# EPPING FOREST DISTRICT COUNCIL COUNCIL MINUTES

Committee: Council Date: 28 May 2015

Place: Council Chamber, Civic Offices, Time: 7.30 - 9.05 pm

High Street, Epping

**Members** Councillors A Boyce (Chairman), E Webster (Vice-Chairman), N Avey, **Present:** K Angold-Stephens, R Bassett, N Bedford, H Brady, G Chambers, K Chana,

T Church, D Dorrell, R Gadsby, A Grigg, L Hughes, R Jennings, S Jones, H Kane, S Kane, H Kauffman, P Keska, J Knapman, Y Knight, J Lea, M McEwen, L Mead, A Mitchell MBE, G Mohindra, R Morgan, S Murray, S Neville, J Philip, C P Pond, C C Pond, C Roberts, B Rolfe, B Sandler, M Sartin, G Shiell, D Stallan, S Stavrou, B Surtees, T Thomas, L Wagland, G Waller, S Watson, C Whitbread, J H Whitehouse, J M Whitehouse and

D Wixley

**Apologies:** Councillors W Breare-Hall, R Butler, L Girling, J Hart, A Lion, H Mann,

A Patel and S Weston

Officers G Chipp (Chief Executive), R Palmer (Director of Resources), C O'Boyle Present: (Director of Governance), A Hall (Director of Communities), S G Hill

(Assistant Director (Governance & Performance Management)), T Carne (Public Relations and Marketing Officer), P Seager (Chairman's Secretary), A Hendry (Democratic Services Officer), J Leither (Democratic Services

Assistant) and R Perrin (Democratic Services Assistant)

#### 1. WEBCASTING INTRODUCTION

The Assistant Director of Governance and Performance Management reminded everyone present that the meeting would be broadcast live to the Internet, and that the Council had adopted a protocol for the webcasting of its meetings.

#### 2. DISTRICT COUNCIL ELECTION - 7 MAY 2015

The Chairman welcomed the newly elected and re-elected members of the Council following the election held on 7 May 2015;

Lynn Hughes	Broadley Common, Epping Upland and			
	Nazeing			
Aniket Patel	Buckhurst Hill West			
Paul Keska	Chipping Ongar, Greensted and Marden			
	Ash			
Nigel Avey	Epping Hemnall			
Chris Whitbread	Epping Lindsey and Thornwood			
	Common			
Kewal Chana	Grange Hill			
Richard Morgan	Hastingwood, Matching and Sheering			
	Village			
Brian Rolfe	Lambourne			
Richard Bassett	Lower Nazeing			

Gary Waller	Lower Sheering
Anne Grigg	North Weald Bassett
Mary Sartin	Roydon
Nigel Bedford	Shelley
Syd Stavrou	Waltham Abbey High Beech
Sam Kane	Waltham Abbey Honey Lane
Ann Mitchell	Waltham Abbey North East
Elizabeth Webster	Waltham Abbey Paternoster
Ricki Gadsby	Waltham Abbey South West

The Chairman presented declaration of acceptance of office certificates to the four newly elected Members present Councillors Avey, Bedford, Hughes and S Kane.

#### 3. RETIRING CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL - YEAR OF OFFICE

Councillor Boyce addressed the Council on his year of office and presented a slide show of the various events attended. The Chairman reported that he had raised approximately £24,000 for his chosen charities.

Councillor Whitbread, Angold-Stephens and the Chief Executive, G Chipp on behalf of the staff, expressed their appreciation for the hard work and enthusiasm shown by Councillor Boyce during in his term of office.

#### 4. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

The nomination of Councillor E Webster for the Office of Chairman of the Council having been moved formally by Councillor Stavrou and seconded by Councillor Knapman, it was:

#### **RESOLVED:**

That Councillor E Webster be elected Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Councillor Webster thereupon made a Declaration of Acceptance of Office of the Chairman of the Council and thanked the Council for the honour. She informed the Council that she endeavoured to represent the Council to the best of her ability and would be concentrating on attending events within the boundaries of Epping Forest District and asked that members when asked, would join her at events in their wards.

Councillor Webster announced that her chosen charity for her term of office would be the Royal British Legion.

#### **Councillor Webster in the Chair**

#### 5. PAST CHAIRMAN'S BADGE

The new Chairman presented Councillor Boyce with a past Chairman's badge of office.

#### 6. APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHAIRMAN

The nomination of Councillor J Lea for the Vice-Chairman of the Council having been moved formally by Councillor Stavrou and seconded by Councillor Mitchell, it was:

#### **RESOLVED:**

That Councillor J Lea be appointed Vice-Chairman of the Council for the ensuring year.

Councillor Lea thereupon made a declaration of Acceptance of Office of Vice-Chairman of the Council and thanked the Council for her appointment.

#### 7. MINUTES

#### **RESOLVED:**

That the minutes of the Council meeting held on 21 April 2015 be taken as read and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

#### 8. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest by members of the Council under this item.

#### 9. ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### (a) Announcements by the Chairman of the Council

#### (i) Floral Display

The Chairman announced that she intended to send the flowers from tonight's meeting to St Clare's Hospice, Hastingwood

#### (b) Announcements by the Leader of Council and Portfolio Holders

There were no announcements under this heading.

#### (c) Members not seeking re-election or not re-elected

The Council noted that P Gode, R Glozier, A Watts and H Ulkun had not sought reelection on 7 May 2015. In recognition of his 12 years service as a Ward Member for Shelley, the Chairman presented an award to Peter Gode. Also an award for 16 years service as a Ward Councillor for Waltham Abbey High Beech and Waltham Abbey Honey Lane, A Watts would be sent his service award.

#### 10. ELECTION OF LEADER

The nomination of Councillor C Whitbread for the Leader of the Council having been moved formally by Councillor Knapman and seconded by Councillor Stavrou, it was:

#### **RESOLVED:**

That, in accordance with Section 44C(2) of the Local Government Act 2000, Councillor Whitbread be appointed Leader of the Council for a four year term of office, as prescribed by Section 44E of the Act, expiring on the day of the

Annual Council meeting following Councillor Whitbread's normal day of retirement as a Councillor.

#### 11. REPORT OF THE APPOINTMENTS PANEL

Mover: Councillor Whitbread, (Chairman of the Panel and Leader of the Council)

Councillor Whitbread reported on the appointments which he had made to the Cabinet, Cabinet Committees and to Outside Organisations carrying out executive Functions.

Councillor Whitbread also reported the recommendations of the Appointments Panel in relation to the membership, chairmanship and vice chairmanship of Committees, Sub-Committees and Panels (non-Executive bodies), and to outside organisations carrying out Council, regulatory or non Cabinet functions. Councillor Whitbread reported on changes made to the nominations since the Panel had met.

The Council voted on appointments where the number of nominations exceeded the number of places available.

#### **RESOLVED:**

- (1) That in accordance with Regulation 8 of the Local Government (Committees and Political Groups) Regulations 1990, the Constitution of Political Groups as set out in Appendix 1 to these minutes be noted;
- (2) That the appointment made by the Leader of the Council to the Cabinet and Cabinet Committees and the allocation of Portfolios as set out in Appendix 2 to these minutes be noted;
- (3) That the membership, chairmanship and vice-chairmanship pf Committees, Sub-Committees and Panels (non-Executive bodies) as set out in Appendix 3 to these minutes be approved
- (4) That the appointment of Councillor Waller to nominate Group substitute members on any Committees, Sub-Committees, Panels, Boards, Select Committees or Working Groups of the Council be noted;
- (5) That Group Leaders confirm nominations to the Proper Officer for appointments to be made to Select Committees by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee by 9 June 2015;
- (6) That the appointments made by the leader of the Council to Outside Organisations carrying out Executive functions as set out in Appendix 4 to these minutes be noted; and
- (7) That appointments to Outside Organisations carrying out Council, regulatory or non-Cabinet functions be as set out in Appendix 5 to these minutes.

# 12. SCHEME OF OFFICER DELEGATION - COUNCIL AND REGULATORY FUNCTIONS

The Council's Constitution required that the Scheme of Delegation be agreed at the Annual meeting. The current scheme had been reviewed with minor revised items highlighted. The scheme had been issued in Part 3 of the Council's Constitution and would be reviewed by the Constitution Working Group in 2015/16.

#### **RESOLVED:**

That the Scheme of Officer Delegation for Council and Regulatory Functions attached be agreed.

#### 13. SCHEME OF OFFICER DELEGATION - EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONS

The schedule of Officer Delegation in respect of Executive Functions approved by the Leader of the Council following the 2014/15 review was noted.

#### **RESOLVED:**

That the schedule of Officer Delegation in respect of the Executive Functions attached be noted.

#### 14. **COUNCIL MEETINGS - 2015/16**

On 16 December 2014, the Council had adopted a calendar of meetings for the period of May 2015 to May 2016, which had included the ordinary meetings of the Council. The Council's Constitution required that a programme of ordinary meetings of the Council was approved at the annual meeting. The Council was also asked to note the extraordinary meeting of the Council on Tuesday 23 June 2015 in relation to the Langston Road Shopping Park.

#### **RESOLVED:**

(1) That during 2015/16 ordinary meetings of the Council be held on the following dates:

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28 July 2015;
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- 29 September 2015;
- 3 November 2015;
- 15 December 2015:
- 16 February 2016;
- 18 February 2016 (reserve date for budget meeting)
- 26 April 2016;
- 26 May 2016 (Annual Council)
- (2) That an extraordinary Council meeting of the Council had been arranged for Tuesday 23 June 2015 in relation to the Langston Road Shopping Park.

**CHAIRMAN** 



# ANNUAL COUNCIL MEETING – 28 May 2015 CONSTITUTION OF POLITICAL GROUPS AND GROUP LEADERS

# Local Government and Housing Act 1989 – Notice of Constitution of Political Groups and Group Leaders

To note in accordance with regulation 8 of the Local Government (Committees and Political Groups) Regulations 1990, the constitution of political groups as follows:

#### **Conservative Group:**

Councillor Chris Whitbread (Group Leader)

Councillor Syd Stavrou (Deputy Group Leader)

Councillor Nigel Avey
Councillor Richard Bassett
Councillor Nigel Bedford
Councillor Anthony Boyce
Councillor Heather Brady
Councillor William Breare-Ha
Councillor Gavin Chambers
Councillor Kewal Chana
Councillor Anthony Church
Councillor Ricki Gadsby
Councillor Anne Grigg
Councillor James Hart
Councillor Lynn Hughes

Councillor Susan Jones
Councillor Helen Kane
Councillor Sam Kane
Councillor Paul Keska
Councillor John Knapman
all Councillor Yolanda Knight
Councillor Jeane Lea
Councillor Alan Lion
Councillor Ann Mitchell
Councillor Maggie McEwen
Councillor Gagan Mohindra
Councillor Aniket Patel
Councillor John Philip

Councillor Brian Rolfe
Councillor Brian Sandler
Councillor Mary Sartin
Councillor Glynis Shiell
Councillor David Stallan
Councillor Lesley Wagland
Councillor Gary Waller
Councillor Sylvia Watson
Councillor Elizabeth Webster
Councillor Neville Wright

#### Members 38

#### **Liberal Democrats Group:**

Group Leader – Councillor Jon Whitehouse Deputy Group Leader - Councillor Janet Whitehouse Councillor B Surtees

#### Members 3

#### **Loughton Residents' Association Group:**

Councillor Ken Angold-Stephens (Group Leader) Councillor Caroline Pond (Deputy Group Leader)

Councillor Leon Girling Councillor Robert Jennings Councillor Howard Kauffman Councillor Harvey Mann Councillor Louise Mead Councillor Chris Pond Councillor Chris Roberts Councillor Tracey Thomas Councillor Sharon Weston Councillor David Wixley

#### Members 12

#### **United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP) Group:**

Councillor David Dorrell (Group Leader) Councillor Rod Butler (Deputy Group Leader)

**Members 2** 

### Appendix 2 Annual Council meeting 28 May 2015

#### Item 9 - Report of the Appointments Panel

Additional items for report by the Leader.

