These include fossil fuels, internal combustion vehicles and aviation.
- Councils leading the way with policies restricting high-carbon advertising include Cambridgeshire County Council, Basingstoke and Coventry.  
The Council resolves to:

#### **Add to the Advertising and Sponsorship Policy 2022:**

- a clause that prohibits those whose business activities/practices do not align with the Council's wider values, corporate objectives and strategic goals, such as the environment and carbon accounting. Exceptions may be considered if the companies, partnerships, organisations or individuals involved can prove that less than 5% of their overall income is derived from any of the excluded products and services.
- Encourage event partners to consider their advertising and sponsorship policies in light of the borough's carbon reduction goals, and where possible, stipulate that a policy on high-carbon advertising and sponsorship is a requirement in negotiations about the council's support.
- Add a link to the Advertising and Sponsorship Policy on all relevant pages on the council's website including where promoting advertising space in Love Hackney freesheet.

<https://hackney.gov.uk/hackney-today-life-advertising>

- To implement the agreed Advertising and Sponsorship Policy as soon as feasible.

**Proposer:** Cllr Alastair Binnie-Lubbock

**Seconder:** Cllr Zoë Garbett

### **13c Green Group Motion: Defending Our Democratic Rights**

#### **This Council notes that:**

- On 2 May 2023 the final stages of the Public Order Bill passed through the House of Lords, which gives the Police greater powers to restrict people's democratic right to protest in England and Wales.
- The Act grants the Police new powers to prevent protests occurring outside of major transport networks, oil and gas and energy supplies, making "locking on" a new criminal offence, expanding Stop and Search to include suspicionless stop and search, and enacts new individual protest bans under 'Serious Disruption Prevention Orders'.
- Article 11 of the Human Rights Act 1998 enshrines the Right to Peaceful Assembly into British law, guaranteed by Articles 10 and 11 of the European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR)
- A Legislative Scrutiny Report published by the Joint Committee on Human Rights called for key measures in the Public Order Bill to be amended or removed in order to reverse the "chilling effect" it is likely to have on the right to protest.
- This report found that these offences have a very wide scope and criminalise those legitimately exercising their Article 10, 11, 8 and Article 6 rights.

#### **This Council also notes that:**

- The Public Order Act 2023 has been criticised by Amnesty International, Liberty, Equality and Human Rights Commission (EHRC), and the UN Human Rights Commissioner.
- It follows on from the Police, Crime, and Sentencing Act 2022 which was also accused of infringing upon democratic freedoms by human rights organisations.
- The Government lost a vote in the Lords on the Public Order Bill 2023 to change the interpretation of 'serious disruption' of other people's day-to-day activities to mean 'anything more than minor'. The Lords opposed this change by 254 votes to 240 in May
- The government reintroduced the change by Statutory Instrument.
- Green peer, Jenny Jones, put forward a fatal motion to stop this unprecedented and anti-democratic move by the government. Unfortunately, Labour peers abstained, so it passed.

#### **The Council further notes that:**

- The Right to Protest is a fundamental pillar of democracy.
- The objective of a protest is to peacefully disrupt and agitate for change. The anti-apartheid and Civil Rights Movement, Women's Suffrage, Gay Pride,

workers' rights and a government commitment to carbon zero by 2050 have been achieved through protest and public disruption.

- The Public Order Act is already having a 'chilling effect' on our right to protest.
- The King's Coronation in May saw over 60 people arrested by the Police, many of those on grounds of public nuisance and breaches of the peace for holding signs, chanting, reporting on the protests and standing in close proximity to those protesting.
- The police initially used the 'lock on' ban in the Public Order Act to justify some of these arrests and deployed the largest ever use of live facial recognition technology in the UK
- Police have written to residents of the Hackney area, warning them that Live Facial Recognition will be deployed at an unknown time and location in September 2023.
- This technology is over 80% inaccurate according to the Met's own statistics.
- Amnesty International, Liberty and the EHRC have called for a ban of facial recognition technology, with reports from Amnesty International finding that it is a violation of privacy rights, is antithetical to democracy, disproportionately impacts people of colour, exacerbates systemic racism, and puts Black people at a greater risk of being misidentified.
- Baroness Casey's Report into the Metropolitan Police Service found that there was a deepening mistrust of the force which is institutionally racist, sexist, homophobic and 'broken', compounded by a culture of denial and obfuscation.
- Expanding the use of stop and search at protests without reasonable suspicion is likely to unjustly impact Black and Asian heritage people, and infringe upon their Article 14 right to non-discrimination.
- The Met Commissioner himself has stated that the present use of stop and search 'burns through trust'.

#### **This Council welcomes:**

- The Administration's ongoing work with the Met Police Commissioner and local Borough Commander on improving standards after the Casey Report and City and Hackney Safeguarding Children Panel Child Q reports.
- The co-production of a local action plan with Hackney communities, the Met and the council on improving trust and confidence.

