

OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

**Monday, 24 January 2022 at 6.30 p.m., Room C1, 1st Floor, Town Hall,
Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, London, E14 2BG**

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Chair: Councillor Mohammed Pappu

Vice Chair: Councillor Bex White

Councillor Faroque Ahmed

Councillor Marc Francis

Councillor Ehtasham Haque

Councillor Denise Jones

Councillor Gabriela Salva Macallan

Councillor Leema Qureshi

Councillor Andrew Wood

Scrutiny Lead for Children and Education

Scrutiny Lead for Community Safety

Scrutiny Lead for Housing and Regeneration

Scrutiny Lead for Health and Adults

Scrutiny Lead for Resources and Finance

Co-opted Members:

Halima Islam

1 Vacant Post

Co-Optee

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Deputies:

Councillor Peter Golds, Councillor Zenith Rahman, Councillor Shah Ameen and Councillor Kevin Brady

[The quorum for this body is 3 voting Members]

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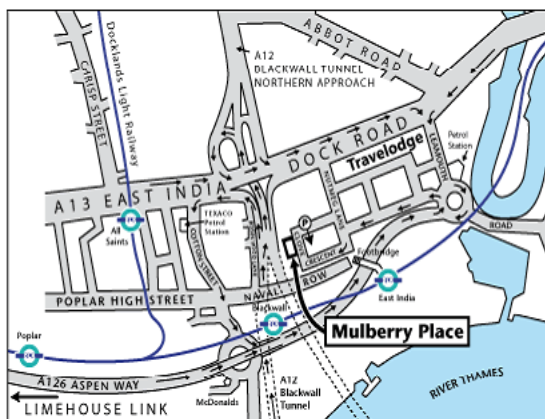
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SECTION ONE	WARD	PAGE NUMBER(S)
1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE		
To receive any apologies for absence.		
2. DECLARATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTEREST AND OTHER INTERESTS		7 - 8
<p>Members are reminded to consider the categories of interest in the Code of Conduct for Members to determine whether they have an interest in any agenda item and any action they should take. For further details, please see the attached note from the Monitoring Officer.</p> <p>Members are reminded to declare the nature of the interest and the agenda item it relates to. Please note that ultimately it's the Members' responsibility to declare any interests form and to update their register of interest form as required by the Code.</p> <p>If in doubt as to the nature of your interest, you are advised to seek advice prior to the meeting by contacting the Monitoring Officer or Democratic Services</p>		
3. REQUESTS TO SUBMIT PETITIONS		
To receive any petitions (to be notified at the meeting).		
4. REPORT/PRESENTATION FOR CONSIDERATION		
4 .1 The Council's 2022-23 Budget Report and Medium Term Financial Strategy 2022-25	All Wards	
<p>The Committee is asked to review the Council's 2022-23 Budget Report and Medium-Term Financial Strategy 2022-25</p> <p>Members are asked to refer to the report included in the Tower Hamlets Council - Agenda for Cabinet on Tuesday, 18th January, 2022, 5.30 p.m.</p>		

4.2 Fees and Charges 2022-23

All Wards

To review the proposed changes to fees and charges across the Council for the financial year 2022-23.

Members are asked to refer to the report included in the [Tower Hamlets Council - Agenda for Cabinet on Tuesday, 18th January, 2022, 5.30 p.m.](#)

5. ANY OTHER UNRESTRICTED BUSINESS WHICH THE CHAIR CONSIDERS TO BE URGENT

To consider any other unrestricted business that the Chair considers to be urgent.

6. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

In view of the contents of the remaining items on the agenda the Committee is recommended to adopt the following motion:

“That, under the provisions of Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972, as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, the press and public be excluded from the remainder of the meeting for the consideration of the Section Two business on the grounds that it contains information defined as Exempt in Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act, 1972.”

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SECTION TWO

7. ANY OTHER EXEMPT/ CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIR CONSIDERS URGENT

To consider any other exempt/ confidential business that the Chair considers to be urgent.

Next Meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Monday, 7 February 2022 at 6.30 p.m. to be held in Room C1, 1st Floor, Town Hall,
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