#### Recommendation:

To note the following appointments by the Leader for Cabinet Members and Cabinet Subcommittees carrying out Executive functions:

#### (a) Deputy Leader

	2015/16
Deputy Leader	Syd Stavrou

#### (b) Other Cabinet Members/Allocation of Portfolios

Portfolio Title	Portfolio Holder 2015/16
Leader	Chris Whitbread
Asset Management	Anne Grigg
and Economic	
Development	
Environment	Will Breare-Hall
Finance	Syd Stavrou
Governance and	John Philip
Development	
Management	
Housing	David Stallan
Leisure and	Helen Kane
Community Services	
Safer, Greener and	Gary Waller
Transport	
Planning Policy	Richard Bassett
Technology and	Alan Lion
Support Services	

#### (c) Cabinet Committee Memberships (not part of pro rata allocations)

#### (i) Finance and Performance Management Cabinet Committee

Leader

Finance Portfolio Holder (Chairman)

Housing Portfolio Holder

Governance and Development Management Portfolio Holder

Technology and Support Services Portfolio Holder

#### (ii) Asset Management and Economic Development Cabinet Committee

Asset Management and Economic Development Portfolio Holder (Chairman) Environment Portfolio Holder Finance Portfolio Holder Leisure and Community Services Portfolio Holder Safer, Greener and Transport Portfolio Holder

#### (iii) Local Plan Cabinet Committee

#### Leader

Asset Management and Economic Development Portfolio Holder Governance and Development Management Portfolio Holder Technology and Support Services Portfolio Holder Planning Policy Portfolio Holder (Chairman)

#### (iv) Council Housebuilding Cabinet Committee

Housing Portfolio Holder (Chairman)
Planning Policy Portfolio Holder
Environment Portfolio Holder
Finance Portfolio Holder
Safer, Greener and Transport Portfolio Holder

# **Committee Appointments 2015-16**

# Appendix 3

		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	UKIP	Independent/Other
	Chairman/Vice-Chair	(Chair) S Jones (V/C) P Keska				
		N Avey	B Surtees			R Morgan
		N Bedford	J H Whitehouse			
•		A Boyce	J M Whitehouse			
		H Brady				
2		W Breare-Hall				
		T Church				
		A Grigg				
5		S Jones				
í		P Keska				
		M McEwen				
		J Philip				
i		B Rolfe				
		D Stallan				
		C Whitbread				
		G Waller		1		

4		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	UKIP	Independent/Other
	Chairman/Vice-Chair	(Chair) Y Knight (V/C) A Mitchell				
<b>1</b>		R Bassett			R Butler	
16		R Gadsby			D Dorrell	
2015/16		L Hughes				
70		H Kane				
₽		S Kane				
MEMBERSHIP		Y Knight				
<u>R</u>		J Lea				
層		A Mitchell				
		M Sartin				
Σ		G Shiell				
		S Stavrou				
		E Webster				

# Area Plans Sub-Committee South (24 Members - subject to opt in)

		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent
	Chairman/Vice-Chair	(Chair) J Hart			
		(V/C) N Wright			
9		G Chambers		K Angold-Stephens	
2/,		K Chana		B Jennings	
2015/16		J Knapman		H Kauffman	
		J Hart		H Mann	
ੀ		A Lion		L Mead	
RS		G Mohindra		C C Pond	
3E		A Patel		Mrs C P Pond	
MEMBERS		B Sandler		C Roberts	
ME		L Wagland		T Thomas	
-		S Watson		S Weston	
		N Wright		D Wixley	

Audi	Audit and Governance Committee (3 members plus 2 co-opted persons)				
		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent
9	Chairman/Vice-Chair	Chairman appointed at first meeting of Committee			
MEM 2015/1		L Hughes		S Weston	
20		J Knapman			

Constitution Working Group (11 members) *NEW					
		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent
	Chairman/Vice-Chair	M McEwen (Chairman) M Sartin (Vice-Chairman)			
ੂ		M McEwen	J H Whitehouse	C C Pond	D Dorrell
18 16		A Mitchell		C P Pond	
MEMBERSHIP 2015/16		J Philip			
/B		M Sartin			
EN 2		D Stallan			
Σ		G Waller			
		S Watson			

	Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	UKIP
Chairman/Vice-C	air B Sandler (Chairman) B Rolfe (Vice-Chairman)			
	A Boyce	J M Whitehouse	B Jennings	R Butler (UKIP)
	H Brady		H Kauffman	
	J Hart		C C Pond	
	S Jones			
	J Knapman			
	Y Knight			
	A Mitchell			
	G Mohindra			
	B Rolfe			
	B Sandler			

Hous	Housing Appeals and Review Panel (5 members and 5 substitutes)						
		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent		
2015/16	Chairman/Vice-Chair	B Rolfe (Chairman) A Mitchell (Vice- Chairman)					
		J Lea		L Mead			
ੀ ਜੋ		A Mitchell		T Thomas (Substitute)			
S		B Rolfe					
K		G Shiell					
圓		M Sartin (Substitute)					
MEMBERS		L Hughes (Substitute)					
Σ		N Avey (Substitute)					

		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent
	Chairman/Vice-Chair	A Lion (Vice-Chairman)			
2015/16		S Kane	J H Whitehouse	L Girling	
		J Knapman		C Roberts	
/16		A Lion			
2015/16		G Shiell			
20		D Stallan			
		G Waller			

		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	UKIP	Independent
	Chairman/Vice-Chair		B Surtees (Vice Chairman)	K Angold Stephens (Chairman)		
76		N Bedford	B Surtees	H Mann	D Dorrell	R Morgan
2015/16		A Boyce		T Thomas		
20		K Chana				
₽		R Gadsby				
MEMBERSHIP		P Keska				
H H		A Lion				
MB		B Rolfe				
		M Sartin				
≥		G Shiell				
		TBA				
Sub-Committee Chairs (6)		A Boyce P Keska M Sartin		K Angold Stephens T Thomas		R Morgan

# Overview and Scrutiny Committee (17 Members)

ф		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	UKIP	Independent/Other
	Chairman/Vice Chair			K Angold		R Morgan (Chairman)
				Stephens (Vice		
				Chairman)		
2015/16		T Church	B Surtees	K Angold	D Dorrell	R Morgan
15				Stephens		
20		S Kane		L Girling		S Murray
₽		P Keska		D Wixley		S Neville
SH.		A Mitchell				
띪		G Mohindra				
MEMBERSHIP		B Rolfe				
I≧		G Shiell				
Σ		M Sartin				
		N Avey				

### **Staff Appeals Panel (5 members and 5 substitutes)**

		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent
	Chairman/Vice Chair	B Sandler (Chairman)			
_		B Rolfe (Vice-Chairman)			
		G Chambers		C P Pond	S Neville
RS /		B Sandler		B Jennings (Substitute)	
BE 25		B Rolfe			
MEMBERSH 2015/16		L Hughes (Substitute)			
¥		A Mitchell (Substitute)			
		Y Knight (Substitute)			

# **Other Bodies**

Local Highways Panel (7 District, 7 County members – ECC Chair)						
		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent	
)		R Bassett		L Mead		
<u></u>		G Chambers				
8S  16		K Chana				
3EF 15/		T Church				
MB 20,		P Keska				
MEMBERSHIP 2015/16		J Lea				

Leisure Management – Contract Monitoring Board (6 members)						
	Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent		
(A)	G Chambers	J M Whitehouse		R Morgan		
👸 🖠	H Kane					
	P Keska					
MEMBERS	G Shiell					
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	Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent
	G Chambers	J H Whitehouse	B Jennings	R Morgan
MEMBERSHIP 2015/16	H Kane			
10 9	P Keska			
5, ER	G Shiell			
<u>6</u> 2	E Webster			
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Portfolio Holder Advisory Group on the Procurement of the Waste Management Contract (7 members)

No longer required

# Portfolio Holder Advisory Group on the Procurement of the Car Parking Strategy (7 members) Conservatives Liberal Democrats LRA Independent T Church J H Whitehouse K Angold-Stephens D Dorrell (UKIP) J Lea A Patel G Waller G Waller

	Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent
	A Lion	B Surtees	K Angold-Stephens	D Dorrell (UKIP)
MEMBERSHIP 2015/16	M McEwen			R Morgan (Ind)
	G Waller			
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Standards Committee (9 Members)						
		Conservatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent	
		G Chambers (Chairman)	B Surtees	C P Pond		
"		M McEwen		C Roberts		
ΣŽ		A Mitchell				
MEM 2015/16		B Rolfe				
20		S Kane				
		D Stallan				

Waste Management Partnership Board (2 Members plus 2 Officers and 4 representatives of the Council's Waste Management Contractor)						
	Conse	rvatives	Liberal Democrats	LRA	Independent	
MEM 2013/14	Holder	nment Portfolio e Portfolio Holder				
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#### **APPENDIX 4**

# **Leader Appointments**

Representation on Outside Organisations – Appointments by Leader Organisations Carrying Out Executive Functions

	anisation and cation Category	Representation for 2014/15	Representation for 2015/16
1.	Association of Retained Council Housing (ARCH) – Executive Board	D Stallan *See also officer appointment	D Stallan
2.	Civil Enforcement of Parking and Traffic Regulations Outside London (PATROL) – Adjudication Joint Committee	G Waller	G Waller
3.	Crime and Disorder Strategy Panel	G Waller W Breare-Hall (Deputy)	G Waller W Breare-Hall
4.	East of England Local Government Association	C Whitbread	C Whitbread
5.	Enfield Essex Herts Border Liaison Group	R Bassett, Mrs M Sartin, E Webster (J Lea, G Shiell, Y Knight - Deputies)	R Bassett, Mrs M Sartin, E Webster (J Lea, G Shiell, Y Knight - Deputies)
6.	Epping Forest District Local Strategic Partnership (Executive) (a) LSP Board  (b) Health Equalities Group (c) Safer Communities Partnership (d) Sustainable Communities Group (e) Epping Forest Children's Partnership	(a) C Whitbread/ A Grigg  (b) B Sandler (c) G Waller (d) A Grigg (e) E Webster	(a) C Whitbread/ A Grigg  (b) B Sandler (c) G Waller (d) A Grigg (e) E Webster
7.	Essex Community Wide Traveller Unit	R Bassett (non voting member)	R Bassett
8.	(Essex) Waste Partnership - Inter-Authority Member Working Group	W Breare-Hall G Waller (deputy)	W Breare-Hall G Waller (Deputy)
9.	Harlow Stansted Gateway Transportation Board (HSGTB)	G Waller A Grigg (deputy)	G Waller A Grigg (Deputy)
10.	Housing Repairs Advisory Group	Defunct	Defunct

_	anisation and cation Category	Representation for 2014/15	Representation for 2015/16
11.	Local Government	C Whitbread	C Whitbread
	Association - General	S Stavrou (Deputy)	S Stavrou (Deputy)
	Assembly		
12.	North Essex Parking	G Waller	G Waller
	Partnership	W Breare-Hall (Deputy)	W Breare-Hall (Deputy)
13.	South East Local Enterprise	C Whitbread	C Whitbread
	Partnership	A Grigg (Deputy)	A Grigg (Deputy)
14.	Waste Partnership Member	W Breare-Hall	W Breare-Hall
	Board	G Waller (Deputy)	G Waller (Deputy)
15.	West Essex Alliance	C Whitbread	C Whitbread
		A Grigg (Deputy)	A Grigg (Deputy)

#### **APPENDIX 5**

# **Council Appointments**

#### Representation on Outside Organisations Organisations Carrying Out Council Regulatory or Non-Cabinet Functions

	nisation and cation Category	Representation for 2014/15	Representation for 2015/16
1.	Care and Repair - Management Committee	A Grigg A Mitchell J H Whitehouse	A Grigg A Mitchell G Shiell
2.	Epping Forest Citizens' Advice Bureau	K Chana G Shiell	K Chana G Shiell
3.	Campaign to Protect Rural England (Essex Branch)	A Boyce Y Knight (deputy)	A Boyce Y Knight (Deputy)
4.	Epping Forest Community Transport Steering Group	G Waller	G Waller
5.	Epping Forest Housing Aid Committee	G Shiell	G Shiell
6.	Essex Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee  Must not be a member with executive responsibilities	Nomination to this Committee is decided by ECC at their Annual meeting. EFDC will only be offered a place if those County Councillors nominated do not include a local ECC member.	N/A
7.	Grange Farm Managing Trustees (Term to 31.05.19)	M Sartin M McEwen C Scrutton (Chigwell PC)	M Sartin M McEwen C Scrutton (Chigwell PC)
8.	Lee Valley Regional Park Authority (Term to 30/6/2017)	M Sartin S Stavrou (G Shiell and E Webster - Deputies)	M Sartin S Stavrou (G Shiell and E Webster - Deputies)

	nisation and cation Category	Representation for 2014/15	Representation for 2015/16
9.	Leisure Centres Liaison Groups		
	-Ongar Leisure Centre	B Surtees P Keska	P Keska N Bedford
	- Epping Sports Centre	W Breare-Hall T Church	W Breare-Hall T Church
	- Loughton Leisure Centre	T Thomas G Chambers	G Chambers A Patel
	- Waltham Abbey Swimming Pool	J Lea G Shiell	J Lea G Shiell
10.	Local Councils' Liaison Committee	K Angold Stephens J H Whitehouse A Boyce M Sartin B Rolfe	A Boyce K Angold-Stephens B Rolfe L Webster M Sartin
<del>11.</del>	Local Government Association - Rural Commission	Defunct	Defunct
11.	Police and Crime Panel	G Waller M Sartin (Deputy)	G Waller M Sartin (Deputy
12	Outer North-East London Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee	No appointment	G Chambers
13.	Princess Alexandra Hospital - Partnership Governor	G Waller	G Waller
14.	Roding Valley Meadows Local Nature Reserve		
	(a) Management Committee	(a) S Murray	(a) S Murray
	(b) Working Group	(b) Officer representative see officer schedule *	(b) Officer representative see officer schedule *
15.	Stansted Airport Consultative Committee	M Sartin G Waller (Deputy)	M Sartin G Waller (Deputy)
16.	Stansted Airport Community Trust Fund	R Morgan	R Morgan

	nisation and cation Category	Representation for 2014/15	Representation for 2015/16
17.	Town Centre Partnerships		
	(a) Buckhurst Hill Town	N Wright	N Wright
	Centre Partnership	J Hart	J Hart
	(b) Epping Town Centre	J M Whitehouse	T Church
	Partnership	T Church	N Avey
	(c) Loughton Broadway	L Girling	L Girling
	Town Centre Partnership	C Roberts	C Roberts
	(d) Loughton High Road	B Jennings	B Jennings
	Town Centre Partnership	T Thomas	T Thomas
	(e) Ongar Town Forum -	B Surtees	P Keska
	Steering Group	P Keska	N Bedford
	(f) Waltham Abbey Town	H Kane	H Kane
	Partnership	J Lea	J Lea
18.	Voluntary Action Epping Forest	G Shiell	G Shiell
19.	Waltham Abbey Royal Gunpowder Mills Ltd	H Kane	H Kane
20.	Waltham Abbey Tourist	J Lea	J Lea
	Information Centre - Joint	A Mitchell	A Mitchell
	Management Committee	E Webster	E Webster
21.	Waste Management and Street Cleansing – Loughton Stakeholders' Group	H Mann T Thomas J Hart	B Jennings T Thomas
22.	West Essex Wellbeing Joint	G Chambers	G Chambers
	Committee	J H Whitehouse	B Rolfe