#### **This Council resolves to:**

- Write to the Prime Minister to urge him to repeal the draconian Public Order Act and protect our fundamental democratic freedoms.
- Meet with the Met Commissioner to express strong dissatisfaction with the heavy-handed policing witnessed at the King's Coronation and the increasing use of live facial recognition technology across London.
- [U2]"Follow Newham and Lambeth Council's request for an urgent suspension of the use of live recognition technology in Hackney, due to the risk it poses to privacy and freedom of expression, a lack of sufficient safeguards against discrimination and an absence of biometrics regulations, and write to the Home Office, the Mayor of London, and the Metropolitan Police Service to make its opposition to LFR technology clear.
- Ensure Hackney's local action plan on policing involves consideration of alternative ways to keep communities safe, and includes community

education on the Police, Sentencing and Crimes Act 2022, and the Public Order Act 2023, so that Hackney residents are briefed on their rights.

**Proposer:** Cllr Zoë Garbett

**Seconded:** Cllr Alastair Binnie-Lubbock

### **13d Green Group Motion: Standing up for Responsible Tax Conduct - Councils for Fair Tax Declaration**

#### **Hackney Council notes that:**

- The pressure on organisations to pay their fair share of tax has never been stronger.
- Polling from the Institute for Business Ethics finds that “corporate tax avoidance” has, since 2013, been the clear number one concern of the British public when it comes to business conduct.
- Two thirds of people (66%) believe the Government and local councils should at least consider a company’s ethics and how they pay their tax, as well as value for money and quality of service provided, when awarding contracts to companies.
- Around 17.5% of public contracts in the UK have been won by companies with links to tax havens.
- It has been conservatively estimated that losses from multinational profit-shifting (just one form of tax avoidance) could be costing the UK some £17bn per annum in lost corporation tax revenues.
- The Fair Tax Mark offers a means for business to demonstrate good tax conduct, and has been secured by a wide range of businesses across the UK, including FTSE-listed PLCs, co-operatives, social enterprises and large private businesses.

#### **Hackney Council believes that:**

- Paying tax is often presented as a burden, but it shouldn’t be.
- Tax enables us to provide services from education, health and social care, to flood defence, roads, policing and defence. It also helps to counter financial inequalities and rebalance distorted economies.
- As recipients of public funding, local authorities should take the lead in the promotion of exemplary tax conduct; be that by ensuring contractors are paying their proper share of tax, or by refusing to go along with offshore tax dodging when buying land and property.
- Where councils hold substantive stakes in private enterprises, influence should be wielded to ensure that such businesses are exemplars of tax transparency and tax avoidance is shunned.
- More action is needed, however, as current and proposed new UK procurement law significantly restricts councils’ ability to either penalise poor tax conduct (as exclusion grounds are rarely triggered) or reward good tax conduct, when buying goods or services.
- UK cities, counties and towns can and should stand up for responsible tax conduct - doing what they can within existing frameworks and pledging to do more given the opportunity, as active supporters of international tax justice.



- The following local authorities have approved the “Councils for Fair Tax Declaration” to date: Barnet, Brent, City of Westminster, Enfield Council, Hammersmith & Fulham, Haringey, Lambeth, London Borough of Richmond upon Thames, Royal Borough of Greenwich, Southwark Council in addition to thirty-nine other Councils across the UK and the London Assembly.

#### **Hackney Council resolves to:**

- Approve, and publicly declare its support for, the Councils for Fair Tax Declaration and enact the Declaration through the points below.
- Lead by example and demonstrate good practice in our tax conduct, right across our activities.
- Ensure IR35 is implemented robustly and contract workers pay a fair share of employment taxes.
- Not use offshore vehicles for the purchase of land and property, especially where this leads to reduced payments of stamp duty.
- Undertake due diligence to ensure that not-for-profit structures are not being used inappropriately by suppliers as an artificial device to reduce the payment of tax and business rates.
- Demand clarity on the ultimate beneficial ownership of suppliers UK and overseas and their consolidated profit & loss position, given lack of clarity could be strong indicators of poor financial probity and weak financial standing.
- Promote Fair Tax Mark certification especially for any business in which we have a significant stake and where corporation tax is due.
- Support Fair Tax Week events in the area, and celebrate the tax contribution made by responsible businesses are proud to promote responsible tax conduct and pay their fair share of corporation tax.
- Support calls for urgent reform of UK procurement law to enable local authorities to better penalise poor tax conduct and reward good tax conduct through their procurement policies.

**Proposer:** Cllr Zoë Garbett

**Seconder:** Cllr Alastair Binnie-Lubbock

#### **13e Green Group Motion: The Crisis in Israel and Palestine: Call For a Ceasefire, Release Of All Hostages & More Support For Local Community Cohesion.**

#### **This Council notes:**

1. Across Hackney residents have been horrified by the violent conflict in Israel and Palestine and are grief stricken at the loss of lives, including thousands of children. Many, especially in Jewish, Muslim and Arab communities, are concerned for the safety of friends, family and work colleagues in the region.
2. Previous conflicts in the region have been associated with increases in community tensions, Islamophobia, antisemitism and hate crime in the UK.
3. There has been a worrying rise in antisemitic and Islamophobic hate crime in Hackney since the attacks by Hamas on Israelis on 7th October and the latest siege, bombardment and ground invasion of Gaza.

