

| Title of Report                      | Nomination of Local Authority Governor                  |   |
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| Key Decision No                      | Non Key Decision  |   |
| For Consideration By                 | Cabinet   |   |
| Meeting Date                         | 27 <sup>th</sup> March 2023                             |   |
| Cabinet Member                       | N/A   |   |
| Classification                       |   |   |
| Ward(s) Affected                     | Hoxton East and Shoreditch                              |   |
| Key Decision & Reason                | No  | The appointment of Local Authority Governors do not impact two or more wards, and do not incur expenditure over £1 million. |
| Implementation Date if Not Called In |   |   |
| Group Director                       | Jacquie Burke, Group Director of Children and Education |   |

## 1. **Recommendations**

### 1.1. Cabinet is recommended:

To approve the following nominations as set out below:

| Governing Body                             | Name            | Date Effective |
|--|-----------------|----------------|
| Comet Nursery School and Children's Centre | Ms Fran Paffard | 4 April 2023   |

#### 2. **Background**

This report is in line with The School Governance Constitution (England) Regulations 2012 (the Constitution Regulations) require that for each maintained school the Governing Board has one Local Authority Governor (LA Governor). LA Governors are nominated by the Local Authority and appointed by the Governing Board. The Governing Board must provide the Local Authority with eligibility criteria for a vacant LA Governor position. These must include the credentials and skills candidates should possess. The school may wish to put forward an individual to be considered by the Local Authority for nomination. The Governing Board decides first if the proposed candidate meets the specified criteria and is eligible to be an LA Governor. The Local Authority then nominates the candidate. The Governing Board then appoints the nominee at a meeting of its full Governing Board. Once appointed, LA Governors must govern in the interests of the school.

Please note that Ms Paffard is a re-nomination, and that the Governing Board confirmed she meets their specified criteria and put her forward.

It is confirmed that this appointment is a re-nomination and that the Governing Board supports the re-nomination as a governor.

# 2.1. Equality impact assessment

There are no new decisions within the report that require an Equality Impact Assessment.

#### 2.2. Sustainability and climate change

There are no issues within the report that impact on the physical and social environment.

#### 2.3. Consultations

The report does not contain any issues or decisions that require consultation.

#### 2.4 Risk Assessment

There are no proposals for action that require a risk assessment.

#### 3. Comments of the Group Director of Finance and Corporate Resources.

3.1 There are no budgetary implications to these nominations.

# 4. Comments of the Director of Legal, Democratic and Electoral Services

4.1. Legal comments have been incorporated into the body of the report.

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