

# CABINET

## MAYOR

Mayor John Biggs

## CABINET MEMBERS

Councillor Sirajul Islam	(Statutory Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Housing)
Councillor Rachel Blake	(Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Regeneration and Air Quality)
Councillor Asma Begum	(Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Community Safety and Equalities)
Councillor Amina Ali	(Cabinet Member for Culture, Arts and Brexit)
Councillor David Edgar	(Cabinet Member for Environment)
Councillor Danny Hassell	(Cabinet Member for Children, Schools and Young People)
Councillor Denise Jones	(Cabinet Member for Adults, Health and Wellbeing)
Councillor Candida Ronald	(Cabinet Member for Resources and the Voluntary Sector)
Councillor Motin Uz-Zaman	(Cabinet Member for Work and Economic Growth)

[The quorum for Cabinet is 3 Members]

## MEETING DETAILS

**Wednesday, 24 April 2019 at 4.00 p.m.**  
**C1, 1st Floor, Town Hall, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, London, E14 2BG**

**The meeting is open to the public to attend.**

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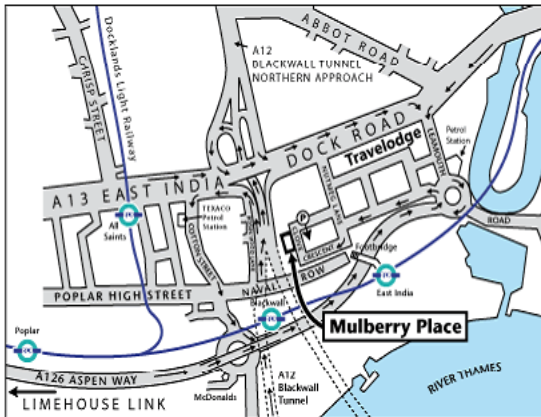
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## A Guide to CABINET

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

As Tower Hamlets operates the Directly Elected Mayor system, **Mayor John Biggs** holds Executive powers and takes decisions at Cabinet or through Individual Mayoral Decisions. The Mayor has appointed nine Councillors to advise and support him and they, with him, form the Cabinet. Their details are set out on the front of the agenda.

### **Which decisions are taken by Cabinet?**

Executive decisions are all decisions that aren't specifically reserved for other bodies (such as Development or Licensing Committees). In particular, Executive Key Decisions are taken by the Mayor either at Cabinet or as Individual Mayoral 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.

Upcoming Key Decisions are published on the website on the 'Forthcoming Decisions' page through [www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/committee](http://www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/committee)

### **Published Decisions and Call-Ins**

Once the meeting decisions have been published, any 5 Councillors may submit a Call-In to the Service Head, Democratic Services requesting that a decision be reviewed. This halts the decision until it has been reconsidered.

- The decisions will be published on: **Friday, 26 April 2019**
- The deadline for call-ins is: **Friday, 3 May 2019**

Any Call-Ins will be considered at the next meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee. The Committee can reject the call-in or they can agree it and refer the decision back to the Mayor, with their recommendations, for his final consideration.

### **Public Engagement at Cabinet**

The main focus of Cabinet is as a decision-making body. However there is an opportunity for the public to contribute through making submissions that specifically relate to the reports set out on the agenda.

Members of the public may make written submissions in any form (for example; Petitions, letters, written questions) to the Clerk to Cabinet (details on the front page) by 5 pm the day before the meeting.

# LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS

## CABINET

WEDNESDAY, 24 APRIL 2019

4.00 p.m.

	<b>Pages</b>
<b>1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</b>	
To receive any apologies for absence.	
<b>2. DECLARATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS</b>	<b>9 - 12</b>
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. See attached note from the Monitoring Officer.	
<b>3. UNRESTRICTED MINUTES</b>	<b>13 - 20</b>
The unrestricted minutes of the Cabinet meeting held on 27 March 2019 are presented for approval.	
<b>4. ANNOUNCEMENTS (IF ANY) FROM THE MAYOR</b>	
<b>5. OVERVIEW &amp; SCRUTINY COMMITTEE</b>	
<b>5.1 Chair's Advice of Key Issues or Questions</b>	
Chair of Overview and Scrutiny Committee (OSC) to report on any issues raised by the OSC in relation to unrestricted business to be considered.	
<b>5.2 Any Unrestricted Decisions "Called in" by the Overview &amp; Scrutiny Committee</b>	
(Under provisions of Article 6 Para 6.02 V of the Constitution).	