4. A range of international humanitarian organisations have been calling for a ceasefire, including Oxfam, Save the Children, Medecins Sans Frontières, Muslim Aid, War on Want, War Child and Amnesty International.
5. Hackney is twinned with Haifa city in Israel. Haifa is 160km from the Gaza Strip.
6. The brilliant work by faith and community groups and leaders across the borough to hold our community together, provide solace for today and hope for the future.

**This Council believes:**

7. There must be an immediate ceasefire to end the violence. Humanitarian aid and basic services must be immediately restored. Hostages must be immediately released.
8. A just and lasting peace in the region cannot and will not be brought about through violence, but will only be the result of a political negotiation based on democratic principles, equal rights for all and an end to occupation negotiated by the people of the region. Peace, justice and reconciliation in the region is likely to have a positive impact on community cohesion in Hackney.
9. There can be no place for hate in our Borough. Hackney must be a safe place for those of all faiths and nationalities. We must support those whose families and loved ones are caught up in this conflict. And as a Borough of Sanctuary we extend a special welcome to those fleeing war and persecution and must do all we can to avoid that journey becoming a necessary last resort of many who would not otherwise wish to leave their homes.

**This Council resolves:**

10. To ask the Mayor to write to the UK government to:
  - a) Ask them to call for an immediate ceasefire and immediate release of all hostages.
  - b) Ask them to call for a renewed peace process to establish a political settlement that guarantees freedom, justice and safety for both Israelis and Palestinians.
  - c) Request central government funding to support community cohesion and peace-making at a local level.
11. To continue to work with borough partners to ensure safety for our Muslim and Jewish communities, hold interfaith events more regularly, and to be ready to welcome refugees from the Occupied Palestinian Territories.
12. Encourage interfaith and community groups to bid for funding, like Local Initiative Funding, to support community cohesion, peace-making and celebrating how Hackney fosters harmony between our diverse communities.

**Proposed by:** Councillor Alastair Binnie-Lubbock

**Seconded by:** Councillor Zoë Garbett

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## Advice to Members on Declaring Interests

If you require advice on declarations of interests, this can be obtained from:

- The Monitoring Officer;
- The Deputy Monitoring Officer; or
- The legal adviser to the meeting.

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### Disclosable Pecuniary Interests (DPIs)

You will have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest (\*DPI) if it:

- Relates to your employment, sponsorship, contracts as well as wider financial interests and assets including land, property, licenses and corporate tenancies.
- Relates to an interest which you have registered in that part of the Register of Interests form relating to DPIs as being an interest of you, your spouse or civil partner, or anyone living with you as if they were your spouse or civil partner.
- Relates to an interest which should be registered in that part of the Register of Interests form relating to DPIs, but you have not yet done so.

If you are present at any meeting of the Council and you have a DPI relating to any business that will be considered at the meeting, you **must**:

- Not seek to improperly influence decision-making on that matter;
- Make a verbal declaration of the existence and nature of the DPI at or before the consideration of the item of business or as soon as the interest becomes apparent; and
- Leave the room whilst the matter is under consideration

You **must not**:

- Participate in any discussion of the business at the meeting, or if you become aware of your Disclosable Pecuniary Interest during the meeting, participate further in any discussion of the business; or
- Participate in any vote or further vote taken on the matter at the meeting.

If you have obtained a dispensation from the Monitoring Officer or Standards Committee prior to the matter being considered, then you should make a verbal declaration of the existence and nature of the DPI and that you have obtained a dispensation. The dispensation granted will explain the extent to which you are able to participate.

### Other Registrable Interests

You will have an 'Other Registrable Interest' (ORI) in a matter if it

- Relates to appointments made by the authority to any outside bodies, membership of: charities, trade unions,, lobbying or campaign groups, voluntary organisations in the borough or governorships at any educational institution within the borough.
- Relates to an interest which you have registered in that part of the Register of Interests form relating to ORIs as being an interest of you, your spouse or civil partner, or anyone living with you as if they were your spouse or civil partner; or
- Relates to an interest which should be registered in that part of the Register of Interests form relating to ORIs, but you have not yet done so.

Where a matter arises at any meeting of the Council which affects a body or organisation you have named in that part of the Register of Interests Form relating to ORIs, **you must** make a verbal declaration of the existence and nature of the DPI at or before the consideration of the item of business or as soon as the interest becomes apparent. **You may** speak on the matter only if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting but otherwise must not take part in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless you have been granted a dispensation.

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Where a matter arises at any meeting of the Council which **directly relates** to your financial interest or well-being or a financial interest or well-being of a relative or close associate, you **must** disclose the interest. **You may** speak on the matter only if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting. Otherwise you must not take part in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless you have been granted a dispensation.

Where a matter arises at any meeting of the Council which **affects** your financial interest or well-being, or a financial interest or well-being of a relative or close associate to a greater extent than it affects the financial interest or wellbeing of the majority of inhabitants of the ward affected by the decision and a reasonable member of the public knowing all the facts would believe that it would affect your view of the wider public interest, you **must** declare the interest. You **may** only speak on the matter if members of the public are able to speak. Otherwise you must not take part in any discussion or voting on the matter and must not remain in the room unless you have been granted a dispensation.