#### Representation on Outside Organisations - Appointments Held by Officers

#### **Appointments by Leader – Organisations Carrying Out Executive Functions**

Number:	Organisation and	Representative 2015/16
	Committee Responsible	
1	Access Group - Joint	Defunct
	Management Team	
2	Association of Retained	Director of Communities
	Council Housing (ARCH)	(or representative)
3	Essex Archaeological and	Defunct
	Historical Congress	
4	Museum Service (South	Defunct
	Eastern)	
5	National Society for Clean	Director of
	Air (SE Division)	Neighbourhoods (or
		representative)
6	Standing Conference –	Director of
	Investigation of Air Pollution	Neighbourhoods (or
		representative)
7	Roding Valley Meadow Local	Director of
	Nature Reserve Working	Neighbourhoods (or
	Group	representative)

#### **Organisations Carrying Out Council Regulatory or Non-Executive Functions**

This Appendix indicates those organisations where the Council determined on 25 April 1995 that the representatives should be officers.

Number:	Organisation and Committee Responsible	Representative
1	East Anglian Home Safety Committee	Director of Neighbourhoods (or representative)
2	Essex Water Safety Liaison Committee	Director of Neighbourhoods (or representative)
3	Victoria County History Association	Defunct
4	Voluntary Action Epping Forest (see also member appointments schedule)	Grants Officer (+ 1 member delegate)

# Minute Item 12

# PART TWO – COUNCIL AND REGULATORY FUNCTIONS

OR ON BEHALF OF THE COUNCIL

30 CL1	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
CL1	Council - 29.10.85 (Minute 57(2))	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT 1985 – PROPER OFFICER  To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of the Act generally and in particular for the purposes of – Section 100(B)(2) – circulation of reports and agenda Section 100(B)(7)(c) – supply of documents to the press Section 100(C)(2) – summaries of minutes Section 100(D)(1)(a) – compilation of lists of background papers Section 100(D)(5)(a) – identification of background papers Section 100(F)(2) – papers not open to members
CL2	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 62(1) - 11.2.86)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT 1985 – DEPOSIT OF BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS  Proper Officers for the purpose of Section 100(D)(1)(b) – provision of one copy of relevant background papers to be open for inspection by the public at all reasonable times.
CL3	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 56 – 30.9.97)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	AFFIDAVITS – SWEARING OF  To secure sworn affidavits from any member of Council staff where required by the Council.
CL4	Council (Minute 104(5) – 19.4.83)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE	APPRAISAL OF TOP MANAGEMENT* To implement the Council's scheme for staff performance development reviews (*NB. 'Top Management' includes Service Directors)
		SERVICE DIRECTORS	APPRAISAL OF STAFF To implement the Council's scheme for staff performance development reviews (NB excluding Service Directors).

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
CL5	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 13 – 7.6.88)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCES FOR OFFICERS  To authorise, in cases where the Service Directors determine that time off in lieu cannot be allocated due to workload, the attendance of such officers at any function or meeting and to grant payments on rates applicable for weekend working, in the same way as currently applies to Members' approved duties.
CL6	Council (Minute 78(5) – 27.2.90)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	BORROWING DETERMINATION  (a) To discharge all powers regarding sources of borrowing available to the Council under Section 43(2) of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 subject to regular monitoring reports to the Cabinet, and  (b) To compile and maintain a register of loan instruments.
CL7	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	BYELAWS – CERTIFICATION  To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of Section 238 of the Local Government Act 1972.
CL8	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	BYELAWS – PARISH & COUNTY COUNCIL COPIES  To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of Section 236(a) of the Local Government Act 1972.
CL9	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 48 – 3.12.85)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	(a) To approve applications from eligible staff under the Scheme;  (b) To check eligibility of applicants, approve ordering of vehicles, notify users of outcome of applications; and  (c) To be responsible for the financial administration of the Scheme;

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
32	Cabinet (Minute 61 – 1.9.08) Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 37 – 25.7.89)	MANAGEMENT BOARD CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	<ul> <li>(d) To determine essential car user status for relevant staff posts.</li> <li>(e) To authorise early termination charges to members of staff with leased cars who receive redundancy notices;</li> <li>(f) To determine the appropriate user business mileage contribution banding for each member of staff receiving authorisation for a leased car.</li> </ul>
CL10	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE	CHAIRMAN OF COUNCIL – CASUAL VACANCY  To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of Section 88(2) of the Local Government Act 1972 (Convening of special Council meeting to fill casual vacancy in the office of Chairman of the Council).
CL11	Finance Sub-Committee (Minute 13 – 14.11.73)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES (or other duly authorised signatory)	CHEQUES – SIGNING  To sign cheques on behalf of the Council.
CL12	Council (Minute 90(4) – 22.4.97) S.O. F1(3), F1(4)	MR R PALMER DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES (MR PETER MADDOCK, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR AS DEPUTY)	CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER  Designated as Chief Finance Officer being the officer having responsibility under Section 151 of the Local Government Act 1972, Section 73 of the Local Government Act 1985 and Section 114 of the Local Government Finance Act 1988.
CL13	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 51 – 4.1.94)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	COLLECTION FUND  To calculate the surplus or deficit on the Collection Fund in accordance with the Local Authorities (Funds) (England) Regulations 1992.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
CL14	Council (Minute 90(4) – 22.4.97)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE/ DEPUTY CHIEF EXECUTIVE/ DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE  ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (LEGAL SERVICES)  ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (GOVERNANCE & PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT)	COMMON SEAL – ATTESTATION OF  To attest the Common Seal of the Council.
CL15	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 13 – 15.11.73)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	COMPASSIONATE LEAVE  To grant to staff up to five days leave (with pay) per year for compassionate reasons.  (Note: Leave in excess of five days to be granted at the discretion of the Management Board).
CL16	Council (Minute 18 - 18.6.12)	MONITORING OFFICER (or in the absence of, the DEPUTY MONITORING OFFICER)	CONDUCT OF COUNCILLORS In accordance with Sections 26-37 of the Localism Act 2011:  (a) To determine whether a complaint merits formal investigation after consultation with the independent person;  (b) To arrange any such investigation;  (c) To seek resolution of complaints without formal investigations wherever practicable;  (d) To submit regular reports to the Standards Committee on the exercise of this delegated authority under (a), (b) and (c) above;
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	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
34			(e) To refer decisions on whether to investigate any complaint to the Standards Committee, if it is considered that this is appropriate;
			(f) To close any complaint where an investigation finds no breach of the Code of Conduct, subject to the report and the findings from the investigation being provided to the subject councillor, the independent person and to the Standards Committee;
			<ul> <li>(g) To seek local resolution of any complaint where an investigation finds evidence of a failure to comply subject to the following:</li> <li>(i) consultation with the independent person and the complainant;</li> <li>(ii) a summary report being made to the Standards Committee on the action taken;</li> </ul>
			(h) To refer any investigation report where local resolution is not possible to a hearing Sub-Committee of the Standards Committee for consideration;
	Standards Committee	MONITORING OFFICER (or in the absence of, the DEPUTY MONITORING	(i) To prepare, maintain and publish registers of members' interests in respect of this Council and all Parish and Town Councils in the District and to make these available for public inspection at the Civic Offices, Epping, on the District Council's website and (where appropriate) on the websites of parish and town councils; and
	(Minute 21 – 13.12.12)	OFFICER)	(j) To determine applications for dispensations from the effect of Section 31(4) of the Localism Act 2011 in the following categories:
			Section 33(2)(a) (Quorum) Section 33(2)(b) (Political Balance) Section 33(2)(d) (Executive Business)
CL17	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE	COUNCIL MEETINGS – NOTICES AS TO ADDRESSES FOR DELIVERY OF SUMMONS
	,		To act as Proper Officer in accordance with Schedule 12 (paragraph 4(3) of the Local Government Act 1972 as to the receipt of these notices.
CL18	Council (Minute 127 – 23.4.13)	MONITORING OFFICER	CONSTITUTION - MINOR AMENDMENTS
	20.7.10)		To make amendments to the Constitution to reflect the following:

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
			<ul><li>(a) statutory changes over which the Council has no control; and</li><li>(b) minor drafting and clerical errors.</li></ul>
CL19	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE	COUNCIL MEETINGS – SIGNATURE OF SUMMONS TO ATTEND  To act as Proper Officer in accordance with Schedule 12 (paragraph 4(2)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972 as to the signing of the summons.
CL20	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE	COUNCILLORS – ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE  (a) To act as Proper Officer under Section 83(1)-(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 in respect of the witness and receipt of declarations and acceptances of office by councillors; and
		DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES / DIRECTOR OF FINANCE / DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE / DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	(b) That in the absence through unavailability, absence, incapacity or vacancy to undertake the functions specified in the delegation.
CL21	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE	COUNCILLORS – RESIGNATION FROM OFFICE  To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of Section 84 of the Local Government Act 1972, in respect of the receipt of notices of resignation from office by councillors.
CL22	Council (Minute 49 – 18.12.01)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	COUNCILLORS – SUBSTITUTES  To receive notices from Group Leaders regarding the appointment of substitute members, subject to certain conditions.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
S L23	Council (Minute 100(7) – 18.4.2000)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	COURT, TRIBUNAL, INQUIRY PROCEEDINGS – ENGAGEMENT OF STAFF AND ADVICE
			To appoint appropriate staff and/or external Solicitors and/or Counsel to appear for, conduct and settle proceedings on behalf of the Council in Courts, tribunals, inquiries and other similar venues.
CL24	Council (Minute 78(4) – 17.2.85)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	DATA PROTECTION ACT 1984
	(Williate 70(4) = 17.2.03)	GOVERNANGE	To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of the Data Protection Act 1984 for the receipt of notices.
CL25	Finance Sub-Committee (Minute 67(iii) – 6.3.74)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	DIRECT DEBITING
	(Williate 67 (iii) = 6.3.74)	RESOURCES	To execute a direct debiting indemnity on behalf of the Council.
CL26	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee	SERVICE DIRECTORS/ DIRECTOR OF	DISTURBANCE COMPENSATION
	(Minute 44 – 29.11.83)	RESOURCES	To grant disturbance allowances following home loss in appropriate cases and subject to the budgetary provision of the Council, in any one year, not being exceeded and in accordance with the Land Compensation Acts.
CL27	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 –	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	DOCUMENTS - AUTHENTICATION
	11.10.73)	GOVERNANCE	To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of Section 234(1) – (2) of the Local Government Act 1972 for the purposes of authentication of documents.
CL28	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	DOCUMENTS - CERTIFICATION OF PHOTOGRAPHIC COPIES
			To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of Section 229(5) of the Local Government Act 1972 for the purposes of certifying photographic copies of documents.
CL29	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 –	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	DOCUMENTS - DEPOSIT
	11.10.73)		To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of Section 225(1) of the Local Government Act

