

# (Informal Joint) Cabinet



*St Edmundsbury*  
BOROUGH COUNCIL

<b>Title:</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Tuesday 27 February 2018</b>
<b>Time:</b>	<p><b>6.00 pm</b> <b>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.</p> <p><b>6.00 pm</b> <i>(or at the conclusion of the Open Forum, whichever is the later)</i> <b>Public Participation</b> Members of the public who live or work in the Borough 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.</p> <p>A person who wishes to speak must register at least 15 minutes before the time the meeting is scheduled to start.</p> <p>There is an overall time limit of 15 minutes for public speaking, which may be extended at the Chairman's discretion.</p> <p><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.</p>
<b>Venue:</b>	<b>Conference Chamber West (F1R09)</b> <b>West Suffolk House</b> Western Way Bury St Edmunds IP33 3YU

<p><b>Membership:</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Leader</b> John Griffiths  <b>Deputy Leader</b> Sara Mildmay-White</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;"><b>Councillor</b></td> <td style="width: 50%;"><b>Portfolio</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Carol Bull</td> <td>Future Governance</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Robert Everitt</td> <td>Families and Communities</td> </tr> <tr> <td>John Griffiths</td> <td>Leader</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ian Houlder</td> <td>Resources and Performance</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sara Mildmay-White</td> <td>Housing</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Alaric Pugh</td> <td>Planning and Growth</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Jo Rayner</td> <td>Leisure and Culture</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Peter Stevens</td> <td>Operations</td> </tr> </table>	<b>Councillor</b>	<b>Portfolio</b>	Carol Bull	Future Governance	Robert Everitt	Families and Communities	John Griffiths	Leader	Ian Houlder	Resources and Performance	Sara Mildmay-White	Housing	Alaric Pugh	Planning and Growth	Jo Rayner	Leisure and Culture	Peter Stevens	Operations
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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>Claire Skoyles</b>  Democratic Services Officer  <b>Tel:</b> 01284 757176  <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:claire.skoyles@westsuffolk.gov.uk">claire.skoyles@westsuffolk.gov.uk</a></p>																		

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# Public Information



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# Agenda

## Procedural Matters

All Members of Forest Heath District 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:

<b><u>Councillor</u></b>	<b><u>Portfolio</u></b>
David Bowman	Operations
Andy Drummond	Leisure and Culture
Stephen Edwards	Resources and Performance
Robin Millar	Deputy Leader/Families and Communities
Lance Stanbury	Planning and Growth
James Waters	Leader

*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 Forest Heath District Council's (FHDC) Cabinet on Items 4. to 6. inclusive below, Members are asked to refrain from partaking in any further discussion. Separate formal meetings of both FHDC and St Edmundsbury Borough 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/SE/18/014**

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

1. Single Council for West Suffolk: Legislative Process  
**Portfolio Holders:** John Griffiths and Carol Bull  
Lead Officer: Ian Gallin

*(For reference purposes, Forest Heath District Council's Report Number is CAB/FH/18/016)*

NON-KEY DECISIONS

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

Report No: **CAB/SE/18/015**

Portfolio Holder: Ian Houlder      Lead Officer: Rachael Mann

*(For reference purposes, Forest Heath District Council's Report Number is CAB/FH/18/017)*

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

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

Portfolio Holder: Ian Houlder      Lead Officer: Karen Points

*(For reference purposes, Forest Heath District Council's Report Number is CAB/FH/18/018)*

**Part 2 – Exempt**

**NONE**