

Agenda Council

You are hereby summoned to attend the Annual Meeting of Sandwell Council, to be held on Tuesday, 23 May 2023 at 6.00pm for the purpose of transacting the following business:-

1 Apologies for Absence 5 - 6

To receive apologies for absence (if any).

2 Declarations of Interest 7 - 8

Members to declare any interests in matters to be discussed at the meeting.

3 Election of the Mayor

To elect the Mayor and Chair of Council for the Municipal Year 2023/24.

4 Vote of thanks to the retiring Mayor

To move a vote of thanks to the Retiring Mayor for their services during the 2022/23 Municipal Year.

5 Election of the Deputy Mayor

To elect the Deputy Mayor and Vice Chair of Council for the Municipal Year 2023/24.



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| 6 | Minutes of the Previous Meetings of Council | 9 - 30 |
| | To approve as a correct record the minutes of the extraordinary and ordinary meetings of Council held on 28 March 2023. | |
| 7 | Executive Appointments | 31 - 50 |
| | To receive from the Leader, notification of Executive Appointments for the 2023/24 Municipal year. | |
| 8 | Political Balance, Appointment to Committees, Boards and Other Fora 2023/24 and updates to the Council's Constitution | 51 - 112 |
| | To consider political balance, appointments to committees/boards for the 2023/24 Municipal Year and updates to the Council's Constitution. | |
| 9 | Appointment of Representatives to Other Bodies | 113 - 130 |
| | To consider appointments to other bodies | |
| 10 | Independent Remuneration Panel Review on Members' Allowances Scheme | 131 - 150 |
| | To consider the report of the Independent Remuneration Panel and approve the Members' Allowances Scheme. | |



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