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
			1972 in relation to the deposit of documents.
CL30	Standing Order A32 Council (Minute 24(1) – 9.7.91)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE (or in his absence the DEPUTY CHIEF EXECUTIVE)	DOCUMENTS – INSPECTION AND SUPPLY FOR COUNCILLORS  To determine requests by members of the Council to inspect or to be provided with copies of Council documents.
CL31	Council Minute – 19.4.05	G CHIPP CHIEF EXECUTIVE  (Deputy registration officer : TBD	ELECTORAL MATTERS  (a) Registration Officer under section 8(2)(a) of the Representation of the People Act (RPA) 1983 and  (i) through Section 28 of the RPA, Acting Returning Officer for the purposes of UK Parliamentary elections; and  (ii) through Section 6 of the European Elections Act 2002, Local Returning Officer for European Parliamentary elections.  (Duties: responsibility for the electoral register, for EU parliamentary elections (under the direction of the Regional Returning Officer) and for UK Parliamentary elections.)  (b) Counting Officer for the purposes of Section 61E of the Town & Country Planning Act 1990 and the Localism Act 2011 (Section 116)  (Duties: responsibility for the local referendums on Neighbourhood Plans)  (c) District Returning Officer for the Epping Forest District under Section 35(1) of the RPA 1983  (Duties: responsibility for the conduct of District Council/Parish Council elections and, through Sections 52ZQ and 113 of Local Government Finance Act 1992, Proper Officer for local referendums in connection with Council Tax precepts.)
37			(d) Proper Officer under Sections 34, 35 and 105(2) of the Local Government Act 2000

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
38			( <b>Duties:</b> responsibility for petitions and referendums in connection with the Executive Constitution of the Council).
			(e) Nominated Deputy County Returning Officer under Section 35(1) of the RPA 1983
			( <b>Duties:</b> responsibility for County Council elections as appointed by and under the direction of the County Returning Officer.)
			continued
			(f) Nominated Local Returning Officer under Section 54 of the Police & Social Responsibility Act 2011
			( <b>Duties:</b> conduct of elections for Police & Crime Commissioners under the direction of County Returning Officer.)
			(g) Nominated Local Counting Officer for the purposes of Section 128 of the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000.
			( <b>Duties</b> : conduct of national referendums under the direction of the Chief Counting Officer (i e the Chief Executive of the Electoral Commission).
CL32	Council Minute 75(8) – 14.12.04	G CHIPP RETURNING OFFICER	ELECTIONS – DISCRETIONARY FEES AND CHARGES
	17.12.07	(With effect from 15 June 2014)	To determine annually the scale of discretionary fees and charges, for which there is no statutory amount, by allowing for inflation and rounding up to the nearest whole number.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
CL33	Council Minute 115 – 19.4.05	G CHIPP RETURNING OFFICER (With effect from 15 June 2014)	ELECTIONS – FEES AND EXPENSES  To determine the scale of fees and expenses payable by the Returning Officer at elections of District and Parish Councils, adjusting the schedule for inflation and rounding up to the nearest whole number.
CL34	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 101 – 1.12.98)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	ELECTORAL REGISTRATION – PROSECUTIONS  To institute and pursue proceedings in relation to electoral registration offences.
CL35	Council (Minute 71 – 17.12.02)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE (or, in the absence of the office holder, a nominated deputy)	<ol> <li>2. Authority to prosecute the unauthorised display of advertisements, unauthorised works to a listed building or in a conservation area breach of Tree Preservation or Hedgerow Regulations, and non-compliance where enforcement action has previously been authorised.</li> <li>2. Authority to take the appropriate enforcement action, including serving an injunction where the Director of Governance, or his nominee, considers the circumstances to be urgent.</li> </ol>
CL36	Cabinet (Minute 138 – 25.11.02)  Council (Minute 29 - 28.6.11)	PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT MANAGER  ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (GOVERNANCE & PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT)  SERVICE DIRECTORS	FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2001/RE-USE OF PUBLIC SECTOR INFORMATION  To be responsible for co-ordinating compliancy with the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act throughout the Council, including providing guidance and promoting compliance with the Act so as to assist with the easy, appropriate and timely retrieval of information.  To be responsible for establishing and operating procedures for their service areas for managing requests for information under the Act and ensuring that requests are dealt with in accordance with statutory deadlines.
&L37	Council	DIRECTOR OF	GAMBLING ACT 2005 – LICENSING FUNCTIONS

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
40	(Minute 19.12.06)	NEIGHBOURHOODS	See Appendix A.
CL38	District Development Control Committee (Minute 49 (3) - 26.6.13)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	GROWTH AND INFRASTRUCTURE ACT 2013  To determine applications received under Section 7 to modify, remove or discharge affordable housing obligations, subject to:  (a) Prior consultation with the Director of Governance; the Chairman (or in his/her absence, the Vice-Chairman) of the relevant Area Plans Sub-Committee and local ward members; and  (b) Details of the application and the resultant Determination being reported in the following issue of the Council Bulletin.
CL39	Development Committee (Minute 31 – 25.8.92)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES  To determine applications for hazardous substances consent under the Planning (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 1992 except where there are objections from interested parties, which shall be determined by the Plans Sub-Committees.
CL40	Council (Minute 12(11)(a) – 27.2.90)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE (or in his absence the DEPUTY CHIEF EXECUTIVE)	HEAD OF PAID SERVICE  In accordance with Section 4 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 designated as Head of the Authority's Paid Service.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
CL41	Council (Minute 54(4) – 20.12.77)  Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 49(6) – 4.10.88)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE  SERVICE DIRECTORS ALL MANAGERS OR SUPERVISORS RESPONSIBLE FOR ONE OR MORE STAFF	HEALTH AND SAFETY AT WORK – IMPLEMENTATION  (a) To be responsible on behalf of the Council for the general policy for the safety, health and welfare of employees as set out in the Council's statement of policy;  (b) To be directly responsible for the implementation in each Directorate of the Council's general policy for safety, health and welfare;  (c) To ensure that adequate budgetary provision is made to meet the cost of any safety programme; and  (d) To be responsible in the work area under their control for:  (i) implementation of general policy of health, safety and welfare;  (ii) annual review of work areas to assess training needs and priorities for improvements;  (iii) identification of hazards for employees and the public;  (iv) consultation with employee representatives on safety matters; and  (v) setting an example in safe behaviour.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
₹L42	Council (Minute 52(c) – 12.12.00)		HIGH COURT ACTION
	(	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	To instigate High Court action in the following circumstances:
		(or nominated Deputy)	(a) appeals lodged in accordance with Sections 288 and 289 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) which shall be authorised by the Director of Governance;
			(b) applications for High Court injunctions to secure planning enforcement under the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) which shall be authorised by the District Development Control Committee or an Area Plans Sub-Committee, or to deal with breaches of Abatement Notices under the Environment Act 1995 or Amendments thereof which shall be authorised by the Cabinet;
			(c) any applications for High Court injunctions where immediate emergency action is required to prevent serious distress to public safety or residential amenity which shall be authorised by the Director of Governance in consultation with the appropriate Portfolio Holder.
			(d) any other category of High Court action which shall not admit of delay resulting from reference to the full Council – which shall be authorised by the Cabinet or any appropriate committee or subcommittee; and
			(e) to make applications in consultation with the appropriate members under High Court injunctions where immediate emergency action is required to prevent serious distress to public safety or residential amenity.
	Council (Minute 100(5) – 18.4.00)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE (or nominated Deputy)	To defend High Court Proceedings instituted against the Council (subject to reporting on action taken to the next Cabinet meeting).
CL43	Council (Minute 34 – 22.7.97)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	INSOLVENCY – ENFORCEMENT OF DEBTS
	(IVIIII LUCE 34 — 22.1.31)	GOVERNANCE	To issue statutory demands pursuant to Section 268(1)(a) of the Insolvency Act 1986.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
			To take steps to enforce a debt following the commencement of bankruptcy proceedings, subject to action taken being reported to the next appropriate Cabinet meeting.
CL44	Council (Minute 100(6) – 18.4.2000)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES (or nominated Deputy)	INSURANCE – INSTITUTION OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS  To institute, defend, appeal, withdraw or agree a compromise in connection with any legal proceedings concerning the Council's insurance matters, subject to reporting on any significant issues to the next appropriate Cabinet meeting.
CL45	Policy & Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	LAND CHARGES  To act as proper officer to the Council for the purposes of Section 212(1) and (2) of the Local Government Act 1972 (local registrar of land charges)
CL46	Cabinet (Minute 184 – 10.4.06)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES)	To authorise suitably qualified officers to exercise those functions relating to licensing set out in the attached list of environmental health legislation as set out in Appendix B, subject to the policies from time to time agreed by the Licensing Committee.
		Appropriate Portfolio Holder	To delegate appropriate powers to the Director of Neighbourhoods relating to the management and provision of service set out in the attached list of environmental health legislation as set out in Appendix B.

_	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
<b>₹</b> L47	Licensing Committee (Minute 12 – 15.10.08)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES) SENIOR LICENSING OFFICER or suitably qualified officer authorised by them	LICENSING – HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE VEHICLE LICENCES  To determine Licences in respect of hackney carriage and private hire licensing (as set out in Appendix C) except in those circumstances where under the Council's policy they stand referred to the Licensing Sub Committee (see Minute 12 opposite).
CL48	Council (Minute 48 – 26.9.13)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES)	LICENSING – SCRAP METAL DEALERS ACT 2013  To implement Appendix D (Schedule of delegations under the Act) insofar as they relate to matters to be undertaken by officers.  To authorise officers to carry out inspections of the sites and vehicles used and conduct investigations and to issue and undertake prosecutions that may arise under the Act.
CL49	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 24(2) – 8.10.91)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND HOUSING ACT 1989 – DETERMINATIONS UNDER PART IV  To make determinations under the following sections of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989:  Section 42(2)(g) – Reimbursable expenditure Sections 50(3)(b) and 60(2) – Usable capital receipts

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
CL50	Council (Minute 24(1)(2) – 9.7.91)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND HOUSING ACT 1989 – PROPER OFFICER DESIGNATIONS
			Proper Officer designations made for the purposes of the Sections of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 indicated:
			Section and Purpose
			Section 2 (preparation and maintenance of lists of politically restricted posts).
			Section 37 (deposit and preparation of statements as to the provision of financial assistance).
CL51	Council (Minute 34 – 22.7.97) (Minute 168 - 20.4.10)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	MAGISTRATES' AND COUNTY COURTS – DEFENCE AND PURSUIT OF PROCEEDINGS
	,	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (LEGAL SERVICES)	To institute, defend, pursue and settle proceedings on behalf of the Council and to appear on the Council's behalf, in any proceedings before the Magistrates' and County Courts.
	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 88 – 21.11.89 and 88(b) – 1.12.92)	MR G OAKLEY (MANAGING LEGAL EXECUTIVE)	To appear for the Council in legal proceedings pursuant to Section 223(1) of the Local Government Act 1972 and Section 60(2) of the County Courts Act 1982.
CL52	Council (Minute 10 – 15.5.2001)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	MONITORING OFFICER AND DEPUTY
	(Williate 10 – 13.3.2001)	GOVERNANCE	To act as Monitoring Officer in accordance with Section 5 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 and Sections 26-37 of the Localism Act 2011 for the purpose of performing the duties imposed by those sections.
	Council (Minute 70 – 6.11.12)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	To be responsible for any Parish or Town Councils which are affiliated for the time being to the Epping Forest Standards Committee under Chapter 7 of the Localism Act.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
46	Council (Minute 10 – 15.5.01)	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (GOVERNANCE & PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT)	To act as Deputy Monitoring Officer with the power to act in the absence or during any illness of the Monitoring Officer in accordance with Section 5 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989.
CL53	Policy and Resources Committee (Minute 3(3) – 11.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	OFFICERS – RECEIPT OF MONEY DUE  To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of Section 115 of the Local Government Act 1972).
CL54	Council (Minute 86 – 15.2.05)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	OMBUDSMAN – NOTICES  To act as proper officer for the purposes of Section 30(5) of the Local Government Act 1974 (publication of notice on receipt of a report from the Local Ombudsman).
CL55	Council (Minute 87 – 15.2.05)	G CHIPP RETURNING OFFICER (With effect from 15 June 2014)	PARISH POLLS  To act as Returning Officer for the purposes of a Parish Poll in the District in accordance with the Parish and Community Meetings (Polls) Rules 1987,
CL56	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 139 – 20.3.90)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	(a) To notify all politically restricted postholders of their designations; (b) To incorporate the designation as to politically restricted status in contracts of employment; and (c) To maintain and issue revised lists when necessary and notify the independent Adjudicator.
CL57	Policy and Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	PROTECTED BUILDINGS  To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of paragraph 28 of Schedule 16 to the Local Government Act 1972 (receipt and deposit of lists of protected buildings).

