

Council Assembly

Saturday 20 May 2023

11.00 am

Southwark Cathedral, London Bridge, London SE1 9DA

Tabled Items

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Date: 20 May 2023

**Deputy Cabinet Member
Role Description
May 2023**

Deputy Cabinet Members (DCMs) will be appointed by the Leader and assigned specific portfolio areas that they will drive forward on behalf of the Leader and Cabinet.

For matters within their portfolio Deputy Cabinet Members will be responsible for providing political oversight to ensure that:

- Council Delivery Plan Commitments are being delivered
- Council services are working well for our residents
- That the council is effectively identifying the innovative things we should do next to improve our work and outcomes for residents
- That the council is working well with our community to develop our policies and design and deliver our services
- That the council has strong relationships with key stakeholders and partners
- The Cabinet Member who hold responsibility for matters within the DCM's portfolio is fully briefed on the above, and that where appropriate the Leader and full Cabinet are also briefed.

In order to meet these responsibilities Deputy Cabinet Members will:

- Hold regular briefings with departments
- Oversee the drafting of Cabinet reports and Individual Decision Maker (IDM) Reports by relevant officers
- Attend and present reports to Cabinet meetings as required
- Answer questions relating to their portfolio at Council Assembly
- Attend and report to relevant meetings of Scrutiny where their portfolio is under discussion
- Be the council's spokesperson on issues related to their brief and ensure good public-facing communication of the activities and achievements within the portfolio
- Represent the council at external meetings and meetings with residents

Key parameters of DCMs:

- DCMs **are not decision-makers**. They will be responsible for the drafting of Cabinet and IDM reports and will present to Cabinet meetings as required, however, the formal decision maker will be listed as a full member of Cabinet and each report will require their final sign-off before publication.
- Whilst a DCM may be a member of a committee, scrutiny committee or scrutiny commission, they will not be permitted to take decisions or scrutinise anything that falls within their own portfolio.
- DCMs shall not be the chair or vice-chair of a committee or sub-committee which takes decisions or scrutinises matters relating to their portfolio.
- The chairs of the licensing and planning committees shall not be DCMs. For audit, governance and standards committee, no more than one member of the cabinet or deputy may be a member of the committee.

Cllr Kieron Williams

Leader of the Council

The Leader sets the overall vision, direction and top priorities of the council. He represents the council in the community and in negotiations with regional and national organisations. The leader appoints members of the cabinet and is able to change cabinet member portfolios during the year.

Cllr Williams has particular responsibility for:

- Setting the political and strategic direction for the council
- Southwark 2030 and the Council Delivery Plan
- Southwark Stands Together
- Communications, campaigns and public affairs
- Emergency planning and business continuity
- Major projects oversight
- Strategic partnerships and relationships with government, the Mayor of London, City Hall, Transport for London, The NHS and major anchor organisations within the borough
- Performance management of the Cabinet & Deputy Cabinet Members

All executive functions not allocated to a portfolio will be the responsibility of, or delegated by, the Leader.

Cllr Jasmine Ali

Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Refugees

Cllr Jasmine Ali will 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. She will work with the Leader of the Council to support the political and strategic leadership of the council.

Cllr Ali's responsibilities include:

- **Early years and childcare** - including children and family centres, early years education, childminders and nurseries
- **Schools** - including school standards, inclusion, places and admissions; special education needs; free healthy school and nursery meals and fruit; healthy schools and Southwark's Let's Go Zero schools network
- **Further, higher and adult education** - including English for speakers of other languages (ESOL), adult literacy and numeracy; and scholarships
- **Children's social care**, including children in care and care leavers, fostering and adoption, support for children with disabilities and their families; and child safeguarding
- **Children's mental health** - including mental wellbeing support in schools; the council's Nest open access mental health service for children and families; and improving access to Child and Adolescent Mental Health services.
- **Family support** - including parenting programmes, the council's sure-start for teenagers service and support for families who are providing unpaid care for a child with a disability or health condition, including respite care
- **Refugees and asylum seekers** - including our work to ensure Southwark is a Borough of Sanctuary and support for people with No Recourse to Public Funds (NRPF)
- **Youth offending services**

Cllr Evelyn Akoto

Cabinet Member for Health and Wellbeing

Cllr Akoto's responsibilities include:

- **Public health** - including reducing health inequalities; Covid19 and health protection; Community Health Ambassadors; vaccinations, immunisation and screening; health visiting, school nursing and childhood obesity; sexual health, contraception and HIV; and smoking, drug and alcohol services
- **Adult social care** - including adult safeguarding; home care; nursing and care homes; occupational therapy, aids and adaptations; and commissioning extra care, sheltered and supported housing.
- **Health & wellbeing partnerships** – overseeing key stakeholder relationships such as Partnership Southwark and SC1
- **Improving health services** - working with the NHS, general practice (GPs), local hospitals, community health services and pharmacists,
- **Adult mental health**
- **Older people** - including ensuring Southwark is an age friendly borough and opening a modern centre for Black African and Caribbean elders
- **Adults with disabilities** - including social care support; increasing the voice and influence of people with disabilities and their families in local decision making
- **Carers** - support for people who are providing unpaid care for adult family members or friends with a disability or health condition, including respite care
- **Food** - making Southwark a right to Food borough with access to affordable healthy food for all

Cllr Stephanie Cryan

Cabinet Member for Communities, Democracy & Finance

Cllr Cryan's responsibilities include:

- **Community involvement** - including empowering communities programme, ward forums; volunteering and consultations.
- **Cost of living support** - financial support; Council Tax Reduction Scheme; access to benefits, advice services and Community Support Alliance
- **Digital** - digital inclusion and infrastructure (including broadband); and the council's corporate IT and website
- **Voluntary, community and faith sector** - including community hubs
- **Equalities** – as they relate to women's rights, LGBTQ+ rights and working with the Forum for Equalities and Human Rights
- **Funding for community projects and events** - including the Neighbourhoods Fund, Cleaner Greener Safe Fund, Local Community Infrastructure fund, Democracy Fund, Common Purpose Grants; Equalities Grants, Food And Fun Fund; Getting Involved Fund; Culture Together Grants; Positive Futures Fund, Cultural Celebrations Fund, Black History Month Grants and Windrush 75 Fund
- **Customer services** - call centre, complaints and members' enquires
- **Finance & governance** – the council's budget; financial and performance management; legal and constitutional services; procurement; income collection; pension fund; and civic matters
- **Workforce** - the council's workforce and internal relationship with staff trade unions
- **Facilities management** - of the buildings within the council's operational/civic estate
- **Property** – including decisions relating to the council's acquisitions and disposal of properties
- **Registrar's and coroners services**
- **Electoral services** - electoral registration and postal vote uptake

Cllr Helen Dennis

Cabinet Member for New Homes & Sustainable Development

Cllr Dennis's responsibilities include:

- **New council homes** - the council's work to build thousands of new council homes; including new council homes for older people; net-zero homes; and working with the Cabinet Member for Council Homes to deliver new council homes on the Aylesbury, Tustin, Ledbury and Abbeyfield estates
- **New affordable homes** - including housing association social rent homes; keyworker homes; community land trusts and housing cooperatives; homes for refugees; and temporary accommodation.
- **Homelessness** - including support for people who are at risk of being or who become homeless; working to end rough sleeping; securing good quality temporary accommodation; and establishing the council's Good Lettings Agency
- **Planning & building control** - planning applications, enforcement and policy (including the Southwark Plan, neighbourhood plans, area action plans and supplementary planning documents); Section 106 agreements and payments; and building control and dangerous structures
- **Old Kent Road** - working with the community to shape development in the OKR opportunity area, including the delivery of new affordable homes and community infrastructure
- **Major infrastructure projects**, including the Bakerloo Line Extension, new Elephant & Castle Northern Line station, wider improvements to train and tube stations; and Strategic Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL)
- **Empty homes and short-term lets** - including the council's Empty Homes Action Plan; and the Good Lettings Agency
- **Responding to the Southwark Land Commission**

Cllr Dora Dixon-Fyle

Cabinet Member for Community Safety

Cllr Dixon-Fyle's responsibilities include:

- **Reducing crime and anti-social behaviour** - including community wardens, anti-social behaviour team, noise service, CCTV, public spaces protection orders, preventing hate crime, tackling modern day slavery,
- **Violence reduction** - working to end misogyny and violence against women and girls; and youth violence and the criminal exploitation of young people
- **Domestic abuse** - support for people who have experienced domestic abuse, Women's Safety Centre and safe spaces
- **Improving policing** – promoting equitable policing and strengthening community relations with the police
- **Licencing** – of premises serving alcohol or late night refreshment and of gambling
- **Environmental health** – including trading standards, food safety and environmental protection
- **Private rented housing** – increasing protections for private renters licencing and advice services for private sector renters

Cllr James McAsh

Cabinet Member for Climate Emergency, Clean Air & Streets

Cllr McAsh's responsibilities include:

- **Reducing carbon emissions** – engaging local people and organisations in action to reduce carbon emissions; promoting climate justice; delivery and ongoing development of the Southwark Climate Action Plan; and ending the council's own emissions
- **Adaptation to climate change** – ensuring plans and action are in place to make Southwark resilient to changes in the climate including heatwaves and extreme weather events
- **Air quality** - improving air quality, reducing harmful emissions and air quality monitoring
- **Walking and cycling** – making Southwark a great place to walk, wheel or cycle; including cycle lessons, infrastructure, hire and storage
- **Streets & parking**- creating safer, greener and healthier streets; road safety; parking (on the council's highways and estates); street lighting (including on council estates and in parks); and highways maintenance
- **Transport** – including improving local bus services and public transport, accessible travel (including blue badges and the Freedom Pass), promoting sustainable freight; reducing traffic and electric vehicle charging; and managing the council's fleet
- **Waste & recycling** – waste and bin collection and the council work to reducing waste and increasing recycling
- **Cleaning, pest control & grounds maintenance** - street and estate cleaning; fly-tipping and graffiti removal; pest control; and maintenance of verges and green spaces on the council's highways and estates

Cllr Darren Merrill

Cabinet Member for Council Homes

Cllr Merrill's responsibilities include:

- **Management of the council's homes** – including council homes, sheltered and extra care homes, council owned temporary accommodation, high needs hostels and homes and sites for Gypsy, Roma and traveller communities
- **Residents involvement and services** - including services and advice for council tenants, leaseholders and freeholders and support for Tenants and Resident Associations and Tenant Management Organisations
- **Housing maintenance** - including repairs and major works; heat networks; communal repairs; gas and electrical safety and refurbishment of voids
- **Fire safety** - ensuring council homes meet fire safety standards and leading the council's work on fire safety, cladding and remediation for private sector and housing association residential buildings
- **Housing allocations** - oversight of the council's Housing Solutions Service and the allocation of council homes, housing association, social rent and key worker homes to Southwark residents
- **Renewal of the Aylesbury, Tustin, Ledbury and Abbeyfield estates** - working with residents to deliver new and improved homes and estates (working with the Cabinet Member for New Homes and Sustainable Development)
- **Tenants and residents' halls** – including their maintenance, ongoing improvement and ensuring they are the best possible facilities for residents of our estates and broader community

Cllr Catherine Rose

Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, Leisure and Parks

Cllr Rose's responsibilities include:

- **Neighbourhoods** – working with residents to develop strategic plans to improve each neighbourhood as well as the council's overarching strategy to transform the organisation to operate on a neighbourhood basis (working with the Cabinet Member for Communities, Democracy & Finance)
- **Leisure centres** - management of the councils leisure centres, swimming pools and gyms
- **Sport** - management of the council's multi-sport, athletics, football, tennis and cycling facilities; supporting and promoting grassroots sports; and the council's relationship with local sports clubs
- **Culture** - events and festivals; theatres, galleries, museums and performing arts; opening a Southwark LGBTQ+ cultural space; establishing a Latin American cultural space; and promoting Southwark as an centre for film making
- **Libraries** - council's libraries, heritage and archives service
- **Parks & Play** – parks, green spaces, playgrounds and adventure play
- **Biodiversity & trees** - tree planting and maintenance; increasing biodiversity and nature;
- **Gardening** - community gardening, food-growing and allotments, including on the councils estates
- **Waterways** - including moorings & marinas and flood defences
- **Cemeteries and crematorium services**
- **The renewal of Peckham Library square**

Cllr Martin Seaton

Cabinet Member for Jobs, Skills & Business

Cllr Seaton's responsibilities include:

- **Increasing employment** - support to find a job or start a new carer; careers advice and work experience; paid internships; supporting young people and care leavers' into employment, education and training; relationship with Jobcentre Plus; supporting businesses to engage with schools and colleges (including the Education Business Alliance).
- **Vocational Skills** - including apprenticeships, vocational training and skills centres
- **Businesses support** - for local businesses, cooperatives, social enterprises and entrepreneurs; increasing procurement from local businesses; and relationships with local business groups and Business Improvement Districts.
- **High streets** – including town centre action plans, Thriving Highstreets Fund, markets
- **Commercial property** – management, leasing and rent setting of the council's retail and commercial units, office accommodation and related property
- **Industrial strategy** - growing industries that generate good jobs and wider value for our community, including green industries, life sciences and creative and cultural industries
- **Living Wage** - promoting the London Living Wage employers
- **Workers' rights** - promoting good employment practices and equality and diversity at work and trade union membership

Deputy Cabinet Members (DCMs)

Cllr Natasha Ennin

Deputy Cabinet Member for Equalities

Cllr Ennin's responsibilities include:

- Promoting equality and diversity, including the equalities framework and audit
- Increasing the voice and influence of black, Asian and minority ethnic communities
- 'Southwark Together' civic leadership programme
- Diverse Councils commitments
- London Councils Tackling Racial Inequality Standard pilot

Note: The Leader delegates formal decision-making requirements at a Cabinet level to Cllr Cryan for the purpose of signing off Cabinet reports and IDMs, although the DCM will lead on development

Cllr Emily Hickson

Deputy Cabinet Member for Green Finance

Cllr Hickson's responsibilities include:

- Launch Southwark Green Finance
- Identifying opportunities to secure increased investment into action to reduce carbon emissions in Southwark
- Engaging relevant sectors to explore and support opportunities around green finance
- Engaging the residents of the borough to support green finance initiatives

Note: The Leader delegates formal decision-making requirements at a Cabinet level to Cllr McAsh for the purpose of signing off Cabinet reports and IDMs, although the DCM will lead on development

Cllr Portia Mwangangye

Deputy Cabinet Member for Young People

Cllr Mwangangye's responsibilities include:

- Increasing the voice and influence of young people
- Southwark Youth Parliament
- The council's in-house and commissioned youth services
- Positive Futures Fund
- Southwark Young Advisors

Note: The Leader delegates formal decision-making requirements at a Cabinet level to Cllr Rose for the purpose of signing off Cabinet reports and IDMs, although the DCM will lead on development

Cllr Leo Pollak

Deputy Cabinet Member for Housing Allocations

Cllr Pollak's responsibilities include:

- Updating the council's housing allocations and lettings policy for council homes and housing association homes
- Developing a new approach to housing allocations that maximises the number of people in housing need who are able to move to a home that is right for their needs
- Improving support for council tenants who want to downsize to a home that meets their needs

Note: The Leader delegates formal decision-making requirements at a Cabinet level to Cllr Merrill for the purpose of signing off Cabinet reports and IDMs, although the DCM will lead on development

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MEETING MEMBERSHIPS 2023-24

COUNCIL COMMITTEES AND SUB-COMMITTEES

COMMITTEES AND SUB-COMMITTEES

1. APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE – 7 places

	Labour (6)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Kieron Williams (Chair)	Victor Chamberlain
2.	Jasmine Ali	
3.	Evelyn Akoto	
4.	Darren Merrill	
5.	Dora Dixon Fyle	
6.	Helen Dennis	
Reserves		
	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Martin Seaton	Rachel Bentley
2.	Catherine Rose	
3.	Steph Cryan	
4.	James McAsh	
5.		
Contact officer – Virginia Wynn-Jones 020 7525 7055		

2. AUDIT, GOVERNANCE AND STANDARDS COMMITTEE – 7 places

Note: Vice chair can be appointed at first meeting of the committee, if not appointed at annual meeting. Sub-committees and their chairs will be appointed by the committee.

