



## Cambridge City Council

### STRATEGY AND RESOURCES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

**To:** **Scrutiny Committee Members** - Councillors Robertson (Chair), Sinnott (Vice-Chair), Baigent, Benstead, Bick, Cantrill, Hipkin, Holt, Sarris and M. Smart

**Alternates:** Councillors Abbott, Holland and C. Smart

**Leader of the Council:** Councillor Herbert

**Executive Councillor for Finance and Resources:** Councillor Owers

*Despatched: Wednesday, 9 March 2016*

**Date:** Monday, 21 March 2016

**Time:** 5.00 pm

**Venue:** Committee Room 1 & 2, The Guildhall, Market Square, Cambridge, CB2 3QJ

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### AGENDA

#### 1 **Apologies for Absence**

#### 2 **Declarations of Interest**

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#### 3 **Minutes of the Previous Meeting** (*Pages 7 - 38*)

To confirm the minutes of the meetings held on 18 January and 8 February 2016.

## **4 Public Questions**

### **Items for Decision by the Executive Councillor, Without Debate**

These Items will already have received approval in principle from the Executive Councillor. The Executive Councillor will be asked to approve the recommendations as set out in the officer's report. There will be no debate on these items, but members of the Scrutiny Committee and members of the public may ask questions or comment on the items if they comply with the Council's rules on Public Speaking set out below.

### **Items for Debate by the Committee and then Decision by the Executive Councillor**

These items will require the Executive Councillor to make a decision after hearing the views of the Scrutiny Committee.

There will be a full debate on these items, and members of the public may ask questions or comment on the items if they comply with the Council's rules on Public Speaking set out below

<b>Decisions for the Executive Councillor for Finance and Resources</b>
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### **Items for Decision by the Executive Councillor for Finance and Resources, Without Debate**

#### **5 Discretionary Housing Payment Update *(Pages 39 - 54)***

### **Items for Debate by the Committee and then Decision by the Executive Councillor for Finance and Resources**

#### **6 Climate Change Strategy *(Pages 55 - 138)***

<b>Decisions of the Leader</b>
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### **Item Withdrawn From Agenda**

#### **7 Public Spaces Protection Order - Punt and Tour Touting**

At Strategy & Resources Committee in January the Leader of the Council approved in principle the proposal to make a Public Spaces Protection Order and authorised officers to carry out a public consultation on a proposed draft order. The draft order prohibited advertising or soliciting custom for a punt tour, walking tour, hire or use of punts, boats or similar craft within the designated Public Spaces. The results of the consultation

were to be presented to the Strategy & Resources committee in March for consideration by the Executive Councillor and for a decision as to whether to approve the order and implement it.

On the recommendation of officers the decision on whether to introduce a Public Spaces Protection Order – Tour and Punt Touting has been deferred as there has been a large response to the public consultation on this issue.

Officers have advised that more time is needed, than was previously expected, to analyse the results in order to give a fair and transparent consideration to all of the views expressed.

### **Items for Debate by the Committee and then Decision by the Leader of the Council**

- 8 Consultation on Draft Community Safety Partnership Priorities 2016-17** (*Pages 139 - 160*)
- 9 Annual Update About the Work of Our Strategic Partnerships** (*Pages 161 - 178*)
- 10 Cambridgeshire Mental Health Crisis Concordat** (*Pages 179 - 210*)
- 11 Shared Services** (*Pages 211 - 274*)

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