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
CL58	Council (Minute 117 – 20.4.04)	MONITORING OFFICER	REGISTRATION OF INTERESTS – DISTRICT COUNCIL
			Receipt, custody and public deposit of registration of interests of District Councillors under the Local Government Acts 2000 and 2007 and regulations made thereunder.
CL59	Council (Minute 117 - 20.4.04)	MONITORING OFFICER	REGISTRATION OF INTERESTS – TOWN AND PARISH COUNCILS
			Receipt, custody and public deposit of registration of interests of Parish and Town Councillors in accordance with the Local Government Acts 2000 and 2007 and regulations made thereunder.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function	n(s) Delegated
<b>&amp;</b> ∟60	Council (Minute 23 – 15.5.08) as amended by Council 28 May 2015		VESTIGATORY POWERS ACT (RIPA) 2000 – as amended by sedoms Act 2012 -DESIGNATION OF SENIOR RESPONSIBLE SING OFFICERS and RIPA COORDINATOR  IPA and regulations or orders made thereunder, the following	
				be appointed to the roles specified, to exercise on behalf of the administer and give initial authorisation of covert surveillance :
			Role	Purpose
		DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	Senior Responsible Officer (SRO)	To ensure compliance with the Act and associated Codes of Practice. To liaise with Commissioners and Inspectors and implement any post-inspection actions.
		CHIEF EXECUTIVE	Authorising Officer	To consider and a give initial authorisation of covert surveillance, whether directed or covert human intelligence source, if confidential material is likely to be captured
		ASSISTANT DIRECTOR(GOVERNANCE &PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT)	Authorising Officer	To consider and a give initial authorisation of covert surveillance, whether directed or covert human intelligence source,
		SENIOR LAWYER	Authorising Officer	To consider and a give initial authorisation of covert surveillance, whether directed or covert human intelligence source,
		EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT (GOVERNANCE)	RIPA Coordinator	To maintain a central record of refusals, authorisations and cancellations as directed by the SRO.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
CL61	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	RESOLUTIONS – CERTIFICATION  To act as Proper Officer for purposes of paragraph 25 of Schedule 4 to the Local Government Act 1972 (certification of resolutions).
CL62	Council (Minute 29 – 28.6.11) Council (Minute 29 – 28.6.11)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	RE-USE OF PUBLIC SECTOR INFORMATION REGULATIONS 2005  To be responsible in accordance with the Council's policy for administering requests for information under the Re-use of Public Sector Information Regulations 2005, including the level of fees and charges to be made if information supplied is to be re-used.  To be responsible for administering requests under the 2005 Regulations in respect of use of CCTV data, taking account of the Council's policy and charging arrangements.
CL63	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 2 – 4.10.73) (As amended by Personnel Sub-Committee Minute 169 – 26.9.78)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	STAFF – APPOINTMENTS PROCEDURE  To make all external appointments to each service in respect of posts graded below Assistant Director level except appointments where member involvement is considered desirable.
CL64	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 59(b) – 8.2.94)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	STAFF – MISCELLANEOUS DELEGATIONS  To determine staff issues in terms of grading, structure and local conditions of service (including car leases, posts requiring an increase in hours of up to 1 or 2 per week, creation of junior posts in direct substitution of more senior ones, restructurings which reduce the number of posts and costs within a section, minor re-ranging subject to prior consultation with staff representatives, no increase in budget, maintenance of a register.
CL65 49	Council (Minute 90(5) – 23.2.82)	MANAGEMENT BOARD (in consultation with appropriate Service Director and the Portfolio Holder with responsibility for Finance)	STAFF – RETIREMENT  To offer enhanced early retirement and redundancy under the terms of the superannuation scheme or gratuity scheme to appropriate staff where the resultant vacated posts can be made available for redeployment of otherwise redundant employees.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated	
St 166	Development Committee (Minute 73 – 2.3.93)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	
	,		To determine, after prior consultation with ward councillors, whether the prior approval of the Council should be required to the siting and appearance of notified development under the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 1995.	
	(Minute 108 – 6.3.01)		To exercise the above-mentioned authority in consultation with the Chairman of the appropriate Committee or Sub-Committee and all ward councillors in respect of those proposals submitted in accordance with the prior approvals procedure where the Director of Governance consider that an objection should not be raised to the development but where opposition has been received.	
CL67	Resource Committee (Minute 40 – 28.9.93)		TREASURY MANAGEMENT	
	(Mindle 10 20.0.00)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	(a) To have control of the aggregated monies under Section 151 of the LGA 1972.	
		DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES (or staff delegated to act)	(b) To be responsible for all executive decisions on borrowing, investment or financing under Section 151 subject to a requirement to act in accordance with the CIPFA Code for Local Authorities.	
X	NIL			
Υ	NIL			
Z	NIL			

# GAMBLING ACT 2005 – TABLE OF DELEGATIONS OF LICENSING FUNCTIONS DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS

MATTER TO BE DEALT WITH	FULL COUNCIL	SUB-COMMITTEE	ALL OFFICERS
Three-year licensing policy	X		
Policy not to permit casinos	Х		
Fee Setting – when appropriate			X (to be approved by Executive Councillor)
Application for premises licences		Where representations have been received and not withdrawn	Where no representations received/representations have been withdrawn
Application for a variation to a licence		Where representations have been received and not withdrawn	Where no representations received/representations have been withdrawn
Application for a transfer of a licence		Where representations have been received from the Commission	Where no representations received from the Commission
Application for a provisional statement		Where representations have been received and not withdrawn	Where no representations received/representations have been withdrawn
Review of a premises licence		X	
Application for club gaming/club machine permits		Where representations have been received and not withdrawn	Where no representations received/representations have been withdrawn
Cancellation of club gaming/club machine permits		Х	
Applications for other permits			X
Cancellation of licensed premises gaming machine permits			X
Consideration of temporary use notice			Х
Decision to give a counter notice to a temporary use notice		Х	

#### **DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS**

#### **LICENSING**

#### **Charities Act 1992**

Part III (Street Collections)

#### **Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976**

S16 (Power to obtain particulars of Persons interested in Land)

#### **Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982**

Sections 14, 15, 16 and 17 (Acupuncture, Tattooing, Ear Piercing and Electrolysis)

Section 37 (Temporary Markets)

Schedule 3 Paragraphs 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 15 to 19 and 25 (Control of Sex Establishments)

Schedule 4 paragraphs 7, 9 and 10 (Street Trading)

#### **Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licences**

**Town and Police Clauses Act 1847** (Sections 37, 41, 42, 43, 45, 46, 47, 50, 68) (except temporary road closures which are the subject of objections which shall be dealt with by the Licensing Sub-Committee)

Town and Police Clauses Act 1889 (Sections 4, 5 and 6)

**Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 (Part II)** 

## **DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS**

## **LICENSING ACT 2003 – LIST OF FUNCTIONS AND DELEGATED AUTHORITY**

Matter to be dealt with	Full Committee	Sub Committee	Officers
Application for personal licence		If a police objection	If no objection made
Application for personal licence with unspent convictions		All cases	
Application for premises licence/club premises certificate		If a relevant representation made	If no relevant representation made
Application for provisional statement		If a relevant representation made	If no relevant representation made
Application to vary premises licence/club premises certificate		If a relevant representation made	If no relevant representation made
Application to vary designated premises supervisor		If a police objection	All other cases
Request to be removed as designated premises supervisor			All cases
Application for transfer of premises licence		If a police objection	All other cases
Applications for interim Authorities		If a police objection	All other cases
Application to review premises licence/club premises certificate		All cases	
Decision on whether a complaint is irrelevant frivolous vexatious etc			All cases
Decision to object when local authority is a consultee and not the relevant authority considering the application		All cases	
Decision to object when local authority is acting as a Responsible Authority			All cases
Determination of an objection to a temporary event notice		All cases	
Determination of application to vary licence at community premises to include alternative licence conditions		If a police objection	All other cases

Matter to be dealt with	Full Committee	Sub Committee	Officers
Decision whether to consult other responsible authorities on minor variation			All cases
Determination of minor variation			All cases
All policy matters except the formulation of the statement of licensing policy	All cases		

# APPENDIX D (CL48)

#### **DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS**

# SCRAP METAL DEALERS ACT 2013 - DELEGATION OF POWERS

MATTER TO BE DEALT WITH	FULL COUNCIL	SUB-COMMITTEE	OFFICERS
Licensing policy	All cases		
Fee Setting - when appropriate	All fees		
Application for or renewal of a Site or Collector's licences		Where representations have been received and not withdrawn	Where no representations received / representations have been withdrawn
Application for a variation to a licence		Where representations have been received and not withdrawn	Where no representations received / representations have been withdrawn
To issue a closure notice on non-residential premises being used as a scrap metal dealer's site		All cases	All cases
Application to the Magistrates Court for a closure order		All cases	All cases
Termination of a closure order		All cases	All cases
Application to the Magistrates Court to discharge a closure order.		All cases	All cases
Revocation of a licence		All cases	All cases
Consideration of and imposition of conditions		All cases	All cases



CONSTITUTION
PART THREE
(RESPONSIBILITY
FOR FUNCTIONS)

#### PLANNING SERVICES – DELEGATION OF

#### **COUNCIL FUNCTIONS**

Schedule 1 – Development Management – Director of Governance

Schedule 2 – Trees, Conservation and Related Functions – Director of Governance

#### **DEVELOPMENT CONTROL FUNCTIONS**

Function	Principal Relevant Legislation (*see note)	Relevant Details	Exceptions
Care of the Environment	Town and Country Planning (Environmental Impact Assessments) (England and Wales) Regulations 1999	To determine the need for and scope of environmental impact assessments required under the Town and Country Planning Acts.	No
District Development Control Committee	Planning (Hazardous Substances) Act 1990, Section 36, 36A and 36B	To determine applications for hazardous substances consent except those where there are objections from interested parties, which shall be determined by the relevant Area Planning Sub-Committee.	
(Minute 30 – 7.12.10)	Planning (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 1992	To use necessary powers of entry to the land in relation to the above and duly authorise officers and agents engaged by the Council to use the relevant powers of entry as necessary.	
Development Control	Town and Country Planning Act 1990 - Section 70, 70(A), 191-3, 324, 325	Subject to Appendix A below, which are matters to be determined by Committee, to determine or decline to determine any:  (a) planning applications;	Yes (See Appendix A to this Schedule)
District Development Control	Planning and Compensation Act 1991, Section 10	(b) applications for approval of reserved matters;	
Committee (Minute 30 – 7.2.10)	Town and Country Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990, Part 1, Reg. 16-19	(c) applications arising from any condition imposed on any consent, permission order or notice;	
Council Minute 29 – 28.6.11	Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2010,	(d) advertisement consents; and (e) listed buildings.	
	Part 6, Article 35	2. To agree the precise wording of additional/revised conditions to be attached to planning permissions, at members' request, and discharge of conditions.	

Function	Principal Relevant Legislation	Relevant Details	Exceptions
F	(*see note)	A # 11 ( B) + (O) +	
Enforcement	Town and Country Planning Act	Authority for Director of Governance to:	
District	1990 (as amended), Part 7, section	1. Issue Stop Notices, Temporary Stop Notices, Enforcement Notices,	
District	171-190, 196 A, B, C, 198-200	Breach of Conditions Notices, Building Preservation Notices, Listed Buildings	
Development Control	214(A)-(D), 215-219, 220 or 221, 224, 225, 325 and 330	Enforcement Notices, Planning Contravention Notices, Conservation Area Notices, Discontinuance Notices in respect of advertisements and Section	
Committee	224, 225, 325 and 330	215-219 Notices for all breaches of planning legislation, in accordance with	
(Minute 30 –	Town and Country Planning	the Council's adopted enforcement policy.	
7.12.10)	(Control of Advertisements)	the Council's adopted emorcement policy.	
7.12.10)	(England) Regulations 2007, Part 5,	2. Prosecute the unauthorised display of advertisements, unauthorised	
	sections 27 and 30	works to a listed building, and non-compliance where enforcement action	
	Sections 27 and 30	has previously been authorised.	
	Planning (Listed Buildings and	lias previously been authorised.	
	Conservation Areas) Act 1990,	Take appropriate enforcement action, including serving an injunction	
	Chapter 4, sections 38, 88, 88A and	where the Director of Governance or their nominee, having regard to the	
	88B	evidence considers the circumstances to require urgent action.	
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	Local Government	4. Investigate if a temporary market has been held in breach of Section 37	
	(Miscellaneous Provisions)	of the 1982 Act.	
	Act 1982 (Section 37)	01410 1002 / 101	
	7.61.762 (868.61.61.)	5. Vary the requirements for compliance with notices already authorised,	
		including altering the period required for compliance, service of further	
		notices and withdrawal of notices.	
		6. Determine when action is not expedient in relation to breaches of control	
		considered inconsequential or insignificant.	
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		7. To use necessary powers of entry to the land in relation to the above and	
		duly authorise officers and agents engaged by the Council to use the	
		relevant powers of entry as necessary.	
	Town and Country Planning Act	8. To authorise direct action (or re-charge the cost of that action) in pursuit	Subject to
	1990 (Section 178) (Council Minute	of a valid enforcement notice under Section 178.	budget provision
	126 – 23.4.13)		being available
	,		and to local
			District
			Councillors
			being notified

#### APPENDIX A: MATTERS TO BE DETERMINED BY THE RELEVANT COMMITTEE

- (a) Applications contrary to the provisions of an approved draft Development Plan or Development Plan, and which are recommended for approval;
- (b) Applications contrary to other approved policies of the Council, and which are recommended for approval;
- (c) Applications for major commercial and other developments, (e.g. developments of significant scale and/or of wide concern) and which are recommended for approval;
- (d) Applications for residential development consisting of 5 dwellings or more (unless approval of reserved matters only) and which are recommended for approval);
- (e) The Council's own applications on its land or property which are for disposal;
- (f) Those applications recommended for approval where there are more than two expressions of objections received, material to the planning merits of the proposal to be approved, apart from approvals in respect of householder type developments, telecommunication masts, shop fronts and vehicular crossovers and "other" category developments (changes of use, advertisements, listed building consents), where more than four expressions of objections material to the planning merits of the proposal to be approved are received;
- (g) Applications including certificates of lawfulness in respect of existing use and development, recommended for approval contrary to an objection from a local council which are material to the planning merits of the proposal;
- (h) Applications referred by a District Councillor, whose own ward must be within the remit of the relevant Area Plans Sub-Committee and who has firstly notified the relevant Ward Councillors in advance, so long as the referral has been requested in writing to Officers within 4 weeks of that applications notification in the weekly list;
- (i) Applications where the recommendation conflicts with a previous resolution of a Committee;
- (j) Applications submitted by or on behalf of a Councillor of the Authority (and/or spouse/partner) or on behalf of a member of staff of Development Control Division of the Governance Directorate and the Forward Planning and Economic Development Division of the Neighbourhoods Directorate (and/or spouse/partner) and also in those cases where a councillor is an objector in a purely personal capacity;
- (k) Any other application which the Director of Governance considers it expedient or appropriate to present to committee for decision (e.g. those raising issues not covered by existing policies, or of significant public interest, or those with a significant impact on the environment);
- (I) An application which would otherwise be refused under delegated powers by the Director of Governance but where there is support from the relevant local council and no other overriding planning consideration necessitates refusal.