In all cases, where the Monitoring Officer has agreed that the interest in question is a **sensitive interest**, you do not have to disclose the nature of the interest itself.



<b>Title of Report</b>	Composition of Cabinet and Cabinet Committees; Appointment of Deputy Cabinet Members and Member Champions and Elected Mayor's Scheme of Delegation
<b>For Consideration By</b>	Council
<b>Meeting Date</b>	29 November 2023
<b>Classification</b>	Open
<b>Ward(s) Affected</b>	All
	Mayor Caroline Woodley

1. **Summary**

- 1.1. This report requests Full Council note the appointments to Cabinet and Cabinet Committees; the appointment of Deputy Cabinet Members and Member Champions and the Elected Mayor's Scheme of Delegation for the remainder of the 2023/2024 municipal year, following the election of a new directly Elected Mayor on 9 November 2023.

2. **Recommendations**

- 2.1. **That the Mayor's re-appointment of Councillors to Cabinet and re-appointment of Deputy Cabinet Members and Member Champions is noted, as set out in Appendix 1.**
- 2.2. **That the establishment of, and appointments to, Executive Committees as set out in Appendix 2 is noted.**
- 2.3. **That the Elected Mayor's Scheme of Delegation for 2023/2024 as set out in Appendix 3 is noted.**

3. **Background**

- 3.1. At its Annual Meeting on 17 May 2023, Full Council were advised of the composition of the Elected Mayor's Cabinet in accordance with Paragraph 1.1 of Part 4.1 of the Council's Constitution (now [Rule 1](#), Part 4A in the September 2023 edition).

- 3.2. At its meeting on 27 September 2023, Full Council noted changes to Cabinet Portfolios which had taken effect as a consequence of the Statutory Deputy Mayor, acting in place of the Elected Mayor.
- 3.3. Following the resignation of the then Mayor on 22 September 2023, a by-election was held on 9 November 2023. This report highlights the re-appointments to Cabinet and re-appointments of Deputy Cabinet Members and Member Champions by the new directly Elected Mayor. Whilst no changes have been made to the membership of Cabinet, a few changes have been made to Cabinet portfolios as highlighted in appendix 1.
- 3.4. The report also highlights the establishment of and appointments to executive committees, and confirms the Mayor's scheme of delegation.

#### 4. **Comments of the Group Director of Finance**

- 4.1. There are no budgetary implications arising from this report. All costs are contained within the current approved budget.

#### 5. **Comments of the Acting Director of Legal, Democratic and Electoral Services .**

- 5.1. In accordance with Article 5.5 ( c) of the Council's Constitution the Elected Mayor has authority to '*To appoint the Cabinet and the Statutory Deputy Mayor;*. Article 5.11 provides that '*the size and composition of the Cabinet will be solely a matter for the Elected Mayor to decide*'. *They may choose to appoint Councillors from any political group or those not in a political group. The Cabinet need not reflect the political balance of the Council as a whole. The Elected Mayor will report their appointments to Full Council at the Annual Meeting*'.
- 5.2. The recommendations as set out in this report are provided to Full Council in advance of the Annual Meeting in May 2024 in the interests of good practice, openness and transparency. There are no further legal implications arising from the contents of this report

#### **Appendices**

Appendix 1 - Composition of and appointments to Cabinet, Deputy Cabinet Members and Member Champions

Appendix 2 - Executive committees / boards and membership

Appendix 3 - Elected Mayor's scheme of delegation



## **Background documents**

None

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## Appendix 1 - Composition of and Appointments to Cabinet, Deputy Cabinet Members and Member Champions



### 1. Cabinet Appointments

Mayor Woodley has re-appointed the existing Cabinet but has made the following changes to Cabinet portfolios:


Cabinet portfolio	Previous Cabinet lead	New Cabinet lead
Overall budget and policy responsibility	Cllr Bramble (whilst acting in place of Mayor)	Mayor Woodley
Relationships with London Councils, LGA & International Partners	Cllr Bramble (whilst acting in place of Mayor)	Mayor Woodley
Private Rented Sector and Housing Affordability - supported by Deputy Cabinet member	Cllr Bramble (whilst acting in place of Mayor)	Mayor Woodley
Housing Needs and Homelessness- supported by Deputy Cabinet member	Cllr Bramble (whilst acting in place of Mayor)	Cllr Nicholson
Young Hackney	Mayor Woodley	Cllr Bramble
Legal Services	Cllr Chapman	Cllr Bramble

As a result of these changes, Mayor Woodley's Cabinet is as set out below. Need to ensure final changes above are reflected in the breakdown below.



