

# (Informal Joint) Cabinet



Forest Heath  
District Council

<b>Title:</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Tuesday 27 February 2018</b>
<b>Time:</b>	<b>6.00 pm Open Forum</b> At each Cabinet meeting, up to 15 minutes shall be allocated for questions from and discussion with, non-Cabinet members. Members wishing to speak during this session should if possible, give notice in advance. Who speaks and for how long will be at the complete discretion of the person presiding.
	<b>6.00 pm</b> <i>(or at the conclusion of the Open forum, whichever is the later)</i> Members of the public who live or work in the District are invited to put one question or statement of not more than three minutes duration relation to items to be discussed in Part 1 of the agenda only. If a question is asked and answered within three minutes, the person who asked the question may ask a supplementary question that arises from the reply.  A person who wishes to speak must register at least 15 minutes before the time the meeting is scheduled to start.  There is an overall time limit of 15 minutes for public speaking, which may be extended at the Chairman's discretion.
	<b>6.00 pm</b> The formal meeting of the Cabinet will commence at 6.00 pm or immediately following the conclusion of the informal discussions, whichever is the later, in the Conference Chamber West.
<b>Venue:</b>	<b>Conference Chamber West (F1R09) West Suffolk House</b> Western Way Bury St Edmunds IP33 3YU

<p><b>Membership:</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Leader</b> James Waters  <b>Deputy Leader</b> Robin Millar</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;"><b>Councillor</b></th> <th style="text-align: left;"><b>Portfolio</b></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>David Bowman</td> <td>Operations</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Stephen Edwards</td> <td>Resources and Performance</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Andy Drummond</td> <td>Leisure and Culture</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Robin Millar</td> <td>Families and Communities</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Lance Stanbury</td> <td>Planning and Growth</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	<b>Councillor</b>	<b>Portfolio</b>	David Bowman	Operations	Stephen Edwards	Resources and Performance	Andy Drummond	Leisure and Culture	Robin Millar	Families and Communities	Lance Stanbury	Planning and Growth
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<p><b>Interests – Declaration and Restriction on Participation:</b></p>	<p>Members are reminded of their responsibility to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest not entered in the Authority's register or local non pecuniary interest which they have in any item of business on the agenda (subject to the exception for sensitive information) and to leave the meeting prior to discussion and voting on an item in which they have a disclosable pecuniary interest.</p>												
<p><b>Quorum:</b></p>	<p>Three Members</p>												
<p><b>Committee administrator:</b></p>	<p><b>Sharon Turner</b>  Democratic Services Officer (Cabinet)  <b>Tel:</b> 01638 719237  <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:sharon.turner@westsuffolk.gov.uk">sharon.turner@westsuffolk.gov.uk</a></p>												

# Public Information



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<b>Access to agenda and reports before the meeting:</b>	Copies of the agenda and reports are open for public inspection and are available at the address below at least five clear days before the meeting. They are also available to view on our website: <b>District Offices</b> College Heath Road Mildenhall Bury St Edmunds IP28 7EY	
<b>Attendance at meetings:</b>	The District Council actively welcomes members of the public and the press to attend its meetings and holds as many of its meetings as possible in public.	
<b>Public participation:</b>	Members of the public who live or work in the District are invited to put one question or statement of not more than three minutes duration relating to items to be discussed in Part 1 of the agenda only. If a question is asked and answered within three minutes, the person who asked the question may ask a supplementary question that arises from the reply. A person who wishes to speak must register at least 15 minutes before the time the meeting is scheduled to start. There is an overall time limit of 15 minutes for public speaking, which may be extended at the Chairman's discretion.	
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# Agenda

## Procedural Matters

All Members of St Edmundsbury Borough Council's Cabinet will be in attendance to enable informal discussions on the reports listed in Items 4. to 6. inclusive below to take place between the two authorities:

### Councillor

Carol Bull  
Robert Everitt  
John Griffiths  
Ian Houlder  
Sara Mildmay-White  
Alaric Pugh  
Jo Rayner  
Peter Stevens

### Portfolio

Future Governance  
Families and Communities  
Leader  
Resources and Performance  
Housing  
Planning and Growth  
Leisure and Culture  
Operations

*QUORUM: Three Members*

On the conclusion of the informal joint discussions, the Cabinet will hold its formal meeting in the Conference Chamber West as follows:

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

#### **Part 1 - Public**

### **2. Open Forum**

*(This item will be undertaken at the beginning of the informal discussions, to allow Members to consider the issues raised by the non-Cabinet Members)*

### **3. Public Participation**

*(This item will be undertaken at the beginning of the informal discussions, to allow Members to consider the issues raised by the members of the public)*

***(Following the informal discussions held with St Edmundsbury Borough Council's (SEBC) Cabinet on Items 4. to 6. inclusive below, Members are asked to refrain from partaking in any further discussion. Separate formal meetings of both SEBC and Forest Heath District Councils' Cabinets will then commence with Members being requested to formally resolve Items 4. to 6. inclusive below)***

KEY DECISIONS

- 4. Referrals Report of Recommendations from Council to Cabinet: Single Council for West Suffolk: Legislative Process** **1 - 14**

Report No: **CAB/FH/18/016**

**(A) Referral from Council: 20 February 2018**

1. Single Council for West Suffolk: Legislative Process  
**Portfolio Holder:** James Waters      **Lead Officer:** Ian Gallin

*(For reference purposes, St Edmundsbury Borough Council's Report Number is CAB/SE/18/014)*

NON KEY DECISIONS

- 5. Fair Funding Review - Response to Government Consultation** **15 - 30**

Report No: **CAB/FH/18/017**

Portfolio Holder: Stephen Edwards      Lead Officer: Rachael Mann

*(For reference purposes, St Edmundsbury Borough Council's Report Number is CAB/SE/18/015)*

- 6. Gender Pay Gap Report** **31 - 40**

Report No: **CAB/FH/18/018**

Portfolio Holder: Stephen Edwards      Lead Officer: Karen Points

*(For reference purposes, St Edmundsbury Borough Council's Report Number is CAB/FH/18/016)*