# TREES, CONSERVATION AND RELATED FUNCTIONS

Function	Relevant Legislation	Relevant Details	Exceptions
Buildings	Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 Section: 3 (1-8)	To serve Building Preservation Notices in urgent cases, subject to report to and review by the next meeting of District Development Control Committee.  To obtain and exercise powers of entry to undertake surveys in connection with:  (1) Statutory Plans  (2) Applications for Planning Permission	Yes
Dangerous trees on private land	Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 Sections: 23 and 24	Discretionary power to take action to make safe trees on private land, including to:  (1) Obtain and use necessary Powers of Entry to the land;  (2) Serve relevant notices;  (3) Respond to appeals;  (4) Undertake works directly where necessary; and  (5) Recover expenses.	No
Countryside hedgerows	The Hedgerow Regulations 1997 Sections: 5 to 15 incl.	The responsibility to:  (1) Regulate the removal of certain hedgerows;  (2) Issue relevant notices, including to require hedgerow replacement;  (3) Respond to appeals;  (4) Take necessary enforcement or legal action;	No

Relevant Legislation	Relevant Details	Exceptions
	(5) Obtain and use necessary powers of entry to the land including exercise of rights of entry under warrant;	
	(6) Surveying land in connection with any hedgerow removal notice;	
	(7) Ascertaining whether any offences have been committed under Regulation 7; and	
	(8) Determination of whether a notice should be served under Regulation 8.	
Anti-social Behaviour Act 2003	The responsibility to:	No
77, 79 and 80.	(1) Deal with complaints in relation to the height of domestic hedgerows;	
	(2) Issue, withdraw or relax the requirements or relevant notices;	
	(3) Serve relevant documents regarding notifications;	
	(4) Notify interested parties;	
	(5) Respond to appeals;	
	(6) Take relevant legal or enforcement action, including undertaking works directly and recovering expenses; and	
	(7) Obtain and use powers of entry necessary in relation to (1), (2), (3), (5) and (6).	
Town and County Planning Act 1990 (as amended) Part VIII Sections: 197, 198, 199, 201, 203, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 214, 214A, B, C&D, 324, 325	The duty and responsibility to:  (1) Take all necessary measures to make Tree Preservation Orders where trees are at risk, and are of significant existing or potential amenity value, or where they are of wider or strategic importance, subject to publication of the details in the Council Bulletin;	No
	Anti-social Behaviour Act 2003 (Part 8) Sections: 68, 69, 70, 74, 75, 77, 79 and 80.  Town and County Planning Act 1990 (as amended) Part VIII Sections: 197, 198, 199, 201, 203, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211,	(5) Obtain and use necessary powers of entry to the land including exercise of rights of entry under warrant; (6) Surveying land in connection with any hedgerow removal notice; (7) Ascertaining whether any offences have been committed under Regulation 7; and (8) Determination of whether a notice should be served under Regulation 8.  Anti-social Behaviour Act 2003 (Part 8) Sections: 68, 69, 70, 74, 75, 77, 79 and 80.  The responsibility to: (1) Deal with complaints in relation to the height of domestic hedgerows; (2) Issue, withdraw or relax the requirements or relevant notices; (3) Serve relevant documents regarding notifications; (4) Notify interested parties; (5) Respond to appeals; (6) Take relevant legal or enforcement action, including undertaking works directly and recovering expenses; and (7) Obtain and use powers of entry necessary in relation to (1), (2), (3), (5) and (6).  Town and County Planning Act 1990 (as amended) Part VIII Sections: 197, 198, 199, 201, 201, 203, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 214, 2144, B. C.&D. 234, 325.  The duty and responsibility to: (1) Take all necessary measures to make Tree Preservation Orders where trees are at risk, and are of significant existing or potential amenity value, or where they are of wider or strategic importance, subject to publication of the

Function	Relevant Legislation	Relevant Details	Exceptions
		(2) Amend, confirm, decide not to confirm or revoke such orders (i.e. TPOs);	
		(3) Determine applications for works to preserved trees except as set out below:	
		(i) applications recommended for approval where more than two expressions of objection material to the planning merits of the proposal have been received;	
		(ii) applications recommended for approval contrary to an objection from a local council which are material to the planning merits of the proposal;	
		(iii) applications which a Councillor representing a ward within the relevant Area Plans Sub-Committee area requests in writing within four weeks of notification in the Council Bulletin should be referred to the appropriate Sub-Committee provided that the member has notified the Ward Councillor in advance; and	
		(iv) any application which the Director of Governance considers is expedient or appropriate to present to committee for decision (e.g. those raising issues of subsidence, claims for compensation etc).	
		(4) Take any necessary action in respect of claims for compensation;	
		(5) Take action to ensure replacement planting where appropriate, by serving relevant notices, or by undertaking such planting directly and reclaiming the costs, and to publish any decision not to require replacement planting in the Council Bulletin;	
		(6) Respond to appeals;	
		(7) Take legal action in aspect of breaches of Part VIII of the Act where expedient, in conjunction with the Director of Governance, including injunctive action and recovery of costs;	

Function	Relevant Legislation	Relevant Details	Exceptions
		(8) Take appropriate action in respect of notification of works to trees in Conservation Areas, including the issue of the Tree Preservation Orders as necessary; and	
		(9) Authorise all expedient measures to gain entry to land in respect of the execution of any of the above, including to:	
		(i) issue a warrant if admission has been refused or if a refusal is reasonably anticipated or if the case is urgent;	
		(ii) to take samples of trees or soil; and	
		(iii) for the authorised person(s) to take with them such other persons as may be necessary.	

• Note: The authorities to undertake the stated functions, as set under the relevant sections shall be taken to be automatically updated to take into account changes, modifications and updating as they occur in the relevant legislation, subject to no new authorities being created. All references are to the legislation as currently amended.

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# **PART ONE**

# **EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONS – DELEGATION**

BY THE LEADER OF COUNCIL

### **EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONS – DELEGATION BY THE LEADER OF COUNCIL**

6 8	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX1	Finance Sub-Committee (Minute 398 - 31.1.80)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	AGENDA AND MINUTES - CHARGES TO SUBSCRIBERS  To approve charges.
EX2	Housing Committee (Minute 74 – 4.3.92)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	AGRICULTURAL DWELLINGS  To accept applications for rehousing and offer suitable alternative accommodation where the Agricultural Dwelling House Advisory Committee advises that the property is required for occupation by an agricultural employee in the interest of efficient agriculture.
EX3	Environmental Health and Control Committee (Minute 10 – 10.5.78)	HEALTH PROTECTION AGENCY (HPA) (Any Consultant Staff Member)	AIRCRAFT  Proper Officer for the purposes of the Public Health (Aircraft) Regulations 1970.
EX4	Cabinet (Minute 142 – 14.3.05)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES (or in his absence ASSISTANT DIRECTOR COMMUNITY SERVICES)	ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR ACT 2003  Part 1 (Premises Where Drugs Used Unlawfully) Authority to respond to Police Consultations after discussion with Ward Councillors
		Ditto	Part 4 (Dispersal of Groups) Authority to discuss proposals of the Police for dispersal orders with ward members, County Councillors and Town or Parish Councils
			Authority to consent to the making of Dispersal Orders after considering the results of discussions and after consulting the relevant portfolio holder
		Ditto	Part VI (Environment) Authority for making of Closure Orders under Section 40. Authority for notice of cancellation of Closure Orders under Section 41.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
	Cabinet (Minute 10 – 6.6.05)	Ditto	To respond to formal consultation procedures in connection with the making of Anti Social Behaviour Orders on behalf of the Council.
			To issue certificates of consultation under the Act on behalf of the Council.
EX5	Cabinet (Minute 14(4) – 6.10.14)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	APPROPRIATIONS OF LAND
			(a) To seek the consent of the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government, pursuant to Section 19 of the Housing Act 1985, to appropriate land held for housing purposes and identified for Council housebuilding for planning purposes; and
			(b) Subject to the receipt of such consent, to advertise the Council's intention to make the appropriation in accordance with the provisions of Section 122(A) of the 1972 Act.
EX6	Development Committee (Minute 19 – 30.5.2000)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	BUILDING ACT 1984 – SECTION 95 AUTHORISATION
	(**************************************	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	To authorise designated postholders within the Governance and Neighbourhoods Directorates to exercise powers under Section 95 of the Building Act 1984 to enter premises in connection with the enforcement of the Building Regulations.
EX7	Development Committee (Minute 23(1) – 6.2.74)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	BUILDING REGULATIONS
	Council Minute (Minute 24(1) - 9.7.91)	(or in her absence ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT)	To determine applications under the Building Regulations and associated legislation, including the Building Act 1984, consistent with the instructions of the Development Committee and subject to submission to that Committee of any contentious applications.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
70	Development Committee (Minute 35(1) – 15.7.99)	(ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT)  POST PBC/02 & 03 (PRINCIPAL BUILDING CONTROL SURVEYOR)  POSTS PBC/04-9 (SENIOR BUILDING CONTROL SURVEYORS)	BUILDING ACT 1984  To act as Proper Officer for the purposes of Section 78 of the Building Act 1984.
	Development Committee (Minute 35(2) - 15.7.99)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT	<ul> <li>BUILDING ACT 1984         <ul> <li>To carry out the following functions under the Building Act 1984:</li> <li>Section 34 - serve notices requiring work contravening building regulations to be removed or altered to achieve compliance;</li> <li>Section 77 - approve applications to a Magistrates' Court for an order requiring dangerous buildings or structures to be made safe;</li> </ul> </li> <li>Section 79 - serve notices where it appears that a building is by reason of ruinous or dilapidated condition seriously detrimental to the amenities of the neighbourhood; and</li> <li>Section 81 - serve notices specifying certain matters and conditions in relation to the demolition of buildings.</li> </ul>

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX8	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 138 – 20.3.90) and	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	BUILDING CONTROL – VETTING OF APPLICATIONS
	Development Committee		To enter into working arrangements with other local authorities within East Anglia for the checking of one(Minute 66 - 16.1.90) another's building regulation activities on a consultancy basis, this arrangement to be activated where staffing levels fall below establishment or volume of applications submitted exceeds staffing capacity.
EX9		DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	BUY-BACK OF FORMER COUNCIL HOUSING
			To decide, in consultation with the Housing Portfolio Holder, whether or not the Council would wish to exercise its pre-exemption rights to purchase former Council properties previously sold under the Right to Buy (RTB), in accordance with the Housing Act (Right of First Refusal) (England) Regulations 2005, subject to a sufficient amount of unallocated "One for One Replacement" RTB Receipts or Section 106 financial contributions of affordable housing being available.
EX10	Transportation Committee (Minute 115 – 26.1.93)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	CAR PARK TARIFFS  To determine individual tariffs in off-street Pay and Display Car Parks within agreed policy.
EX11	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 79 – 17.11.81)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	CAR PARKS (COUNCIL)
	(Williate 75 17.11.51)	(after consideration of any comments of the relevant portfolio holder)	To determine applications to use Council office car parks. (See also under "Offices – Use of")
EX12	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 44(3) - 29.11.83)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	CAR PARKS (PUBLIC)  To approve the use of Council car parks by charitable organisations or for other charitable purposes.