	Member	Portfolio	Responsibilities
	Caroline Woodley	Mayor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Overall budget and policy responsibility</li> <li>Private Rented Sector and Housing Affordability - supported by Deputy Cabinet member</li> <li>Relationships with London Councils, LGA &amp; key stakeholders</li> <li>Early Years</li> <li>Children's Centres and Nurseries</li> <li>Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND)</li> <li>Tackling Child Poverty</li> <li>Supporting Families [with Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Education, Young People and Children's Social Care]</li> <li>Leisure and Sport</li> <li>Parks and Green Spaces</li> <li>Green Infrastructure, Nature Recovery and Biodiversity</li> <li>Delivering Hackney 'A Child Friendly Borough' [with Deputy Mayor and Cabinet member for Education, Young People and Children's Social Care]</li> </ul>

	<p>Cllr Anntoinette Bramble</p>	<p>Deputy Mayor and Cabinet member for Education, Young People and Children's Social Care</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Statutory Deputy Mayor</li> <li>● Hackney Education and Schools (Hackney Education Service)</li> <li>● Children's Social Care and Safeguarding</li> <li>● Reducing Exclusions and Promoting School Inclusion</li> <li>● Looked After Children and Fostering</li> <li>● Supporting Families [with the Mayor]</li> <li>● Young Hackney</li> <li>● Young Speakers and Youth Parliament</li> <li>● Delivery of Mayor's Young Futures Commission Recommendations [with Cabinet Member for Community Safety and Regulatory Services]</li> <li>● Delivering Hackney 'A Child Friendly Borough' [with the Mayor]</li> <li>● Legal Services</li> <li>● Chair of Corporate Parenting Board</li> </ul>
	<p>Cllr Guy Nicholson</p>	<p>Deputy Mayor for Delivery, Inclusive Economy &amp; Regeneration</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 2022-26 Manifesto &amp; Council Strategic Plan delivery</li> <li>● Capital Programme - new homes, infrastructure and services delivery</li> <li>● Housing Needs and Homelessness- supported by Deputy Cabinet member</li> <li>● Town Centre, high street, estates and neighbourhood place making</li> <li>● Planning Service - performance, policy, plan making, building control &amp; enforcement</li> <li>● Inclusive Economic Development - local business, cooperative &amp; social enterprise led community wealth building delivery</li> <li>● Regional &amp; international economic partnerships delivery</li> <li>● Woodberry Down Regeneration</li> <li>● London Legacy Development Corporation Transition and Inclusive 2012 Olympic Legacy</li> <li>● Ethical Governance and Chair of Standards Committee</li> </ul>
	<p>Cllr Robert Chapman</p>	<p>Cabinet Member for Finance, Insourcing and Customer Service</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Budget and Budget Monitoring, inc. Overall Financial Position Report to Cabinet</li> <li>● Revenues &amp; Benefits (hardship and Support Payments, Housing Benefits, Council tax, CTRS) and Responding to Welfare Reform.</li> <li>● Procurement and Sustainable Procurement and Strategy [inc. Chair of Cabinet Procurement &amp; Insourcing Committee]</li> <li>● Corporate Debt Policy and Support for Vulnerable Residents</li> <li>● Insourcing Services</li> <li>● Pensions</li> <li>● Customer Services, Casework Review and Complaints</li> <li>● Audit</li> <li>● Overall Property and Capital Programme</li> <li>● Digital and ICT</li> <li>● Democratic Services and Electoral Registration</li> </ul>
	<p>Cllr Mete Coban</p>	<p>Cabinet Member for Environment and Transport</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Climate Change - Including Responding to the Emergency, Mitigation, Adaptation, and Public Awareness</li> <li>● Environmental Sustainability</li> <li>● Transport - Bus Priority, Road Safety, Accessibility, Strategic Infrastructure and Transportation</li> <li>● Liveable Neighbourhoods - Promoting Walking and Cycling</li> <li>● Clean air and Tackling Pollution</li> <li>● Public Realm and Streetscene</li> <li>● Electric Vehicle (EV) Infrastructure</li> </ul>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Energy - Community and Local Generation, Efficiency, and Procurement</li> <li>• Retrofit Council Homes Programme with Cabinet Member for Housing Services and Resident Participation</li> <li>• Growing the Green and Circular Economy</li> <li>• Waste and Recycling</li> <li>• Waste Services and Waste Reduction and Prevention</li> <li>• Street and Estate Cleansing</li> <li>• Corporate Decarbonisation and Just Transition to Net Zero</li> <li>• Vehicle and Cycle Parking</li> </ul>
	Cllr Susan Fajana Thomas	Cabinet Member for Community Safety and Regulatory Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Strategic Relationship with the Police inc. Accountability and Improving Trust and Confidence</li> <li>• Crime Reduction and Antisocial Behaviour</li> <li>• Integrated Gangs Unit</li> <li>• Noise Nuisance</li> <li>• Environmental Health and Trading Standards</li> <li>• Licensing Enforcement</li> <li>• Licensing Policy [working with Chair of Licensing]</li> <li>• Night Time Economy</li> <li>• Street Markets and Street Trading</li> <li>• Youth Justice</li> <li>• Environmental Protection</li> <li>• Emergency Planning and Relationship with London Fire Brigade</li> <li>• CCTV and Public Surveillance</li> <li>• Domestic Violence and Abuse</li> <li>• Delivery of Mayor's Young Futures Commission Recommendations [with Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Education, Young People and Children's Social Care]</li> <li>• Violence Against Women and Girls</li> </ul>
	Cllr Chris Kennedy	Cabinet Member for Health, Adult Social Care, Voluntary Sector and Culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health and Relationship with the Local NHS</li> <li>• Adult Social Care</li> <li>• Ageing Well Strategy</li> <li>• Carers</li> <li>• Mental Health and Wellbeing, inc. Dementia Friendly Borough</li> <li>• Public Health</li> <li>• Voluntary and Community Sector (VCS) - includes VCS property</li> <li>• Arts &amp; Culture</li> <li>• Libraries, Museum and Archives</li> <li>• Food Justice</li> <li>• Communications and Consultations</li> <li>• Public Affairs and Campaigns</li> <li>• Waterways and Boaters</li> </ul>
	Cllr Clayeon McKenzie	Cabinet Member for Housing Services and Resident Participation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Housing Management / Services</li> <li>• Housing Service Transformation and Improvement</li> <li>• Housing Revenue Account (HRA) Business Plan and Strategic Asset Management Plan</li> <li>• Retrofit Council Homes Programme with Cabinet Member for Environment and Transport</li> <li>• Better Homes Partnership</li> <li>• Fire and Resident Safety</li> <li>• Tenant Management Organisation (TMO) Champion</li> <li>• Travellers</li> <li>• Maintaining Strong Relations with the Tenants and Residents Movement</li> </ul>

