

Cabinet

Tuesday 6 January 2026

11.00 am

Ground floor meeting rooms, 160 Tooley Street, London SE1 2QH

Membership

Councillor Sarah King (Chair)
Councillor Jasmine Ali

Councillor Evelyn Akoto
Councillor John Batteson

Councillor Stephanie Cryan

Councillor Ellie Cumbo
Councillor Helen Dennis

Councillor Natasha Ennin

Councillor James McAsh

Councillor Portia Mwangangye

Portfolio

Leader of the Council
Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Children, Education and Refugees
Cabinet Member for Health and Wellbeing
Cabinet Member for Climate Emergency, Jobs and Business
Cabinet Member for Equalities, Democracy and Finance
Cabinet Member for Parks and Culture
Cabinet Member for New Homes and Sustainable Development
Cabinet Member for Community Safety and Neighbourhoods
Cabinet Member for Clean Air, Streets and Waste
Cabinet Member for Council Homes

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Members of the committee are summoned to attend this meeting

Althea Loderick

Chief Executive

Date: 18 December 2025



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PART A - OPEN BUSINESS

MOBILE PHONES

Mobile phones should be turned off or put on silent during the course of the meeting.

1. APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies for absence.

2. NOTIFICATION OF ANY ITEMS OF BUSINESS WHICH THE CHAIR DEEMS URGENT

In special circumstances, an item of business may be added to an agenda within five clear working days of the meeting.

3. NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONDUCT BUSINESS IN A CLOSED MEETING, AND ANY REPRESENTATIONS RECEIVED

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To note the items specified which will be considered in a closed meeting.

4. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS

Members to declare any interests and dispensations in respect of any item of business to be considered at this meeting.

5. MINUTES

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To approve as a correct record the minutes of the open section of the meeting held on 2 December 2025.

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6.	PUBLIC QUESTION TIME (15 MINUTES)	
	To receive any questions from members of the public which have been submitted in advance of the meeting in accordance with the cabinet procedure rules. The deadline for the receipt of public questions is midnight Tuesday 23 December 2025.	
7.	DEPUTATION REQUESTS	
	To consider any deputation requests. The deadline for the receipt of deputation requests is midnight Tuesday 23 December 2025.	
8.	SOCIAL PURPOSE OF LAND FRAMEWORK	29 - 147
	To approve the implementation of the Social Purpose of Land Framework ('the Framework') pilot phase on four council-identified sites.	
9.	LOCAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME 2026-2029	148 - 157
	To adopt the Local Development Scheme ("LDS") and note the commencement of a full review of the Southwark Plan in 2026, following the adoption of the LDS.	
10.	HOUSING REVENUE ACCOUNT (HRA) - FINAL RENT AND CHARGES REPORT 2026-27	To follow
	To approve the housing revenue account budget and rent setting for 2026-27.	
11.	THE COUNCIL TAX BASE FOR 2026-27	158 - 168
	To approve the council tax base 2026-27	
12.	GATEWAY 3 - VARIATION DECISION: PARKS GROUNDS MAINTENANCE CONTRACT EXTENSION	169 - 198
	To approve the variation of the grounds maintenance contract.	
13.	SENIOR RESOURCES LEADERSHIP TEAM STRUCTURE	199 - 208
	To approve the proposed changes to the resources senior leadership structure.	

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

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

The following items are included on the closed section of the agenda. The Proper Officer has decided that the papers should not be circulated to the press and public since they reveal confidential or exempt information as specified in paragraphs 1-7, Access to Information Procedure Rules of the Constitution. The specific paragraph is indicated in the case of exempt information.

The following motion should be moved, seconded and approved if the cabinet 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. “

PART B - CLOSED BUSINESS

14. MINUTES

To approve as a correct the closed minutes of the meeting held on 2 December 2025.

15. GATEWAY 3 - VARIATION DECISION: PARKS GROUNDS MAINTENANCE CONTRACT EXTENSION

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

Date: 18 December 2025