	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrat (2)
1.	Barrie Hargrove (chair)	Hamish McCallum
2.	Sarah King	Graham Neale
3.	Gavin Edwards	
4.	Andy Simmons	
5.	John Batteson	
Reserves		
	Labour (4)	Liberal Democrat (2)
1.	Kim McIntosh	David Watson
2.	Sam Foster	
3.	Cassandra Brown	
4.	Esme Hicks	
Contact officer - Virginia Wynn-Jones 020 7525 7055		

3. CORPORATE PARENTING COMMITTEE – 7 places

	Labour (6)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Jasmine Ali (Chair)	Rachel Bentley
2.	Darren Merrill	
3.	Charlie Smith	
4.	Esme Dobson	
5.	Naima Ali	
6.	Kim McIntosh	
Reserves		
	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Natasha Ennin	Irina von Wiese
2.	Sunny Lambe	
3.	Portia Mwangangye	
4.	Joseph Vambe	
5.	Richard Leeming	
Contact officer – Paula Thornton 020 7525 4395		

4. HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD – 4 places

	Labour (3)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Kieron Williams	Maria Linforth-Hall
2.	Jasmine Ali	
3.	Evelyn Akoto	
<p>The membership of the board is set out below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leader of the Council • Cabinet Member for Children, Education and Refugees • Cabinet Member for Health and Wellbeing • Opposition Spokesperson for Health (Southwark Councillor) • Integrated Care Board (ICB) representatives x 2 • Chief Executive, Southwark Council • Strategic Director of Children's and Adults' Services • Director of Children's Services • Director of Public Health • Chief Executive, Community Southwark (Voluntary Sector) • Executive Director, Southwark Law Centre (voluntary sector) • King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (King's Health Partners) representative • South London and Maudsley (SLAM) NHS Foundation Trust (King's Health Partners) representative • Healthwatch Southwark representative • Southwark Headteachers representative 		
Contact Officer – Maria Lugangira 020 7525 7228		

5. LICENSING COMMITTEE – 15 places

	Labour (12)	Liberal Democrat (3)
1.	Renata Hamvas (Chair)	Victor Chamberlain
2.	Charlie Smith	Jane Salmon
3.	Sandra Rhule	Emily Tester
4.	Ian Wingfield	
5.	Andy Simmons	
6.	Sabina Emmanuel	
7.	Barrie Hargrove	
8.	Sunny Lambe	
9.	Natasha Ennin	
10.	Suzanne Abachor	
11.	Kath Whittam	
12.	Margy Newens	
<p>LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE</p> <p>Licensing Sub-Committees can be constituted from any three members of the main committee</p> <p>Contact Officer – Andrew Weir 020 7525 7222</p>		

6. OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE – 11 places

	Labour (9)	Liberal Democrat (2)
1.	Ian Wingfield (Chair)	Victor Chamberlain
2.	Margy Newens	Irina von Wiese (vice chair)
3.	Chloe Tomlinson	
4.	Ellie Cumbo	
5.	Suzanne Abachor	
6.	Laura Johnson	
7.	Sunny Lambe	
8.	Jon Hartley	
9.	Bethan Roberts	
	The committee includes 4 voting co-opted members	
Reserves	Labour (8)	Liberal Democrat (2)
1.	Sarah King	Jane Salmon
2.	Sandra Rhule	Rachel Bentley
3.	Cleo Soanes	
4.	Sam Dalton	
5.	Andy Simmons	
6.	Sunil Chopra	
7.	Sam Foster	
8.	Esme Hicks	
Contact Officer Everton Roberts – 020 7525 7221		

7. PLANNING COMMITTEE A – 7 places

	Labour (6)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Richard Livingstone (Chair)	Nick Johnson
2.	Kath Whittam (Vice Chair)	
3.	Sarah King	
4.	Reggie Popoola	
5.	Cleo Soanes	
6.	Sam Dalton	
Reserves		
	Labour (6)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Margy Newens	Emily Tester
2.	Ellie Cumbo	
3.	Sam Foster	
4.	Portia Mwangangye	
5.	Jon Hartley	
6.	John Batterson	
Contact Officer – Gerald Gohler 020 7525 7420/7234		

8. PLANNING COMMITTEE B – 7 places

	Labour (6)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Richard Livingstone (Chair)	Emily Tester
2.	Kath Whittam (Vice Chair)	
3.	Ellie Cumbo	
4.	Sam Foster	
5.	Portia Mwangangye	
6.	Jon Hartley	
Reserves		
	Labour (6)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Sarah King	Nick Johnson
2.	Reggie Popoola	
3.	Cleo Soanes	
4.	Sam Dalton	
5.	Cassandra Brown	
6.	Barrie Hargrove	
Contact Officer – Gregory Weaver 020 7525 7420/7234		

9. PLANNING SMALL APPLICATIONS COMMITTEE– 7 places

Note: The name of the planning small applications committee may be changed. If it is constituted as a sub-committee, the chair and vice chair of the sub-committee will be appointed by the planning committee.