	<p>Cllr Carole Williams</p>	<p>Cabinet Member for Employment, Human Resources and Equalities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Employment Strategy and Partnerships</li> <li>● Hackney Works</li> <li>● Apprenticeships - Including Hackney Apprenticeship Network and the Apprenticeship Levy</li> <li>● Employment Programmes Including Supported Employment, Adult Trainees and Paid Work Experience</li> <li>● Devolution and Policy</li> <li>● Human Resources and Organisational Development</li> <li>● Relationship with the Trade Unions</li> <li>● Adult Learning and English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) - Delivering Excellence</li> <li>● Post 18 skills, Including Further and Higher Education</li> <li>● Supporting the London Living Wage</li> <li>● Equalities and Anti-racism</li> <li>● Refugees and Vulnerable Migrants</li> <li>● Windrush</li> <li>● Policy, Strategy and Devolution</li> <li>● Fair Trade with the Climate Justice and Fair Trade Champion</li> <li>● Volunteering</li> </ul>
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## 2. Deputy Cabinet member appointments

	Member	Portfolio	Responsibilities
	<p>Cllr Sade Etti</p>	<p>Housing Needs and Homelessness</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Housing Needs (inc. Lettings and Allocations Policy)</li> <li>● Rough Sleeping</li> <li>● Homelessness and Temporary Accommodation Including our Work with Young People</li> <li>● Internal Advice Services (Particularly Housing Options / Homelessness Related)</li> </ul>
	<p>Cllr Sem Moema</p>	<p>Private Rented Sector and Housing Affordability</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Strategic Housing</li> <li>● Private Sector Housing (excluding temporary accommodation)</li> <li>● Housing Affordability</li> <li>● Fire Safety and Leaseholders (non-council)</li> <li>● Promoting Shared Ownership and Other Intermediate Products</li> <li>● Housing Association Relationships and Accountability</li> <li>● Hackney's Housing Company and Living Rent Homes</li> <li>● Older People's Housing</li> </ul>

## 3. Member Champion Appointments

Member Champions are Councillors who act as an advocate for a specific area of the Council's business. The main responsibility for each Member Champion is to encourage communication and positive action over the issue they represent, and to engage with residents and relevant community groups.

The following Member Champions have been re-appointed by Mayor Woodley for the remainder of 2023/24:

- Cllr Sade Etti – Inter-Faith
- Cllr Joseph Ogundemuren – No Place for Hate

- Cllr Sam Pallis – Inclusive Business, Social Enterprise and Cooperatives
- Cllr Gilbert Smyth – Climate Justice and Fairtrade
- Cllr Sheila Suso-Runge – Heritage
- Cllr Claudia Turbet-Delof – Mental Health

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## **Appendix 2 - Executive committees / boards and membership**

### **Cabinet Procurement and Insourcing Committee**

Appointments:

- Mayor Caroline Woodley
- Cllr Robert Chapman - Chair
- Cllr Christopher Kennedy
- Cllr Mete Coban

Substitute member:

- Cllr Carole Williams

### **Corporate Parenting Board**

Appointments:

- Deputy Mayor Anntoinette Bramble (Chair)

### **City & Hackney Health and Care Board**

Appointments:

- Deputy Mayor Anntoinette Bramble
- Councillor Robert Chapman
- Councillor Christopher Kennedy

