

Chief Executive: Dawn French

Council

- Date: Thursday, 7th December, 2017
- **Time:** 7.30 pm
- Venue: Council Chamber Council Offices, London Road, Saffron Walden, CB11 4ER

Chairman: Councillor G Sell

Members: Councillors A Anjum, K Artus, H Asker, G Barker, S Barker, R Chambers, J Davey, P Davies, A Dean, P Fairhurst, T Farthing, M Felton, M Foley, J Freeman, R Freeman, A Gerard, T Goddard, J Gordon, N Hargreaves, S Harris, E Hicks, S Howell, D Jones, T Knight, G LeCount, P Lees, M Lemon, B Light, J Lodge, J Loughlin, A Mills, S Morris, E Oliver, V Ranger, J Redfern, H Rolfe, H Ryles and L Wells (Vice-Chair)

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AGENDA PART 1

Open to Public and Press

1 Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest

To receive any apologies and declarations of interest.

2 Minutes of the meeting on 10 October 2017

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To consider the minutes of the meeting held on 10 October 2017.

3 Chairman's Announcements

To receive any announcements from the Chairman.

4 Reports from the Leader and Members of the Executive

To receive matters of report from the Leader and members of the Executive.

5 Questions to the Leader, Members of the Executive and Committee Chairmen (up to 15 minutes)

To receive questions from members for the Executive and committee chairmen.

6 Matters received about joint arrangements and external organisations

To consider matters concerning joint arrangements and external organisations.

7 Local Council Tax Support Scheme and Consultation 2018/19 13 - 60

To consider a recommendation from the Cabinet meeting on 30 November 2017 to agree the Local Council Tax Support Scheme for 2018/19.

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8 Parliamentary Boundary Review 2018

To consider a recommendation from the Governance, Audit and Performance Committee meeting on 16 November 2017 to agree a response to the Boundary Commission for England's proposals for revised Parliamentary constituency boundaries in England.

9 The Future of Essex

To consider a report outlining the principles contained in "The Future of Essex" report.

10 Any other urgent items

To consider any items the Chairman considers to be urgent.

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