

Meeting Name:	Cabinet
Date:	22 July 2024
Report title:	Deputation requests
Cabinet Member:	Not applicable
Ward(s) or groups affected:	All
Classification:	Open
Reason for lateness (if applicable):	Not applicable
From:	Proper Constitutional Officer

RECOMMENDATION

1. That cabinet considers whether or not to hear deputation request from AGE UK as part of the London Loos campaign.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

2. When considering whether to hear deputation requests, cabinet can decide:
3. To receive the deputation at this meeting or a future meeting; or
 - That the deputation not be received (if the matter is not dealt with by cabinet, the matter shall be referred without debate to the relevant cabinet member who shall after consideration, respond with an open reply to the sender); or
 - To refer the deputation to the most appropriate committee/sub-committee.
4. A deputation shall consist of no more than six people, including its spokesperson. Only one member of the deputation shall be allowed to address the meeting for no longer than five minutes. After this time cabinet members may ask questions of the deputation for up to five minutes. At the conclusion of the questions, the deputation will be shown to the public area where they may listen to the remainder of the open section of the meeting.

KEY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION

5. The deadline for receipt of deputation requests for this cabinet meeting was midnight 16 July 2024. The request was received before this constitutional deadline.

Deputation request from AGE UK as part of the London Loos campaign

6. The deputation is made by AGE UK who coordinate the Loos for Southwark group as part of the London Loos campaign. The group are made up of older Southwark residents calling for improvements to public toilets provision in Southwark and have previously presented a deputation to cabinet 5 December 2023.
7. The deputation would like to make the following points as part of their deputation request to cabinet 22 July:
 - To welcome the health and social care scrutiny commission report – access to toilets (item 25 on this cabinet agenda)
 - To explain why the topic is so important and to welcome cabinet engaging positive with the report.

BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

Background Papers	Held At	Contact
Cabinet procedure rule 2.12 on deputations:	160 Tooley Street London SE1 2QH	Paula.thornton@southwark.gov.uk
Link (copy and paste into browser): http://moderngov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/s80630/Cabinet%20procedure%20rules%20November%202016.pdf		

APPENDICES

No.	Title
None	

AUDIT TRAIL

Lead Officer	Chidilim Agada, Head of Constitutional and Members Services	
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CONSULTATION WITH OTHER OFFICERS / DIRECTORATES / CABINET MEMBER		
Officer Title	Comments sought	Comments included
Assistant Chief Executive, Governance and Assurance	No	No
Strategic Director of Finance	No	No
Cabinet Member	No	No
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