	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrat (2)
1.	Cleo Soanes (chair)	Adam Hood
2.	Richard Leeming	Jane Salmon (vice-chair)
3.	Ketzia Harper	
4.	Vikki Mills	
5.	Sabina Emmanuel	
Reserves		
	Labour (4)	Liberal Democrat (2)
1.	Sandra Rhule	Emily Tester
2.	Natasha Ennin	
3.	Laura Johnson	
4.	Charlie Smith	
Contact Officer – Beverley Olamijulo 020 7525 7234		

PANELS

10.COUNCIL ASSEMBLY BUSINESS PANEL – 4 places

	Labour (3)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Michael Situ	Jane Salmon
2.	Maggie Browning	
3.	Laura Johnson	
Contact Officer – Virginia Wynn-Jones 020 7525 7055		

11.CONSTITUTIONAL STEERING PANEL – 4 places

	Labour (3)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Maggie Browning	Jane Salmon
2.	Esme Hicks	
3.	Laura Johnson	
Contact Officer – Virginia Wynn-Jones 020 7525 7055		

12.PENSIONS ADVISORY PANEL – 3 places

	Labour (2)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Steph Cryan	Rachel Bentley
2.	Emily Hickson	
Contact Officer – Andrew Weir 020 7525 7222		

13. VOLUNTARY BODIES APPOINTMENT PANEL – 5 places

	Labour (4)	Liberal Democrat (1)
1.	Steph Cryan (chair)	David Watson
2.	Martin Seaton	
3.	Catherine Rose	
4.	Dora Dixon Fyle	
Contact Officer – Maria Lugangira 020 7525 7228		

14. COMMUNITY CHAMPIONS – 5 places

	Councillor	Multi-ward area
1.	Contested: Joseph Vambe David Watson	North-west
2.	Contested: Rachel Bentley Bethan Roberts	North-east
3.	Jason Ochere	West-central
4.	Sabina Emmanuel	East-central
5.	Andy Simmons	South

15. DEPUTY COMMUNITY CHAMPIONS - 5 places

	Councillor	Multi-ward area
1.	Sam Dalton	North-west
2.	Cassandra Brown	North-east
3.	Naima Ali	West-central
4.	Reggie Popoola	East-central
5.	Charlie Smith	South

MULTI-AREA WARD FORUMS**16. NORTH-WEST AREA**

	Councillor	Ward
1.	Councillor Victor Chamberlain	Borough & Bankside
2.	Councillor Irina von Weise	Borough & Bankside
3.	Councillor David Watson	Borough & Bankside
4.	Councillor Sunil Chopra	London Bridge & West Bermondsey
5.	Councillor Sam Dalton	London Bridge & West Bermondsey
6.	Councillor Emily Hickson	London Bridge & West Bermondsey
7.	Councillor Maria Linforth-Hall	St George's
8.	Councillor Graham Neale	St George's
9.	Councillor Helen Dennis	Chaucer
10.	Councillor Laura Johnson	Chaucer

11.	Councillor Joseph Vambe	Chaucer
Contact Officer – Tim Murtagh 020 7525 7187		

17. NORTH-EAST AREA

	Councillor	Wards
1.	Councillor Rachel Bentley	North Bermondsey
2.	Councillor Emily Tester	North Bermondsey
3.	Councillor Hamish McCallum	North Bermondsey
4.	Councillor Cassandra Brown	South Bermondsey
5.	Councillor Sunny Lambe	South Bermondsey
6.	Councillor Leo Pollak	South Bermondsey
7.	Councillor Stephanie Cryan	Rotherhithe
8.	Councillor Bethan Roberts	Rotherhithe
9.	Councillor Kath Whittam	Rotherhithe
10.	Councillor Adam Hood	Surrey Docks
11.	Councillor Nick Johnson	Surrey Docks
12.	Councillor Jane Salmon	Surrey Docks
Contact Officer – Gerald Gohler 020 7525 7420		

18. WEST CENTRAL AREA

	Councillor	Wards
1.	Councillor Rebecca Lury	North Walworth
2.	Councillor Darren Merrill	North Walworth
3.	Councillor Martin Seaton	North Walworth
4.	Councillor John Batteson	Newington
5.	Councillor Natasha Ennin	Newington
6.	Councillor Alice Macdonald	Newington
7.	Councillor Suzanne Abachor	Camberwell Green
8.	Councillor Dora Dixon-Fyle	Camberwell Green
9.	Councillor Kieron Williams	Camberwell Green
10.	Councillor Radha Burgess	St Giles
11.	Councillor Jason Ochere	St Giles
12.	Councillor Ian Wingfield	St Giles
13.	Councillor Sam Foster	Faraday
14.	Councillor Ketzia Harper	Faraday
15.	Councillor Kimberly McIntosh	Faraday
Contact Officer Tim Murtagh – 020 7525 7187		

19. EAST CENTRAL AREA

	Member	Wards
1.	Councillor Evelyn Akoto	Old Kent Road
2.	Councillor Richard Livingstone	Old Kent Road
3.	Councillor Michael Situ	Old Kent Road
4.	Councillor Sabina Emmanuel	Peckham
5.	Councillor Barrie Hargrove	Peckham
6.	Councillor Cleo Soanes	Peckham
7.	Councillor Jasmine Ali	Rye Lane
8.	Councillor Esme Dobson	Rye Lane
9.	Councillor Chloe Tomlinson	Rye Lane
10.	Councillor Gavin Edwards	Nunhead & Queen's Road
11.	Councillor Reginald Popoola	Nunhead & Queen's Road
12.	Councillor Sandra Rhule	Nunhead & Queen's Road
13.	Councillor Renata Hamvas	Peckham Rye
14.	Councillor Vicky Mills	Peckham Rye
Contact Officer – Gerald Gohler 020 7525 7420		

