

# **Report to the Overview & Scrutiny Committee**

**Date of meeting: 19 November 2020**



**Subject: Stronger Place Select Committee – Appointment of Chairman (and possibly Vice-Chairman)**

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## **Recommendations/Decisions Required:**

- (1) That the resignation as Chairman of the current Chairman of the Stronger Place Select Committee be noted; and**
- (2) That the Committee make appointment to the position of Chairman (and possibly Vice-Chairman) of the Stronger Place Select Committee for the remainder of the 2020/21 municipal year.**

## **Report:**

1. Appointment to the positions of Chairman and Vice-Chairman of each of the Select Committees are reserved to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee. These appointments are excluded from the calculation arising from the existing protocol on the allocation of Chairman and Vice-Chairman positions for other committees, sub-committees and panels.
2. The current Chairman of the Stronger Place Select Committee has tendered his resignation as Chairman of the Select Committee, although he still intends to remain as a member of the Committee. Therefore, a new Chairman needs to be appointed for the remainder of the municipal year and nominations will be reported at the meeting. If the current Vice-Chairman of the Select Committee is appointed as Chairman, then the process will need to be repeated to select a new Vice-Chairman for the remainder of the municipal year. If more than one nomination is received for both or either position, then the Committee will be required to vote on these appointment(s).

## **Resource implications:**

None arising from this report.

## **Legal and Governance Implications:**

The Council's Constitution sets out the rules for the management of its Overview & Scrutiny responsibilities.

## **Safer, Cleaner, Greener Implications:**

None arising from this report.

## **Consultation Undertaken:**

None required.

**Background Papers:**

None.

**Impact Assessments:*****Risk Management***

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***Equality:***

None arising from this report.