## 6. UNRESTRICTED REPORTS FOR CONSIDERATION

<b>6 .1</b>	<b>Gangs and Serious Youth Violence Scrutiny Review Action Plan</b>	<b>21 - 70</b>
<p><b>Report Summary:</b> This item provides the report and actions taken to address the recommendations made from the Scrutiny Review on the issue of Gangs and Serious Youth Violence in Tower Hamlets.</p> <p><b>Wards:</b> All Wards <b>Lead Member:</b> Cabinet Member for Children, Schools and Young People <b>Corporate Priority:</b> TH Plan 3: Strong, resilient and safe communities</p>		
<b>6 .2</b>	<b>Strategic Plan 2019-22</b>	<b>71 - 98</b>
<p><b>Report Summary:</b> To approve the Council's Strategic Plan for 2019-22</p> <p><b>Wards:</b> All Wards <b>Lead Member:</b> Mayor <b>Corporate Priority:</b> All Priorities</p>		
<b>6 .3</b>	<b>The Tower Hamlets Safeguarding Partnership (THSCP) - an Overview and Update on the new Safeguarding Children arrangements</b>	<b>99 - 150</b>
<p><b>Report Summary:</b> The Children and Social Work Act 2017 and revised statutory guidance require a new partnership body to be established to support Childrens Safeguarding. The report outlines the issues, timelines, development works and next steps for the establishment of the Tower Hamlets Safeguarding Partnership.</p> <p><b>Wards:</b> All Wards <b>Lead Member:</b> Cabinet Member for Children, Schools and Young People <b>Corporate Priority:</b> A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</p>		
<b>6 .4</b>	<b>Enforcement Policy Review</b>	<b>151 - 268</b>
<p><b>Report Summary:</b> To agree the review and update to the Council's overarching Enforcement Policy</p> <p>The report details proposed changes to the Enforcement Policy that must be published.</p> <p><b>Wards:</b> All Wards <b>Lead Member:</b> Cabinet Member for Environment <b>Corporate Priority:</b> A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</p>		

<b>6 .5</b>	<b>Growth and Economic Development Plan 2018-2023</b>	<b>269 - 316</b>
<p><b>Report Summary:</b>  This report presents the council's draft Growth and Economic Development Plan 2019-2023, which incorporates consultation feedback. The consultation on the draft Growth and Economic Development Plan ran from November 2018 to February 2019. The Tower Hamlets Growth and Economic Development Plan aims to deliver sustainable and inclusive economic growth enabling all our residents and businesses to prosper.</p> <p><b>Wards:</b> All Wards  <b>Lead Member:</b> Cabinet Member for Work and Economic Growth  <b>Corporate Priority:</b> A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</p>		

<b>6 .6</b>	<b>Adoption of statement of Community Involvement</b>	<b>317 - 378</b>
<p><b>Report Summary:</b>  The Council is required to maintain an up to date Statement of Community Involvement, setting out how we will consult on planning matters in the borough. This item is for the adoption of an updated statement of Community Involvement.</p> <p><b>Wards:</b> All Wards  <b>Lead Member:</b> Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Regeneration and Air Quality  <b>Corporate Priority:</b> A borough that our residents are proud of and love to live in</p>		

<b>6 .7</b>	<b>Nomination to Outside Bodies</b>	<b>379 - 384</b>
<p><b>Report Summary:</b>  It is the responsibility of the Mayor to nominate representatives to certain Outside Bodies on behalf of Tower Hamlets Council. This report proposes appointments to Outside Bodies for the Mayor to consider and a list of Outside Bodies for which nominations are recommended to be discontinued following the recommendation of a review by the General Purposes Committee.</p> <p><b>Wards:</b> All Wards  <b>Lead Member:</b> Mayor  <b>Corporate Priority:</b> A dynamic outcomes-based Council using digital innovation and partnership working</p>		

**7. ANY OTHER UNRESTRICTED BUSINESS CONSIDERED TO BE URGENT**

## **8. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

Should the Mayor in Cabinet consider it necessary, it is recommended that the following motion be adopted to allow consideration of any exempt/restricted documents.

“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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## **9. EXEMPT / CONFIDENTIAL MINUTES**

Nil items.

## **10. OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

### **10.1 Chair's Advice of Key Issues or Questions in Relation to Exempt / Confidential Business**

Chair of Overview and Scrutiny Committee (OSC) to report on any issues raised by the OSC in relation to exempt/confidential business to be considered.

### **10.2 Any Exempt / Confidential Decisions "Called in" by the Overview & Scrutiny Committee**

(Under provisions of Article 6 Para 6.02 V of the Constitution).

## **11. EXEMPT / CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS FOR CONSIDERATION**

## **12. ANY OTHER EXEMPT/ CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS CONSIDERED TO BE URGENT**

### **Next Meeting of the Committee:**

Wednesday, 22 May 2019 at 5.30 p.m. in C1, 1st Floor, Town Hall, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, London, E14 2BG