20. SOUTH AREA

	Member	Wards
1.	Councillor Esme Hicks	Champion Hill
2.	Councillor Sarah King	Champion Hill
3.	Councillor James McAsh	Goose Green
4.	Councillor Portia Mwangangye	Goose Green
5.	Councillor Charlie Smith	Goose Green
6.	Councillor Maggie Browning	Dulwich Hill
7.	Councillor John Hartley	Dulwich Hill
8.	Councillor Richard Leeming	Dulwich Village
9.	Councillor Margy Newens	Dulwich Village
10.	Councillor Catherine Rose	Dulwich Wood
11.	Councillor Andy Simmons	Dulwich Wood
Contact Officer – Beverley Olamijulo 020 7525 7234		

CABINET (LIVESEY TRUST) COMMITTEE

	Member	
1.	Jasmine Ali (Chair)	
2.	Martin Seaton	
3.	Evelyn Akoto	
4.	Councillor Stephanie Cryan	
5.	Councillor James McAsh	
Contact Officer – Tim Murtagh 020 7525 7187		

21.BETTER PLACED JOINT COMMITTEE (LAMBETH, LEWISHAM AND SOUTHWARK)

	Member	
1.	Kieron Williams	
Reserve		
1.	Martin Seaton	
Contact Officer – Maria Lugangira 020 7525 7228		

SOUTHWARK COUNCIL**COUNCIL ASSEMBLY****(ANNUAL MEETING)****SATURDAY 20 MAY 2023**

**COUNCIL ASSEMBLY APPOINTMENTS
NOMINATIONS FOR CHAIRS AND VICE-CHAIRS
2023-24**

1. APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEEElection of Chair

Labour Nomination	Councillor Kieron Williams
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	-
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Election of Vice-Chair

Labour Nomination	Councillor
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	-
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2. AUDIT, GOVERNANCE AND STANDARDS COMMITTEEElection of Chair

Labour Nomination	Councillor Barrie Hargrove
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	-
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Election of Vice-Chair

Labour Nomination	-
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	Councillor Graham Neale
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3. CORPORATE PARENTING COMMITTEEElection of Chair

Councillor Jasmine Ali

Appointment of the cabinet member with the responsibility for children's services to be formally noted.

Election of Vice-Chair

Labour Nomination -

Liberal Democrat Nomination -

4. HEALTH AND WELL BEING BOARD

Note: In accordance with committee procedure rules, the board is chaired by the leader.

5. LICENSING COMMITTEE

Election of Chair

Labour Nomination Councillor Renata Hamvas

Liberal Democrat Nomination -

Election of Vice-Chair

Labour Nomination -

Liberal Democrat Nomination Councillor Jane Salmon

6. OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Election of Chair

Labour Nomination Councillor Ian Wingfield

Liberal Democrat Nomination Councillor Irina von Wiese

Election of Vice-Chair

Labour Nomination -

Liberal Democrat Nomination Councillor Irina von Wiese

7. PLANNING COMMITTEE AElection of Chair

Labour Nomination	Councillor Richard Livingstone
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	-
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Election of Vice-Chair

Labour Nomination	Councillor Kath Whittam
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	-
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8. PLANNING COMMITTEE BElection of Chair

Labour Nomination	Councillor Richard Livingstone
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	-
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Election of Vice-Chair

Labour Nomination	Councillor Kath Whittam
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	Councillor Emily Tester
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9. PLANNING SMALL APPLICATIONS COMMITTEEElection of Chair

Labour Nomination	Councillor Cleo Soanes
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	-
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Election of Vice-Chair

Labour Nomination	-
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Liberal Democrat Nomination	Councillor Jane Salmon
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10. COMMUNITY CHAMPIONS

North-west multi ward area

Labour Nomination	Councillor Joseph Vambe
Liberal Democrat Nomination	Councillor David Watson

North-west multi ward area deputy

Labour Nomination	Councillor Sam Dalton
Liberal Democrat Nomination	-

North-east multi ward area

Labour Nomination	Councillor Bethan Roberts
Liberal Democrat Nomination	Councillor Rachel Bentley

North-east multi ward area deputy

Labour Nomination	Councillor Cassandra Brown
Liberal Democrat Nomination	-

West Central multi ward area

Labour Nomination	Councillor Jason Ochere
Liberal Democrat Nomination	-

West Central multi ward area deputy

Labour Nomination	Councillor Naima Ali
Liberal Democrat Nomination	-

East Central multi ward area

Labour Nomination Councillor Sabina Emmanuel

Liberal Democrat Nomination -

East Central multi ward area deputy

Labour Nomination Councillor Reginald Popoola

Liberal Democrat Nomination -

South multi ward area

Labour Nomination Councillor Andy Simmons

Liberal Democrat Nomination -

South multi ward area deputy

Labour Nomination Councillor Charlie Smith

Liberal Democrat Nomination -

11. PANELS**Council Assembly Business Panel**

Mayor Councillor Michael Situ

Constitutional Steering Panel

Councillor Maggie Browning

Voluntary Bodies Appointments Panel**Election of Chair**

Labour Nomination Councillor

Note: Nominations for the Local Government Association General Assembly and London Councils will be circulated separately

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

20 MAY 2023

Item 4 – Scrutiny arrangements for 2023-24

Motion

Moved: Councillor

Seconded: Councillor

1. That the size and composition of the overview and scrutiny committee as agreed by council assembly – detailed below be noted (Note: Chair and Vice-Chair positions agreed by council assembly).

Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Membership

	Labour (9)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	Ian Wingfield (Chair)	Victor Chamberlain
2.	Margy Newens	Irina von Wiese (vice chair)
3.	Chloe Tomlinson	
4.	Ellie Cumbo	
5.	Suzanne Abachor	
6	Laura Johnson	
7	Sunny Lambe	
8	Jon Hartley	
9	Bethan Roberts	
Reserves		
	Labour (9)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	Sarah King	Rachel Bentley
2.	Sandra Rhule	Jane Salmon
3.	Cleo Soanes	
4.	Sam Dalton	
5.	Andy Simmons	
6.	Sunil Chopra	
7.	Sam Foster	
8.	Esme Hicks	
9.		
Voting co-optee places (4) (Able to vote on Education Function related issues only)		
1.	Church of England Diocese representative	Tbc
2.	Roman Catholic Diocese representative	Tbc

3.	Elected Parent governor representative x2	Tbc
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Remit: As set out in paragraph 6.1 of the constitution, with specific scrutiny responsibility in respect of:

- Council's policy and budget framework
- Regeneration
- Human Resources and the council's role as an employer and corporate practice generally
- Customer access issues, including digital strategy, information technology and communications
- The council's equalities and diversity programmes

2. That scrutiny commissions be established as set out below for the 2023-24 municipal year, with the chairs and vice-chairs as listed (pages 2 to 4). The Health and Social Care Scrutiny commission to be given responsibility for Health matters, and the Housing and Community Safety Scrutiny commission to be given responsibility for Crime and Disorder matters.

(Remits: Each commission will have within their remit, oversight responsibility for the areas reflected in their titles. Detail of the specific areas of responsibility to be drawn from the cabinet member portfolios following the meeting.

As and when required, the Overview and scrutiny committee may call upon a commission to undertake a piece of work that does not necessarily sit with another commission's identified remit of responsibility.)

Education and Local Economy Scrutiny Commission

Seven seats: 5 Labour / 2 Liberal Democrats (4 Co-optees)

	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	Chloe Tomlinson	Rachel Bentley
2.	Jason Ochere	Irina von Wiese
3.	Joseph Vambe	
4.	John Batteson	
5.	Renata Hamvas	
Reserves		
	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	Maggie Browning	Adam Hood
2.	Bethan Roberts	
3.	Laura Johnson	
4.	Victoria Mills	
5.	Sunil Chopra	

Voting Co-optee places		
1.	Church of England Diocese representative	Tbc
2.	Roman Catholic Diocese representative	Tbc
3.	Elected Parent Governor representatives x 2	Tbc
Non-Voting Co-optee places		
	To be considered at the discretion of the commission	

Environment and Community Engagement Scrutiny Commission

Seven seats: 5 Labour / 2 Liberal Democrats

	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	Margy Newens	Graham Neale (vice chair)
2.	Cassandra Brown	David Watson
3.	Leo Pollak	
4.	Reggie Popoola	
5.	Ketzia Harper	
Reserves		
	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	John Batteson	Rachel Bentley
2.	Kimberly McIntosh	Adam Hood
3.	Natasha Ennin	
4.	Gavin Edwards	
5.	Renata Hamvas	
Non-voting co-opted places		
	To be considered at the discretion of the commission	

Health and Social Care Scrutiny Commission

Seven seats: 5 Labour / 2 Liberal Democrats

	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	Suzanne Abachor	Nick Johnson
2.	Richard Leeming	Maria Linforth-Hall (vice chair)
3.	Esme Dobson	
4.	Sandra Rhule	
5.	Sam Dalton	
Reserves		

	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	Kath Whittam	Victor Chamberlain
2.	Naima Ali	David Watson
3.	Charlie Smith	
4.	Sunil Chopra	
5.	Sabina Emmanuel	
Non Voting Co-opted places		
	To be considered at the discretion of the commission	

Housing and Community Safety Scrutiny Commission

Seven seats: 5 Labour / 2 Liberal Democrats (3 Co-opted places)

	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	Ellie Cumbo	Jane Salmon
2.	Barrie Hargrove	Emily Tester
3.	Esme Hicks	
4.	Sam Foster	
5.	Kim McIntosh	
Reserves		
	Labour (5)	Liberal Democrats (2)
1.	Portia Mwangangye	Adam Hood
2.	Sam Dalton	Hamish McCallum
3.	Joseph Vambe	
4.	Ketzia Harper	
5.	Cleo Soanes	
Non-voting co-opted places (3)		
1.	Tenants Forum	Tbc
2.	Homeowners Forum	Tbc
3.	Southwark Tenant Management Organisations Committee	Tbc
	Additional non-voting co-opted places to be considered at the discretion of the commission	

3. Nominations to Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committees

- South East London Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (2 places)
Labour – Councillor Suzanne Abachor
Liberal Democrats –

4. Indicative work programme topics 2023-24

Any proposed work programme topics for 2023-24 as listed (if blank, then no topics are being proposed).

