

CABINET Agenda

Date Monday 22nd January 2024

Time 5.30 pm

Venue Council Chamber, Civic Centre, West Street, Oldham, OL1 1NL

Notes 1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST- If a Member requires advice on any item involving a possible declaration of interest which could affect his/her ability to speak and/or vote he/she is advised to contact Paul Entwistle or Peter Thompson at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting.

2. CONTACT OFFICER for this agenda is Constitutional Services, e-mail peter.thompson@oldham.gov.uk

3. PUBLIC QUESTIONS - Any Member of the public wishing to ask a question at the above meeting can do so only if a written copy of the question is submitted to the contact officer by 12.00 noon on Wednesday, 17th January 2024.

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MEMBERSHIP OF THE CABINET

Councillors Ali, Brownridge, Dean, Goodwin, F Hussain, Jabbar, Mushtaq, Shah and Taylor

Item No

- 1 Apologies For Absence
- 2 Urgent Business
Urgent business, if any, introduced by the Chair
- 3 Declarations of Interest

To Receive Declarations of Interest in any Contract or matter to be discussed at the meeting.

4 Public Question Time

To receive Questions from the Public, in accordance with the Council's Constitution.

5 Minutes (Pages 1 - 10)

The Minutes of the meeting of Cabinet held 11th December 2023 are attached for approval.

6 LGA Corporate Peer Challenge - Feedback and next steps (Pages 11 - 48)

A report updating the Cabinet on the outcome and findings of the recent Corporate Peer Challenge and to agree the Council's action plan in response to the recommendations.

7 Council Tax Base and Non-Domestic Rates Tax Base Forecast 2024/25 (Pages 49 - 62)

A report presenting the Council Tax Base and provisional Non-Domestic Rates (NDR) Tax Base forecast for 2024/25.

8 Digital switchover's impact on the Helpline & Response Service (Pages 63 - 68)

A report seeking funding to mitigate the risk of Helpline and Response customers becoming disconnected from the service as a result of the national digital switchover programme.

9 Report requesting contract extension for Care at Home and Extra Care Flexible Purchasing System and seeking authority to enter into procurement exercises in relation to specific activity related to the Care at Home service (Pages 69 - 72)

A report seeking authority to extend the term of the contracts awarded under the Care at Home and Extra Care Flexible Purchasing System, for a further two years.

10 Awarding of Occupational Health contract following re-tender exercise (Pages 73 - 76)

A report seeking approval for the Council's re-contracting of Occupational Health and associated services from 1st April 2024 for four years.

11 Targeted Youth Support Commissioning and Delivery Intentions including UKSPF from April 2024 (Pages 77 - 80)

A report seeking approval to extend the current contract for targeted Youth Support Commissioning Services, for a period of 12 months from 1st April 2024.

12 Youth Justice Service Extension to contract from 1 April 2024 (Pages 81 - 84)

Approval is sought to extend the current arrangements for a period of six months from 1st April 2024 to 30th September 2024

- 13 Exclusion of the Press and Public
- That, in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following five items of business on the grounds that they contain exempt information under paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act, and it would not, on balance, be in the public interest to disclose the reports.
- 14 Digital switchover's impact on the Helpline & Response Service (Pages 85 - 100)
- To consider confidential recommendations
- 15 Report requesting contract extension for Care at Home and Extra Care Flexible Purchasing System and seeking authority to enter into procurement exercises in relation to specific activity related to the Care at Home service (Pages 101 - 132)
- To consider confidential recommendations
- 16 Awarding of Occupational Health contract following re-tender exercise (Pages 133 - 138)
- To consider confidential recommendations
- 17 Targeted Youth Support Commissioning and Delivery Intentions including UKSPF (Pages 139 - 144)
- To consider confidential recommendations
- 18 Youth Justice Service Extension to contract (Pages 145 - 150)
- To consider confidential recommendations