Policy and Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 66(a) - 4.12.90)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	COMMERCIAL TENANCIES - SERVICE OF NOTICES
(Minute 66(a) - 4.12.90)		To sing political and appropriate evisionalities applications for post topographs under Dort
		To sign notices and answers to originating applications for new tenancies under Part II of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1954.
Executive Committee (Minute 449 - 11.3.02)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	COMPLAINTS AND COMPLIMENTS PROCEDURE
		To make payments up to £250 in respect of upheld complaints at Stages 1, 2 and 3 and to make payments above £250 with the consent of the Complaints Panel.
Council (Minute 74(3) - 20.12.88)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES DIRECTOR OF	COMPULSORY COMPETITION - AUTHORITY FOR THE COUNCIL TO SUBMIT BIDS FOR WORK INSIDE THE DISTRICT
	NEIGHBOURHOODS	To submit bids for work inside the District, to utilise spare capacity/manpower only.
Council (Minute 74(3) - 20.12.88)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE	COMPULSORY COMPETITION - AUTHORITY FOR THE COUNCIL TO SUBMIT BIDS FOR WORK OUTSIDE THE DISTRICT
		To refer to the Management Board and through them to the Cabinet any proposal involving the authorisation of bids for work outside the district but only in the context of agreed policy for shared services.
Policy and Resources Committee	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	CONFERENCES - ATTENDANCE BY OFFICERS
(Minute 347 - 14.2.78)		To approve the attendance of officers at annual conferences, taking into account the subject matter of the conference and the budgetary provision made.
Council (Minute 52 –	DIRECTOR OF	DEBTS
12.12.2000)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE (or nominated	To take steps to enforce a debt following the commencement of bankruptcy proceedings, subject to action being reported to the Cabinet.
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	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX19	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 78 - 1.12.81)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	To implement the Council's policy.
EX20	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 67 - 24.11.87)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	EX GRATIA PAYMENTS  To consider and approve the making of appropriate ex gratia payments to staff at all levels for temporarily undertaking significant additional duties and responsibilities subject, in the case of emergencies where payments are not covered by the approved salary budget, to a report being made to the Cabinet.
EX21	Leisure Services Committee (Minute 5 - 23.5.91)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	FEES AND CHARGES – LEISURE  To approve the level of fees and charges within the parameters outlined within the Leisure Management Contract.  To introduce individual pricing charges for Cultural and Community Services generally in line with the current level of inflation, or in certain circumstances at a rate which reflects the true cost of providing the service.
EX22	Public Health Committee (Minute 72 - 21.9.83)	HPA (Any Consultant Staff Member) (see also under "Disease Control")	FOOD HYGIENE - ENTRY TO PREMISES  To act as registered medical practitioner to the Council under the Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984 and thereby authorised to enter any premises, vessel or aircraft for the purpose of regulations made under that section.
EX23	Portfolio Holder Decision HSG-029 – 2009/10	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	GARAGES  To sell isolated garages in accordance with the Council's Policy.

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EX24	Housing Services Committee (Minute 155 - 12.2.80)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	<ul> <li>(a) To approve, subject to satisfactory works to boundary walls, hedges and fences and other necessary works and also Essex County Council being satisfied as to the standard of footpath crossings, applications by tenants to construct car hardstandings in front gardens; and</li> <li>(b) To apply the above policy to hardstandings provided by tenants without permission.</li> </ul>
EX25	Council Housebuilding Cabinet Committee (Minute 4 (5) – 10.7.13)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOMES AND COMMUNITIES AGENCY – SHORT FORM AGREEMENTS  That the Director of Communities be authorised to enter into Short Form Agreements with the Homes and Communities Agency for all (Council housing) developments, to enable affordable rents to be charged for the properties built under the Housebuilding Programme, and that the "Provider Representative" named in the Agreements be a senior figure at East Thames Group.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX26	Council Housebuilding Cabinet Committee (Minute 5 (3) – 10.7.13)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOUSEBUILDING PROGRAMME – ALLOCATION OF FUNDING TO SCHEMES  That, once the Cabinet Committee has authorised the use and provisional level of subsidy required for individual developments and/or development packages, the Director of Communities be authorised to allocate funding from the sources listed in Minute 5 (1) of the Housebuilding Cabinet Committee held on 10th July 2013 to individual developments and/or development packages – utilising the most appropriate source of funding for the development(s), having regard to the time limits within which they must be utilised - up to and in excess of the provisional level approved by the Cabinet Committee, once tenders to undertake the works have been received from contractors, subject to:  (a) The amount allocated being no more than 15% of the level provisionally approved by the Cabinet Committee;  (b) Sufficient funds being available at the time of allocation; and  (c) The Cabinet Committee receiving a report to its next meeting on the amount of subsidy allocated, and its source of funding.  Note - Minute 5 (1) of the Housebuilding Cabinet Committee held on 10th July 2013 lists the following sources of funding:  • Loans from PWLB  • Capital receipts from additional RTB sales covered by the Agreement with CLG  • Current and future financial contributions for affordable housing from Section 106 Agreements  • Capital receipts from the sale of HRA land or building, where the Cabinet has specifically agreed that they should be used to help fund the Council Housebuilding Programme  • Grant from the HCA  • Any other external funding sources.

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EX27	Housing Committee (Minute 125-27.1.97)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOUSING ACCOMMODATION – ALLOCATION
		HOUSING OPTIONS MANAGER	To allocate accommodation in accordance with the Housing Allocations Scheme.
EX28	Housing Committee (Minute 49 – 30.10.91)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOUSING ACCOMMODATION - DESIGNATION FOR ELDERLY  To cancel designations.
EX29	Housing Committee (Minute 41(20) & (21) – 17.9.96)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOUSING ACCOMMODATION – TENANCIES FOR 'LIVE IN' CARERS  To grant requests to provide or extend joint tenancies to 'live in' carers where such requests are considered to be justified.
EX30	Housing Committee (Minute 93(b) - 11.3.87)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOUSING DEFECTS - PLANNING APPLICATIONS FOR REINSTATEMENT WORKS  To submit applications for deemed planning consent in connection with the reinstatement of all Council owned designated defective dwellings.
EX31	Portfolio Holder Decision (1.3.04)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOUSING LAND – USE FOR COMMUNITY EVENTS  To grant licences for community events to be held on housing land in the future, subject to consultation with Ward Members and local residents (where residential properties are located nearby) and all health and safety insurance requirements being met by the organisation staging the event.
EX32	Council (Minute 23(7)(2) - 29.6.82) Housing Committee (Minute 116(4) - 26.1.98)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES (in consultation with the appropriate Portfolio Holder)	HOUSING LAND - SURPLUS PLOTS  To negotiate, agree terms and dispose of surplus plots of garden land (in consultation with the relevant Portfolio Holder and appropriate Ward Members) as identified by the Council.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX33	Housing Committee (Minute 145 - 25.3.97)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOUSING LAND - WAYLEAVES  To grant wayleaves where there is no detrimental effect on the Council, subject to consultation with Ward Members.
EX34	Cabinet (Minute 155 – 6.2.06)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOUSING OPTIONS CONSORTIUM  To exercise the Cabinet's functions in respect of the Housing Options Consortium, being a partnership of local authorities of which the Council is a member.
EX35	Housing Committee (Minute 74 - 4.3.92)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	HOUSING REGISTER RULES – WAIVING  To waive Housing Register Rules where the Director of Communities considers there are good grounds for so doing.
EX36	Housing Services Director Committee (Minute 6(a)(iii) - 29.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	(HOUSING) MUTUAL EXCHANGES  To approve applications under the Mutual Exchange Scheme.
EX37	Public Health Committee (Minute 72 - 21.9.83)	HPA (Any Consultant member of staff)	ILLNESS - PERSONS IN NEED OF CARE AND ATTENTION  To act as proper officer to the Council for the purposes of Section 47 of the National Assistance Act 1948 (removal to suitable premises of persons in need of care and attention or those suffering from grave chronic illness).
EX38	Public Health Committee (Minute 72 - 21.9.83) (Minute 92 - 17.3.92)	HPA (Any Consultant member of staff)	INFECTIOUS AND COMMUNICABLE DISEASES  To act as proper officer to the Council for the purposes of the Public Health (Infectious Diseases) Regulations 1968, the Public Health (Control of Diseases) Act 1984 and Section 47 of the National Assistance Act 1948.

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EX39	Council (Minute 23 – 15.5.08)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	LAND DRAII	NAGE AND FLOOD DEFENCE
	Cabinet (Minute 42 – 29.7.13)	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (TECHNICAL SERVICES) DRAINAGE MANAGER	Drainage Bye	
		(AND RELEVANT STAFF DULY AUTHORISED TO	To act under	the statutory provisions listed below:
		ACT ON HIS BEHALF)	Land Draina	ge Act 1991
		,	Section 14	General drainage powers to maintain, construct and improve drainage works etc
			Section 15	Disposal of spoil from works to watercourse
	NB. Delegated authority to deal with Section 23-25 of		Section 23, 24 and 25	Consenting to and enforcement of ordinary watercourses as delegated by Essex County Council as amended by the Flood & Water Management Act 2010
	the Land Drainage Act 1991 (as amended) will come into operation once final confirmation from		Sections 26 and 27	Powers to require works for maintaining flow of watercourses etc
	Essex County Council has confirmed the delegation		Section 64	Powers of entry for internal drainage boards and local authorities
	(27.8.13)		Public Healt	h Act 1936
	(27.0.10)			Power to deal with ponds, ditches etc
			Section 262	Power to require culverting of watercourses and ditches where building operations in prospect
			Section 263	Approval of plans to culvert or cover any stream or watercourse
			Section 264	Issue of notice requiring the repair or cleansing of culverts
		RELEVANT PORTFOLIO HOLDER	To approve ι	updates to the list of legislation set out above.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX40	Land Sub-Committee (Minute 130 – 31.1.95)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS (after considering any views of the relevant Portfolio Holder)	(a) To serve notices under Part II of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1954 as amended by Part I of the Law of Property Act 1969 in connection with negotiation of new rentals for Council properties.  (b) To take immediate corrective management action (except the institution of legal proceedings) for breaches of covenant in leases of shops, industrial estates and industrial land
	Resource Sub-Committee (Minute 56 – 24.9.91)	Ditto	<ul> <li>(c) To approve rent reviews and lease renewals for shops and industrial premises.</li> <li>(d) To let Council shops for periods of three years up to a maximum of 12 years.</li> <li>(e) To approve licences to assign and licences for change in use in consultation with the relevant Portfolio Holder.</li> </ul>
EX41	Policy and Co-ordinating Committee Minute 44(3) – 29.11.83	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	NAMING OF STREETS  To approve the names of new streets in accordance with the Town and Police Clauses Act 1847, where, following consultation, one name is agreed by all parties.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
œEX42	Council (Minute 138 – 28.4.09)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS (OR NOMINATED OFFICER)	(a) To negotiate and produce agreements and licences for all regular bookings and single events (of a non public character) which comply with the standard licence agreement and fees operated by the Council.  (b) To negotiate in liaison with the Airfield Manager, any arrangements regarding use of the Airfield (except those which fall under item (1) above), and, where appropriate, to draft and execute appropriate agreements or licences for all Airfield uses including any negotiated under (a) above, which may be referred to the Director of Neighbourhoods.
	Portfolio Holder Decision L/001/2005/6 dated 20.5.05	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	(c) That subject to compliance with the Council's policy the Director of Neighbourhoods be granted delegated authority to sanction the Concessionary Hire of Leisure Facilities by, or on behalf of, registered charities, for Fundraising Events.
EX43	Public Health Committee (Minute 72 – 21.9.83)	HPA (Any Consultant member of staff) (See also under "Disease Control")	NOTIFIABLE DISEASES  To act as proper officer for the purposes of the Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984.
EX44	Cabinet (Minute 142 – 14.3.05)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS (or authorised Environmental Health Officer)	NUISANCES  Authority to make closure orders under Section 40 of the Anti Social Behaviour Act 2003 and to give notices of cancellation of closure orders under Section 41 of that Act

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX45	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 79 – 17.11.81)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	OFFICES - USE OF  To determine applications to use Council offices (See also under "Car Parks (Council)").
EX46	Cabinet Minute 151(10) – 18.4.11	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	OFF STREET CAR PARKING SCHEMES  "To submit planning applications for future off-street parking schemes at the appropriate time after the resident consultation exercise."
EX47	Policy and Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	ORDNANCE SURVEY  To act as proper officer for the purposes of Section 191 of the Local Government Act 1972 (Marking out and checking of reputed boundaries).
EX48	Policy and Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 99 – 21.11.89)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	PHYSICAL ASSAULTS ON STAFF  In the event of the Crown Prosecution Service not proceeding after physical assault on a Council employee, to give instructions to prosecute where the Director of Governance consider that the Attorney General's guidelines for prosecutions in a private prosecution for assault are satisfied.
EX49	Housing Committee (Minute 74 – 4.3.92)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	POSSESSION ORDERS - MORTGAGE ARREARS  To obtain and execute in the case of mortgage arrears where an Order for possession is granted by the Courts, a warrant for the possession of a property.
		DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	To offer for sale on the open market any property subsequently repossessed.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
©EX50	Housing Committee (Minute 75 – 14.11.95)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	POSSESSION ORDERS - RENT ARREARS/GAS SAFETY INSPECTIONS AND OTHER RELATED ACTIONS
			(a) To serve notices of seeking possession for any of the grounds contained in Schedule 2 of the Housing Act 1985;
			(b) Where considered appropriate, to serve notices to quit in cases where the tenant is not a secure tenant as defined in the Housing Act 1985;
			(c) To institute proceedings in the County Court for the possession of properties following service of a notice seeking possession or a notice to quit;
			(d) To institute proceedings in the County Court for the recovery of rent, court costs and service charges; and
			(e) To obtain and execute a warrant for eviction where possession has been awarded by the Court. In respect of secure and non-secure tenancies of Housing Revenue Account properties:

Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
Housing Committee (Minute 46 – 12.9.2000)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (HOUSING PROPERTY AND DEVELOPMENT), ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (HOUSING OPERATIONS) AREA HOUSING MANAGER (NORTH), AREA HOUSING MANAGER (SOUTH)	<ul> <li>(f) to approve and sign Notices and Seeking Possession and Notices to Quit;</li> <li>(g) to initiate proceedings in the County Court for possession and the recovery of rent, mesne profits, service charges and court costs, in accordance with relevant legislation; and</li> <li>(h) to seek and execute warrants of execution for possession; and</li> </ul>
Housing Management Sub Committee (Minute 161 – 15.2.77)	HOUSING OPTIONS MANAGER	(i) to undertake the actions set out in (a), (b) and (c) above, in respect of non-secure tenancies and licences at the Council's Homeless Persons' Hostel (Norway House) including the eviction of any homeless person who defaults in the payment of accommodation charges for four successive weeks or more.
Portfolio Holder Decision (24.3.2004)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES HOUSING ASSETS MANAGER (HMT/01) (or any officer authorised to act)	<ul> <li>(j) Approve and sign Notices of Seeking Possession on the grounds of a breach of tenancy conditions for not allowing the Council access to undertake required repairs and maintenance;</li> <li>(k) Initiate proceedings in the County Court for possession or to provide access for the purpose of undertaking the statutory annual Gas Safety Inspection in accordance with the relevant legislation; and</li> <li>(l) Seek and execute warrants of execution for possession authorised by the Court.</li> </ul>

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
©EX51	Standing Order A41(4)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	PRESS RELEASES
			To issue press releases in advance of publication of relevant committee minutes, if appropriate.
EX52	Cabinet (Minute 109 – 18.12.06)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES (PRIVATE SECTOR	PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSING – ASSISTANCE (including Decent Homes Repayable Assistance, Small Works Repayable Assistance, Thermal Comfort Grants, Conversion Grants, Empty Homes Repayable Assistance and Disabled Facilities Grants)
		HOUSING COMMUNITIES SUPPORT)	To exercise the powers and duties under relevant legislation. (See also 'Private Sector Housing – General')
EX53	Cabinet (Minute 184 – 10.4.06)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES (PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSING AND COMMUNITIES SUPPORT)	PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSING – GENERAL  To exercise the powers and duties set out in Appendix A including powers of entry by warrant where this is not specified in the legislation listed.
		RELEVANT PORTFOLIO HOLDER	To authorise updates to the list of legislation set out in Appendix A (see also 'Private Sector Housing – Assistance)
EX54	Finance Sub-Committee (Minute 57 – 31.5.79)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	RATING - DISABLED PERSONS  To administer the provisions of the Rating (Disabled Persons) Act 1978.
EX55	Leisure Services Committee (Minute 5 – 23.5.91)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	RECREATION CHARGES – LEISURE ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS  To make adjustments to the level of fees and charges within the maximum approved
			by the Cabinet.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX56	Housing Management Sub-Committee (Minute 152(c)(2) – 11.3.80)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	RENT ARREARS - DECEASED TENANTS  To write off rent arrears in respect of deceased tenants, where there is no means of recovering the debt.
EX57	Cabinet Minute 46 – 12.9.11	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS – HOUSING IN MULTIPLE OCCUPATION  To agree requests to vary restrictive covenants on former Council houses, in order to grant permission for their use as privately-rented shared accommodation, provided all of the conditions set out in Cabinet Minute 46 – 12.9.11 have been met.
EX58	Cabinet (Minute 184 – 10.4.06) Leader decision 2/11 (May 2011)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS (or in his absence ASSISTANT DIRECTORS (ENVIRONMENT AND NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES AND TECHNICAL) (or suitably qualified officers authorised by the above-named)	"SAFER, CLEANER, GREENER" LEGISLATION – AUTHORISATION OF OFFICERS  To exercise those functions relating to the management and provision of the Environmental Health Service set out in the list of environmental health legislation in Appendix B including, where necessary, powers of entry by warrant.
	Portfolio Holder Decision ENV/004/2009-10 Council (Minute – 20.4.10)	Appropriate Portfolio Holder DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	To delegate appropriate powers to the Director of Neighbourhoods relating to the management and provision of the Environmental Health Service set out in the attached list of environmental health legislation as set out in Appendix B.  To approve updates to the list of environmental legislation set out in Appendix B.
EX59	Council (Minute 24(2) – 30.6.81)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES (after considering the views of the Portfolio Holder)	SALE OF COUNCIL HOUSES - DISCOUNTS  To determine, under Part V of the Housing Act 1985, applications for discounting of entitlement periods where a potential purchaser lives with their parents.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
opEX60	Council (Minute 40(4) – 15.7.86)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	SALE OF COUNCIL HOUSES - RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS, MINOR EXTENSIONS AND ALTERATIONS
			To deal with applications for minor extensions or alterations in sold Council houses in accordance with the terms of the house sales agreement.
	Housing Committee Minute 117(5) & (6)		To agree, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder, future requests for release of restrictive covenants to allow development within the curtilage of former Council properties, prior to planning permission being obtained.
			To negotiate terms for the release of covenants agreed by the Director of Communities, subject to the outcome being reported to the Portfolio Holder for approval.
EX61	Council (Minute 11(c) – 2.6.77)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS	SALE OF COUNCIL HOUSES - VALUATIONS  To carry out all valuations in respect of sale of Council houses.
EX62	Policy and Resources Committee (Minute 3 – 11.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	SECURITIES  To act as proper officer for the purposes of Section 146 (1)(a)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972 (declarations and certificates regarding securities).
EX63	Public Health Committee (Minute 73 – 21.9.83)	HPA (Any Consultant member of staff)	SHIPS  To act as proper officer to the Council for the purposes of the Public Health (Ships) Regulations 1970.
EX64	Housing Committee (Minute 121 – 8.11.77)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE (in consultation with Director of Communities)	SQUATTERS - EVICTION  To take such urgent action as is necessary to secure the vacation of any Council properties, which are occupied by squatters.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX65	Council (Minute 90(5) – 23.2.82)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	STAFF - APPOINTMENTS TO POSTS REQUIRING LITTLE OR LIMITED TRAINING
			To determine whether, in respect of the filling of posts requiring little or limited training, appointments should be made from outside the Council's current workforce.
EX66	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 3 – 31.5.83)	DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES	STAFF - TRAVELLING ALLOWANCES
	,	(or in his absence the Deputy Chief Executive)	To consider and adjudicate on any request to make an exception to policy for reimbursement of travelling expenses in pursuance of an officer's duties, being limited to second class rail fare.
EX67	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 77 – 28.5.74)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	STUDY LEAVE  To grant, at their discretion, up to one week's leave of absence with full pay for the purposes of final revision in the period preceding an examination.
EX68	Policy & Co-ordinating Committee (Minute 23 – 5.10.93)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	SUBSCRIPTIONS - OUTSIDE ORGANISATIONS  To pay subscriptions in respect of organisations on which the Council is represented at member level.
EX69	Public Health Committee (Minute 46 – 19.9.84)	DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	SUNDAY TRADING - CAR BOOT SALES  To institute proceedings in respect of such sales where complaints have been received and satisfactory evidence is available.
EX70	Portfolio Holder decision reference H/026/2002-3	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	SUPPORTING PEOPLE – SIGNING OF CONTRACTS  To sign the Supporting People "Block Subsidy" and "Block Grants" contracts with Essex County Council for 2003/03, and subsequent years, in order to receive funding from the Essex Supporting People Commissioning Body for the provision of support services.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
œEX71	Council Minute 127 – 23.4.13	CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER (DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES)	TAX BASE  To declare the Council's Domestic and NNDR Tax Bases in accordance with the Local Government Finance Act 1992 and the Local Authorities (Calculation of Tax Base)(England) Regulations 2012 and any subsequent legislation.
EX72	Personnel Sub-Committee (Minute 37 – 14.2.74)	CHIEF EXECUTIVE SERVICE DIRECTORS	TEMPORARY STAFF  To engage temporary staff and/or part time staff and subject to the overall estimated salaries bill for the service concerned not being exceeded in any one year.
EX73	Housing Services Committee (Minute 6(a)(iii) – 29.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	TENANCIES - COUNCIL HOUSES  To allocate tenancies in accordance with the Housing Allocation Scheme.
EX74	Portfolio Holder Decision (23.8.04)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES OR NOMINATED OFFICER	Inter alia: (1) To serve demoted tenancy notices in appropriate cases; (2) To apply to the County Court for Tenancy Demotion Orders and subsequent Possession Orders in appropriate cases.
EX75	Housing Management Sub-Committee (Minute 33(c)(2) – 15.5.74)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	TENANCIES - SERVICE  To accept any application for priority Council housing in cases where a tenant of service accommodation reaches retirement age after having occupied the accommodation for a minimum of 15 years.

	Authorising Committee and Minute Ref or Other Authority	Officer(s) Authorised	Subject and Function(s) Delegated
EX76	Housing Portfolio Holder Decision HSG/-33/2013-14	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	USE OF OPEN SPACES ON LAND HELD UNDER HOUSING ACT POWERS  To agree or refuse (in consultation with Ward Members), events managed by Town and Parish Councils or other organisations on any land held under Housing Act powers; provided the Council enters into an Agreement with the organisation meeting the Council's required conditions.
EX77	Housing Services Committee (Minute 6(d)(1) – 29.10.73)	DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES	WARRANTS OF DISTRAINT  To issue warrants of distraint in housing cases.
EX78	Development Committee (Minute 60 – 6.1.93) Public Health Committee (Minute 52 – 17.11.92) Housing Committee (Minute 56 – 24.11.92)  Development Committee (Minute 60 – 6.1.92)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS (in consultation with the Director of Governance) ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES (Housing Act Powers)	WARRANTS FOR ENTRY  To make applications to the Magistrates Court for entry pursuant to the Environmental Protection Act 1990, Public Health Acts 1936-61, Control of Pollution Act 1974, Clean Air Acts 1956-68, Food Safety Act 1990, Building Act 1984, Housing Acts 1957-85 and Local Government and Housing Act 1989.
		DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE	To make applications to the Magistrates' Court for warrants of entry in accordance with the BuildingAct 1984 and the Town and Country Planning 1990.
EX79	Public Health Committee (Minute 144(a) – 9.3.77)	DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS  (after consideration of any views of the Portfolio Holder and local ward member(s))	WASTE DISPOSAL ON LAND  To submit representations to Essex County Council on any proposed licence.

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#### PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSING - SCHEDULE OF DELEGATION

**Building Act 1984 Director of Communities** Sections 59-62, 63, 64, 66, 67, 68, 70, 71, 76, 79, 84-85, 91-115.

Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act 1960 **Director of Communities** 

Sections 1, 2, 3, 4-5, 8-11, 12, 23, 24, 25, 26.

Caravan Sites Act 1968 **Director of Communities** 

Sections 3, 14.

**Civil Evidence Act 1995 Director of Communities** 

Section 9.

**Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005 Director of Communities** 

Sections 102, 103,

**Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996 Director of Communities** 

Section 26.

**Environmental Protection Act 1990 Director of Neighbourhoods** 

Sections 79-82, Schedule 3.

**Home Energy Conservation Act 1995** Director of Neighbourhoods

Sections 2, 5.

**Home Safety Act 1961 Director of Communities** 

Section 1.

**Director of Communities Housing Act 1985** Sections 17, 54, 265-275, 289, 290-297, 300-306, 308, 309, 319, 320, 324-340, 435-443,

523, 535-537, 540-542, 544-546, 584A, 584B, 596, 597, 609, 611, 617.

Housing Grants, Construction and Regeneration Act 1996 Director of Communities

Sections 1-3, 19, 21-24, 29-31, 34-44, 51, 52, 55-57, 95.

**Director of Communities Housing Act 2004** 

Sections 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 20, 21, 25-29, 31-32, 40-43, 46, 47, 49, 50, 55-62, 64-67, 69, 70, 73, 74, 102-107, 110-113, 115, 116, 121, 122, 127, 129-131, 133, 136-140, 144, 210, 225, 232, 232-236, 239, 243, 255, 256.

**Landlord and Tenant Act 1985 Director of Communities** 

Sections 1, 2, 4, 8, 11, 12, 20, 34.

**Local Government Act 1974 Director of Communities** 

Section 36.

**Local Government and Housing Act 1989 Director of Communities** 

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