Appendix 1

Currently agreed calendar of meetings for planning committees 2023-2024

	May 2023	June 2023	July 2023	Aug 2023	Sep 2023	Oct 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2023	Jan 2024	Feb 2024	Mar 2024	Apr 2024	May 2024
Planning Committee (14 meetings pa)	Sat 20 ££	Tue 6	Tue 18		Wed 13	Tue 3	Tue 7 and Tue 28	Tue 12	Tue 9 and Tue 16 and Wed 31	Tue 20	Wed 6 and Wed 27	Tue 16	Wed 22 or Sat 1 June
Planning Sub-Committee A (6 meetings pa)			Tue 5			Mon 2	Tue 14		Wed 24		Wed 13	Mon 15	
Planning Sub-Committee B (6 meetings pa)		Tue 13			Mon 11	Wed 18		Mon 4		Tue 27	Tue 26		

Revised proposed calendar of meetings for planning committees 2023-2024

	May 2023	June 2023	July 2023	Aug 2023	Sep 2023	Oct 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2023	Jan 2024	Feb 2024	Mar 2024	Apr 2024	May 2024
Planning Committee A (7 meetings pa)		Tue 6	Tue 18			Tue 3	Tue 28		Tue 16	Tue 20	Wed 27	Mon 29	
Planning Committee B (7 meetings pa)		Wed 14 (additional date)			Wed 13		Tue 7	Tue 12	Wed 31		Wed 6	Tue 16	
Planning Committee (Smaller Applications) (8 meeting pa)		Tue 13	Tue 5		Mon 11		Tue 14	Mon 4	Wed 24		Wed 13	Mon 15	

SOUTHWARK COUNCIL

COUNCIL ASSEMBLY

(ANNUAL MEETING)

SATURDAY 21 MAY 2022

COUNCIL ASSEMBLY APPOINTMENTS NOMINATIONS REPRESENTATIVES TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION (LGA) GENERAL ASSEMBLY 2021-22

Representative	No. of votes Group	
Councillor Kieron Williams	3	Labour
Councillor Jasmine Ali	3	Labour
Councillor Victor Chamberlain	1	Liberal Democrat

**LONDON COUNCILS COMMITTEES,
GREATER LONDON EMPLOYMENT FORUM AND
BOROUGH LEAD MEMBERS 2021-22**

1. LONDON COUNCILS LEADERS' COMMITTEE (\$101 JOINT COMMITTEE)

Note: Council Assembly may only nominate cabinet members as representatives or deputies to this joint committee.

1 representative and up to 2 deputies

Labour nomination

Councillor Kieron Williams

Deputies

Labour nominations

Councillor Jasmine Ali

2. LONDON COUNCILS TRANSPORT AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE (\$101 ASSOCIATED JOINT COMMITTEE)

Note: Council Assembly may only nominate cabinet members as representatives or deputies to this joint committee.

1 representative and up to 4 deputies

Labour nomination

Councillor Catherine Rose

Deputies

Labour nominations

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3. LONDON COUNCILS GRANTS COMMITTEE (ASSOCIATED JOINT COMMITTEE)

Note: Council Assembly may only nominate cabinet members as representatives or deputies to this joint committee

1 representative and up to 4 deputies

Labour nomination

Councillor Alice Macdonald

Deputies

Labour nominations -

4. LONDON LGBS COMMON INVESTMENT VEHICLE (CIV) LIMITED1 representative and up to 2 deputies

Labour nomination Councillor Stephanie Cryan

Deputy

Labour nomination -

5. GREATER LONDON EMPLOYMENT FORUM1 representative and 1 deputy

Labour nomination Councillor Stephanie Cryan

Deputy

Labour nomination -

6. LONDON COUNCILS BOROUGH LEAD MEMBER – ARTS/CULTURE, TOURISM, SPORT AND LEISURE

Labour nomination Councillor Alice Macdonald

7. LONDON COUNCILS BOROUGH LEAD MEMBER – CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE/SAFEGUARDING AND SCHOOLS

Labour nomination Councillor Jasmine Ali

8. LONDON COUNCILS BOROUGH LEAD MEMBER – CRIME AND PUBLIC PROTECTION

Labour nomination Councillor Dora Dixon-Fyle

9. LONDON COUNCILS BOROUGH LEAD MEMBER – ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT/BUSINESS

Labour nomination Councillor Martin Seaton

10. LONDON COUNCILS BOROUGH LEAD MEMBER – FINANCE AND CORPORATE SERVICES

Labour nomination Councillor Stephanie Cryan

11. LONDON COUNCILS BOROUGH LEAD MEMBER – HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE INCLUDING ADULT SERVICES

Labour nomination

Councillor Evelyn Akoto

12. LONDON COUNCILS BOROUGH LEAD MEMBER – HOUSING AND REGENERATION

Labour nomination

Councillor Darren Merrill

13. LONDON COUNCILS BOROUGH LEAD MEMBER – PLANNING/ INFRASTRUCTURE/DEVELOPMENT

Labour nomination

Councillor Helen Dennis

14. LONDON COUNCILS BOROUGH LEAD MEMBER – SKILLS AND EMPLOYMENT

Labour nomination

Councillor Martin Seaton

15. LONDON COUNCILS LIMITED

1 representative

Labour nomination

Councillor Kieron Williams