

## Overview & Scrutiny Committee

Monday 8 April 2019

7.00 pm

Ground Floor Meeting Room G02A - 160 Tooley Street, London SE1 2QH

### Membership

Councillor Bill Williams (Chair)  
Councillor Maria Linforth-Hall (Vice-Chair)  
Councillor Humaira Ali  
Councillor Peter Babudu  
Councillor Victor Chamberlain  
Councillor Helen Dennis  
Councillor Tom Flynn  
Councillor Jon Hartley  
Councillor Alice Macdonald  
Councillor Margy Newens  
Councillor Jason Ochere  
Martin Brecknell  
Lynette Murphy-O'Dwyer

### Reserves

Councillor Jack Buck  
Councillor James Coldwell  
Councillor Eleanor Kerslake  
Councillor Sunny Lambe  
Councillor Michael Situ  
Councillor Cleo Soanes  
Councillor Ian Wingfield  
Councillor David Noakes  
Councillor Jane Salmon

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Members of the committee are summoned to attend this meeting

**Eleanor Kelly**

Chief Executive

Date: 29 March 2019



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	In special circumstances, an item of business may be added to an agenda within five clear working days of the meeting.	
3.	<b>DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS</b>	
	Members to declare any interests and dispensations in respect of any item of business to be considered at this meeting.	
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	Councillor Johnson Situ to provide feedback from 21/01/2019 Overview & Scrutiny Committee meeting.	
7.	<b>REDUCING HEALTH INEQUALITIES THROUGH COUNCIL SERVICES AND PARTNER ORGANISATIONS</b>	

**8. WORK PROGRAMME**

**DISCUSSION OF ANY OTHER OPEN ITEMS AS NOTIFIED AT THE START OF THE MEETING.**

**PART B - CLOSED BUSINESS**

**DISCUSSION OF ANY CLOSED ITEMS AS NOTIFIED AT THE START OF THE MEETING AND ACCEPTED BY THE CHAIR AS URGENT.**

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Date: 29 March 2019

**EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

The following motion should be moved, seconded and approved if the sub-committee wishes to exclude the press and public to deal with reports revealing exempt information:

“That the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1-7, Access to Information Procedure rules of the Constitution.”

**Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Culture, Leisure,**

**Equalities and Communities – Councillor Rebecca Lury**

To deputise for the Leader of the Council in his absence by representing the borough at external events, within the council and when necessary chairing cabinet.

To improve the council's engagement with all Southwark's communities, especially those who are hardest to reach. To be responsible for strengthening the voluntary and community sector, supporting volunteering across the borough.

To promote leisure and sport in the borough and increase the quality of the borough's parks and green spaces. With the Cabinet Member for Community Safety and Public Health to increase physical activity and resident use of all our park and leisure spaces.

To champion equality and diversity across the borough and be a champion for Southwark's varied and diverse communities.

The cabinet member will have particular responsibility for:

- strengthening and working with Southwark's voluntary and community sector
- community councils and community engagement
- relationships with faith communities
- Southwark diversity standard
- equalities and equal opportunities
- volunteering and volunteer champions
- civic issues
- cultural strategy
- libraries
- events
- free theatre visits for primary children
- working with organisations in the borough's thriving culture communities
- increasing access to arts and culture including for vulnerable groups
- parks
- trees
- biodiversity
- performance of the council's leisure contractor
- leisure investment
- working with grassroots leisure communities
- play and leisure activities for young people
- swimming and gym use

- working with grassroots sport communities
- promoting sport and increasing physical activity
- youth centres.

**Cabinet Member for Children, Schools and Adult Care – Councillor Jasmine Ali**

To safeguard children and adults in Southwark and lead policies to support them. To assume the statutory role of lead member for children's services in accordance with the guidance produced by the Department for Education (DfE), including responsibility for children's social care and early years, the inclusion agenda, and work to implement the children and young people's plan. The portfolio holder will hold political accountability and exercise leadership over all areas included in DfE guidance. To lead our work with academies and other education providers to improve standards in every school in the borough so that no child is left behind.

To safeguard the needs of vulnerable adults, the provision of personal social services, services to older people, services to people with disabilities. To work with the Cabinet Member for Community Safety and Public Health to improve services for those with HIV/AIDS, drug and alcohol problems or mental health needs. The cabinet member will work closely with the Cabinet Member for Housing Management and Modernisation with regard to the housing needs of vulnerable adults.

The cabinet member will have particular responsibility for:

- housing needs of vulnerable adults
- adult social care, including personalisation
- Southwark an age friendly borough
- accessible travel including the Freedom Pass
- older people and pensioner poverty
- ethical care and improving the quality of homecare
- disability and supporting vulnerable people
- residential care charter
- people with disabilities
- supporting people with mental health needs
- youth offending
- universal services for people children and young people
- early intervention
- child protection, safeguarding and specialist services for most vulnerable children, young people and their families
- raising the quality of children's services
- school place provision and admissions
- raising school standards including by multi-academy trusts and other education providers

- expanding affordable childcare and nurseries
- free healthy school meals, school meals in nurseries and free fruit in schools
- the youth fund
- corporate parenting including fostering and adoption
- children and family centres
- Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services
- Integration of health and social care.

