Notice of Council

Date: Tuesday, 6 May 2025 at 7.00 pm

Venue: Council Chamber, BCP Civic Centre, Bournemouth BH2 6DY



Chairman:	Vice Chairman:	
Cllr L Dedman	Cllr S Bull	
Cllr C Adams	Cllr M Earl	Cllr S Moore
Cllr S Aitkenhead	Cllr J Edwards	Cllr A-M Moriarty
Cllr H Allen	Cllr G Farquhar	Cllr B Nanovo
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Cllr S Armstrong	Cllr A Filer	Cllr R Pattinson-West
Cllr J Bagwell	Cllr D A Flagg	Cllr M Phipps
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Cllr J Beesley	Cllr C Goodall	Cllr Dr F Rice
Cllr P Broadhead	Cllr A Hadley	Cllr J Richardson
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Cllr O Brown	Cllr E Harman	Cllr C Rigby
Cllr R Burton	Cllr R Herrett	Cllr K Salmon
Cllr J J Butt	Cllr P Hilliard	Cllr J Salmon
Cllr P Canavan	Cllr B Hitchcock	Cllr P Sidaway
Cllr S Carr-Brown	Cllr M Howell	Cllr P Slade
Cllr J Challinor	Cllr A Keddie	Cllr T Slade
Cllr A Chapmanlaw	Cllr M Le Poidevin	Cllr V Slade
Cllr B Chick	Cllr S Mackrow	Cllr M Tarling
Cllr J Clements	Cllr A Martin	Cllr T Trent
Cllr E Connolly	Cllr D Martin	Cllr O Walters
Cllr P Cooper	Cllr G Martin	Cllr C Weight
Cllr M Cox	Cllr J Martin	Cllr L Williams
Cllr D d'Orton-Gibson	Cllr C Matthews	Cllr K Wilson
Cllr B Dove	Cllr S McCormack	Cllr G Wright
Cllr M Dower	Cllr P Miles	

All Members of the Council are summoned to attend this meeting to consider the items of business set out on the agenda below.

The press and public are welcome to attend or view the live stream of this meeting at the following link: https://democracy.bcpcouncil.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?Mld=6076

If you would like any further information on the items to be considered at the meeting please contact: Democratic Services on 01202 096660 or democratic.services@bcpcouncil.gov.uk

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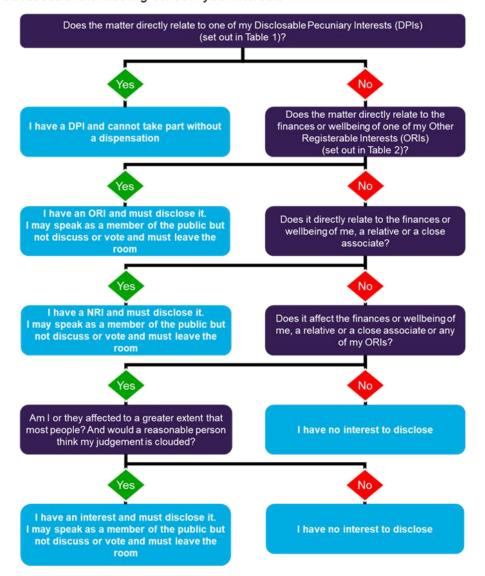


Maintaining and promoting high standards of conduct

Declaring interests at meetings

Familiarise yourself with the Councillor Code of Conduct which can be found in Part 6 of the Council's Constitution.

Before the meeting, read the agenda and reports to see if the matters to be discussed at the meeting concern your interests



What are the principles of bias and pre-determination and how do they affect my participation in the meeting?

Bias and predetermination are common law concepts. If they affect you, your participation in the meeting may call into question the decision arrived at on the item.

Bias Test

In all the circumstances, would it lead a fair minded and informed observer to conclude that there was a real possibility or a real danger that the decision maker was biased?

Predetermination Test

At the time of making the decision, did the decision maker have a closed mind?

If a councillor appears to be biased or to have predetermined their decision, they must NOT participate in the meeting.

For more information or advice please contact the Monitoring Officer (janie.berry@bcpcouncil.gov.uk)

Selflessness

Councillors should act solely in terms of the public interest

Integrity

Councillors must avoid placing themselves under any obligation to people or organisations that might try inappropriately to influence them in their work. They should not act or take decisions in order to gain financial or other material benefits for themselves, their family, or their friends. They must declare and resolve any interests and relationships

Objectivity

Councillors must act and take decisions impartially, fairly and on merit, using the best evidence and without discrimination or bias

Accountability

Councillors are accountable to the public for their decisions and actions and must submit themselves to the scrutiny necessary to ensure this

Openness

Councillors should act and take decisions in an open and transparent manner. Information should not be withheld from the public unless there are clear and lawful reasons for so doing

Honesty & Integrity

Councillors should act with honesty and integrity and should not place themselves in situations where their honesty and integrity may be questioned

Leadership

Councillors should exhibit these principles in their own behaviour. They should actively promote and robustly support the principles and be willing to challenge poor behaviour wherever it occurs

AGENDA

Items to be considered while the meeting is open to the public

1. Apologies

To receive any apologies for absence from Councillors.

2. Declarations of Interests

Councillors are requested to declare any interests on items included in this agenda. Please refer to the workflow on the preceding page for guidance.

Declarations received will be reported at the meeting.

ITEMS OF BUSINESS

3. Election of Chair of the Council

Councillors are asked to nominate and elect the Chair of the Council until the next Annual Council meeting.

4. Election of Vice-Chair of the Council

Councillors are asked to nominate and elect the Vice-Chair of the Council until the next Annual Council meeting.

5. Review of the political balance of the Council, the allocation of seats on Committees to each political group and the appointment of Councillors to Committees and Outside Bodies

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The Council is asked to consider and approve the review of the political balance of the Council, the allocation of seats on Committees to each political group, the appointment of Councillors on Committees and appointments to outside bodies as part of the annual review and following Councillor Karen Rampton's resignation from the Conservative Group.

6. Calendar of Meetings for 2025/26 and 2026/27

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The Council is asked to consider and approve the schedule of meetings for 2025/26 and 2026/27 municipal years.

No other items of business can be considered unless the Chairman decides the matter is urgent for reasons that must be specified and recorded in the Minutes.