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<b>Description of Function / Delegation</b>	<b>Who May Exercise the Function / Delegation?</b>			
	<b>Mayor</b>	<b>Mayor and Cabinet</b>	<b>Cabinet Committee</b>	<b>Cabinet Member</b>
<b>Governance</b>				
Establishment of Cabinet Committees and appointments to those Committees	✓			
Protocols for Executive working arrangements	✓			
Creation, allocation and revision of Cabinet Member, Deputy Cabinet Member and Member Champion portfolios	✓			
Appointment of Cabinet Members, Deputy Cabinet Members and Member Champions	✓			
<b>Policy and Budgetary Framework</b>				
Recommending decisions outside the policy and budgetary framework in accordance with the Constitution		✓		
<b>Policy Framework (Article 4 on Full Council, section 4.7) Responsibility for making recommendations to Councils on the following -</b>				
Local Transport Plan		✓		
Local Development Framework and Local Area Action Plans		✓		
Licensing Authority Policy Statement		✓		
Crime & Disorder Reduction Strategy		✓		
Youth Justice Plan		✓		
Strategic Plan		✓		
Housing Strategy		✓		
Equalities Statement		✓		

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<b>Budgetary Framework: Responsibility for deciding or making recommendations to Council (as appropriate) on the following or the Council's contribution if the responsibility of the plan lies with a partnership body</b>				
Proposals for the annual budget for income and expenditure, the Council Tax base and setting the Council Tax		✓		
Proposals formulating a plan or strategy for the control of the authority's borrowing, investments or capital expenditure (Statutory Instrument 2002 1158)		✓		
Agreeing the Housing Revenue Account estimates and the level of rents		✓		
Allocation of budgets to departments		✓		
Virement limits		✓		
Schools Budgets		✓		
Monitoring the Overall Financial Position of the authority including the revenue and capital budgets and delivery of the capital programme		✓		
<b>Policies and Strategies</b>				
To approve all corporate policies and strategies (other than those specified in the policy framework)		✓		
To approve all formal service strategies (unless the responsibility of the strategy lies with a partnership body or is delegated otherwise)		✓		
<b>Council Meetings</b>				

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Responding to Council questions and motions in relation to executive functions.		✓		
To respond to the call in of executive decisions taken or to be taken outside the policy framework		✓		
<b>Overview and Scrutiny</b>				
Responding to Overview and Scrutiny Reports.		✓		
To respond to the call-in of executive decisions not delegated to officers and within the policy framework.		✓		
<b>Joint Arrangements</b>				
To establish joint arrangements in relation to the delegation of any function which is the responsibility of the Executive	✓			
To delegate executive functions to another local authority or the executive of another local authority	✓			
<b>Outside Bodies</b>				
Approval of the Council's representation on Outside Bodies including companies, trusts and charities (i.e. the principle and nature) where the representation relates to an executive responsibility or function		✓		
Appointment of Council representatives to Outside Bodies (the individuals) where the appointment relates to an executive responsibility or function		✓		

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Nominations to External Organisations		✓		
<b>Response to Consultation Papers and Inspection Reports</b>				
To agree the authority's response to consultation papers of strategic importance or which will have an impact on the Council's strategies or plans		✓		
To receive reports of external inspection and regulation bodies		✓		
To agree any action plans arising from such reports		✓		
<b>Resources and procurement</b>				
Corporate Debt Strategy and Write Off Strategies (but excluding decisions on individual write offs unless required by this scheme or the Constitution)		✓		
External Auditors Management Letter		✓		
Insurance policies and strategies relating to insurance.		✓		
Annual Treasury Management Report and strategy and Borrowing Limits		✓		
Risk management strategy		✓		
Overall funding, bidding and fees and charges strategies.		✓		
Counter-fraud Strategy		✓		

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PFIs - approval of initial proposals, services for inclusion in ITT, outline business case, structures for delivery, funding for proposals in accordance with budget strategy and related contractual matters over £500,000.		✓		
Taking decisions on procurement exercises relating to major projects			✓ Cabinet Procurement and Insourcing Committee	
Insourcing or contracting out of Council services			✓ Cabinet Procurement and Insourcing Committee	
Procurements that arise from the acceptance of an Expression of Interest under Section 81 of the Localism Act 2011			✓ Cabinet Procurement and Insourcing Committee	
<b>Land and Property</b>				
Approval of the Annual Corporate Disposals Programme		✓		
Declaring land surplus to requirements		✓		

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The approval of the grant of a lease and sub leases for more than 7 years, in respect of General Fund and land held for housing purposes other than the approval of a lease renewal, assignment, enfranchisement and grant of a statutory right to renewal or extension of commercial leases and sub leases in respect of General Fund and land held for housing purposes.		✓		
The approval of the disposal of all land held for housing purposes (whether freehold or leasehold) other than disposals under the Right to Buy legislation, the grant of a commercial lease for less than 7 years, renewal of such a lease, assignment of such a lease, enfranchisement, a statutory right to lease extension or renewal and the grant of a licence or wayleave		✓		
Approval of land transactions in connection with major regeneration schemes		✓		
Acquisition of land on a freehold or leasehold basis other than individual leases for private sector leasing schemes, taking leases of other property to house homeless and other vulnerable persons, and the renewal of any lease for a period of 7 years or less		✓		



