

OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Monday, 9 May 2016 at 7.15 p.m., Idea Store Whitechapel, 321
Whitechapel Road, London E1 1BU

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Members:

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Councillor Md. Maium Miah

Councillor Oliur Rahman

Councillor Helal Uddin

Scrutiny Lead for Adult Health and Wellbeing

Scrutiny Lead for Law Probity and Governance

Scrutiny Lead for Communities, Localities &
Culture

Scrutiny Lead for Resources

Scrutiny Lead for Development and Renewal

Co-opted Members:

Nozrul Mustafa

Victoria Ekubia

Dr Phillip Rice

1 Vacancy

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(Parent Governor Representative)

(Roman Catholic Church Representative)

(Church of England Representative)

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Deputies:

Councillor Muhammad Ansar Mustaquim, Councillor Khales Uddin Ahmed, Councillor Shah Alam, Councillor Dave Chesterton and Councillor Candida Ronald

[The quorum for this body is 3 voting Members]

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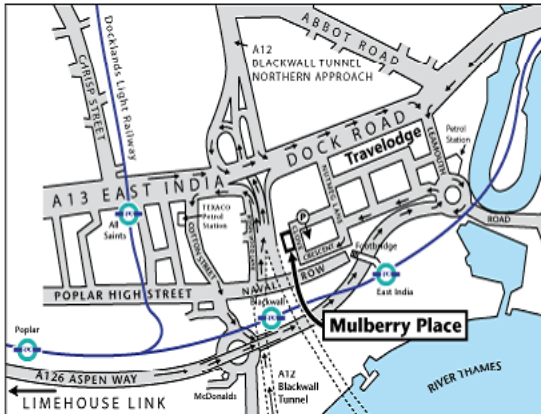
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| 1. | APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE | | |
| | To receive any apologies for absence. | | |
| 2. | DECLARATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTEREST | | 1 - 4 |
| | To note any declarations of interest made by Members, including those restricting Members from voting on the questions detailed in Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act, 1992. | | |
| 3. | UNRESTRICTED MINUTES | All Wards | 5 - 14 |
| | To confirm as a correct record of the proceedings the unrestricted minutes of the meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 4 th April, 2016. | | |
| 4. | OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY ACTION NOTES 2016-17 | All Wards | 15 - 20 |
| | The Committee is asked to note and comment on the attached Action Notes. | | |
| 5. | FUTURE DECISIONS | All Wards | 21 - 32 |
| | The 'future decisions' schedule contains item in the Forward Plan for consideration by the Committee. | | |
| 6. | REQUESTS TO SUBMIT PETITIONS | | |
| | To receive any petitions (to be notified at the meeting). | | |
| 7. | UNRESTRICTED REPORTS 'CALLED IN' | | |
| | Nil items | | |
| 8. | PRE-DECISION SCRUTINY OF UNRESTRICTED CABINET PAPERS | All Wards | 33 - 34 |
| | To consider and agree pre-decision scrutiny questions/comments to be presented to Cabinet. (Time allocated – 30 minutes). | | |
| 9. | SCRUTINY SPOTLIGHT | | |
| | Nil Items | | |
| 10. | UNRESTRICTED REPORTS FOR CONSIDERATION | | |
| 10 .1 | Poplar Town Hall | All Wards | 35 - 50 |

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| 10 .2 | Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report | All Wards | 51 - 66 |
| 10 .3 | Establishment of Housing Scrutiny Panel | All Wards | 67 - 78 |
| 10 .4 | Challenge Session Report - Children's Social, Emotional and Mental Health (SEMH) provision in Tower Hamlets | All Wards | 79 - 104 |
| 10 .5 | Review of Special Educational Need (SEN) and associated services in the London Borough of Tower Hamlets | All Wards | 105 - 110 |

11. VERBAL UPDATES FROM SCRUTINY LEADS

(Time allocated – 5 minutes each)

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

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

13. 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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14. EXEMPT/ CONFIDENTIAL MINUTES

Nil items

15. EXEMPT/ CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS 'CALLED IN'

Nil items

**16. PRE-DECISION SCRUTINY OF EXEMPT/
CONFIDENTIAL) CABINET PAPERS**

To consider and agree pre-decision scrutiny questions/comments to be presented to Cabinet.

(Time allocated 15 minutes).

**17. 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

Tuesday, 7 June 2016 at 7.15 p.m. to be held in Idea Store Whitechapel, 321 Whitechapel Road, London E1 1BU