

# COMMISSIONERS' DECISION MAKING MEETING

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Wednesday, 27 May 2015 at 6.30 p.m.

C1, 1st Floor, Town Hall, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, London,  
E14 2BG

The meeting is open to the public to attend.

**Members:**

Sir Ken Knight (Chair)	(Commissioner)
Chris Allison (Member)	(Commissioner)
Max Caller (Member)	(Commissioner)
Alan Wood (Member)	(Commissioner)

**Public Information:**

The public are welcome to attend these meetings.

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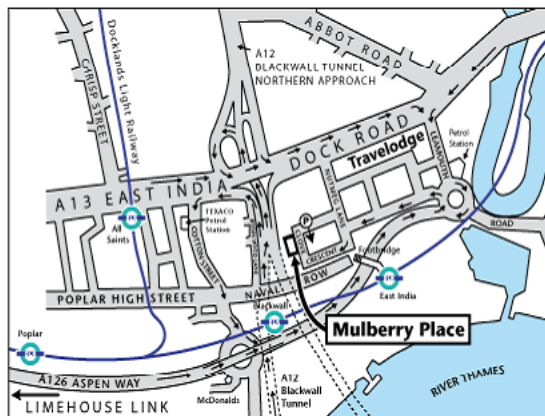
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## A Guide to Commissioner Decision Making

### **Commissioner Decision Making at Tower Hamlets**

As directed by the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government, the above Commissioners have been directed to take decision making responsibility for specific areas of work. These include examples such as the disposal of properties, awarding of grants and certain officer employment functions. This decision making body has been set up to enable the Commissioners to take their decisions in public in a similar manner to existing processes.

### **Key Decisions**

Executive decisions are all decisions that are not specifically reserved for other bodies (such as Development or Licensing Committees). Most, but not all, of the decisions to be taken by the Commissioners are Executive decisions. Certain important Executive decisions are classified as **Key Decisions**.

The constitution describes Key Decisions as an executive decision which is likely

- a) to result in the local authority incurring expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, significant having regard to the local authority's budget for the service or function to which the decision relates; or
- b) to be significant in terms of its effects on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards in the borough.

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### **Published Decisions**

After the meeting, any decisions taken will be published on the Council's website.

- The decisions for this meeting will be published on: **Friday, 29 May 2015**

**LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS**  
**COMMISSIONERS' DECISION MAKING MEETING**

**WEDNESDAY, 27 MAY 2015**

**6.30 p.m.**

**1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

**2. DECLARATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS  
(Pages 1 - 4)**

To note any declarations of interest, including those restricting voting on the questions detailed in Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act, 1992. See attached note from the Monitoring Officer.

**3. DECISIONS OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

To note the decisions of the previous meeting(s).  
(Document to follow)

**4. CONSIDERATION OF PUBLIC SUBMISSIONS**

Consideration of any comments received from members of the public in relation to any of the reports on the agenda.

[Any submissions should be sent to the clerk listed on the agenda front page by 5pm the day before the meeting]

**5. REPORTS FOR CONSIDERATION**

<b>5.1</b>	<b>Early Learning for 2 Year Olds</b>	<b>5 - 20</b>	<b>All Wards</b>
<b>5.2</b>	<b>Stairway to Heaven - Grant Application</b>	<b>21 - 28</b>	<b>Bethnal Green</b>
<b>5.3</b>	<b>Tower Hamlets Community Fund</b>	<b>29 - 66</b>	<b>All Wards</b>
<b>5.4</b>	<b>One Tower Hamlets Fund</b>	<b>67 - 90</b>	<b>All Wards</b>
<b>5.5</b>	<b>Independent Living Fund</b>	<b>91 - 98</b>	<b>All Wards</b>
<b>5.6</b>	<b>Review of Discretionary Awards Recipients for the Academic Year 2014/15</b>	<b>99 - 138</b>	<b>All Wards</b>