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Asset Management Plans Framework for applying Discretionary reductions for Leaseholder re-charges		✓		
Making Compulsory purchase orders		✓		
<b>Regeneration</b>				
Determining what areas in the Borough should be declared Conservation Areas		✓		
Regeneration schemes – approval of the initial proposals, selection of preferred option(s), approval of masterplan, delivery plans (including annual plans) funding arrangements within the budget strategy, disposals and acquisitions of land, charters and/or other documents setting out Council's proposals for residents affected by the schemes and structures for delivery. Approval of formal applications for external funding with any contribution by the Council unless the contribution to be made is part of current service delivery arrangements and is within the approved budget		✓		
<b>Crime and Anti-Social Behaviour</b>				
Noise Strategy		✓		
Specific Crime and Anti-Social Behaviour Strategies/policies including the statutory policy required as landlord under the Housing Act 1996 and section 12 of the Anti-Social Behaviour Act 2003		✓		

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Anti-Social Behaviour Crime and Policing Act 2014 Exercise the Council's powers to issue a Public Spaces Protection Orders (PSPO) to tackle issues in public places such as, but not limited to other anti-social behaviour, parking, alcohol consumption, or noise. The order relates to the area, where the activities are (a) likely to be, of a persistent or continuing nature, (b) is likely to be, such as to make the activities unreasonable, and (c) justifies the restrictions imposed by the notice.		✓		
<b>Education</b>				
Education Capital Strategy		✓		
Building Schools for the Future – decision on preferred bidder		✓		
Education Planned Maintenance Programme		✓		
Duties in connection with the discontinuance or amalgamation of maintained schools; including consultation, publication of proposals, consideration of representations and decisions to discontinue / amalgamate		✓		
Nominate and remove Local Authority School Governors		✓		
<b>Public Realm</b>				
Parking Strategy		✓		
Introduction of a Controlled Parking Zone (CPZ)		✓		
Traffic Reduction Plan		✓		

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Houses in Multiple Occupation (HMO) Registration Areas: Declaration		✓		
Air Quality Action Plan		✓		
Municipal Waste Strategy		✓		
Recycling Strategy		✓		
Home Energy Conservation Plan		✓		
Noise and Statutory Nuisance Act 1993 Schedule 8 - Resolution		✓		
London Mayor's Transport Spending Plan and Borough spending plan for transportation		✓		
Responses to London Plan, Drafts and Updates		✓		
London Bus Priority Network Measures		✓		
<b>Housing Strategy</b>				
Housing Revenue Account (HRA) estimates and decisions on rents plan		✓		
Tenancy Strategy		✓		
Declarations of Renewal Areas under s.89., Local Government & Housing Act 1989		✓		
Housing Act 2004, Part 3 - Designation of discretionary licensing area and licensing relating to it		✓		
Choice Based Lettings policy and amendments with significant impact on the operation of the policy		✓		

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Section 105 Housing Act 1985 – Housing management consultation affecting two or more wards		✓		
Recommendations to Council on housing land transfer under Section 32 of the Housing Act 1985		✓		
Homelessness Strategy		✓		
Private Sector Housing Renewal Strategy		✓		
Supporting People Strategy		✓		
<b>Neighbourhood Planning</b>				
a Consider Independent Examiners Report prior to Referendum; b. Making, revoking and amending Neighbourhood Development Plans, Community Right to Build Orders, Designation of Neighbourhood Forums, Designation of Neighbourhood Areas, Designation of Business Areas and Neighbourhood Development Orders; c. Designation (with or without amendment) or refusal to designate Neighbourhood Forums, Neighbourhood Areas or Business Areas; d. Modification of designation for Neighbourhood Areas and Business Areas.		✓		
<b>Health and Community Services</b>				
Sports and Physical Activity Strategy		✓		
Parks Strategy		✓		

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Library Strategy and the 5 Year library stock strategy		✓		
<b>Grants and Voluntary Sector</b>				
Voluntary Sector Strategy		✓		
Agreeing the policy and criteria for grant aid to voluntary organisations		✓		
Agreeing the award of grant aid from the voluntary sector grants programme		✓		
<b>Adult Services</b>				
Integration of Service Provision strategies		✓		
Joint Investment Plan For Elders – Annual plan		✓		
Eligibility Criteria		✓		
Reports of Commission for Social Care Inspection including Annual Review meeting (star rating) report		✓		
Carer's Strategy		✓		
Hackney Safeguarding Adults Strategy		✓		
Decisions on permanent closure, relocation or change of use and establishment of accommodation based services (for example day care centres, supported housing with care and residential care homes)		✓		
<b>Children's Services</b>				
Reports of Ofsted including Annual Review meeting (star rating) report		✓		

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Appointments to Adoption and Fostering Panels		✓		
Approval of Children's Trust arrangements		✓		
Corporate Parenting Responsibility		✓		
Establishing or closing new services or facilities		✓		
<b>Ombudsman</b>				
Reports of the Commission for Local Administration in England - findings of Maladministration		✓		
<b>General</b>				
Use of Charging Powers in any service area under the executive, for the first time (Local Government Act 2003/Localism Act 2011)		✓		
Use of Trading Powers (Local Government Act 2003/Localism Act 2011): Setting up of Companies in any service area for the first time.		✓		
Adoption of Powers where adoption is required under the legislation (where not a Council function)		✓		