

# The Cabinet Agenda

## Wednesday 13 January 2021 at 3.30pm

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# 1. Apologies

To receive any apologies for absence.

#### 2. Declarations of Interest

To receive any declarations of interest from members relating to any item on the agenda, in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Conduct and/or S106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992.

#### 3. Minutes

To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 9 December 2020 as a correct record.

#### 4. Additional Items of Business

To determine whether there are any additional items of business arising which should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency.

#### **Public Items**

# 5. Review of council tenant rents and housing related Homes property charges

To approve proposals for council tenant rents and housing related property charges.

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#### Council Tax Base 2021/22 6. Resources To approve the Council Tax Base for 2021/2022. & Core **Services** 7. **Business Rates Retention Forecast 2021/22** Resources To approve the Business Rates Retention yield forecast & Core for 2021/22. **Services** 8. **Local Council Tax Reduction Scheme 2021/22** Resources To make recommendations for the Local Council Tax & Core Reduction Scheme for 2021/2022. **Services** 9. Changes to the appointed Chief Executive Officer of Best Start in Sandwell Children's Trust and extension of contract Life for a non-executive director of Sandwell Children's Trust board To consider proposals to make appointments to Sandwell Children's Trust. 10. **Best Start in** School Funding Formula and De-delegated Budget **Proposals 2021/22** Life To consider proposals in relation to the 2021/2022 schools funding formula for Sandwell schools. 11. The Kickstart Programme **Employment** To approve applications to the Department of Work and and Skills Pensions for the Kickstart programme. **12. Contract Extension for the Provision of Security Inclusive Guarding and Key Holding Services Economic** To seek approval to extend the contract for the Growth Provision of Security Guarding and Key Holding Services. 13. Sandwell Safeguarding Adults Board (SSAB) Living **Annual Report Healthy** To consider and approve the Sandwell Safeguarding Lives Adults Board Annual Report 2019-2020.

14. Flood Risk Management Plan Measures 2021 to 2027

To consider and approve the Council's Flood Risk Management Plan measures for the period 2021 to 2027.

Sustainable Transport

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