

Annual Council, 23 May 2023: Political Balance – Item 14

Amendment Submitted by Councillor Barker

Amended Allocation of Seats

Background:

This proposal is being put forward in order to increase the number of Planning Committee seats from nine to eleven, which will grant an additional seat to both the Conservative and Residents for Uttlesford Groups. The proposal does not affect other parties' entitlements on Planning Committee, or the make-up of any other Committee but, once rounded, does result in a Planning Committee of 6:3:1:1.

This is the same proportions as the other main committees.

The total number of ordinary committee seats available will increase from 58 to 60.

Amendment:

To increase the number of seats on Planning Committee to eleven and to agree the allocation of 60 politically proportionate seats as follows:

Committees	Seats	R4U	LD	CONS	IND
Planning	11	6	1	3	1
Licensing and EH	10	6	1	3	0
Scrutiny	11	6	1	3	1
Appointment Ctt	7	4	1	2	0
Audit and Standards <u>or</u> Governance, Audit and Performance	11	6	1	3	1
Investigatory Disciplinary Committee (IDC)	5	3	0	2	0
Appeals Committee (AC)	5	3	1	1	0
No of calculated seats available					
	60	34	6	17	3