# CABINET SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Wednesday, 15th September, 2010

2.30 pm

Council Chamber, Sessions House, County Hall, Maidstone





# AGENDA

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Wednesday, 15th September, 2010, atAsk for:Peter Sass2.30 pmCouncil Chamber, Sessions House,Telephone:01622 694002County Hall, MaidstoneCounty Hall, MaidstoneCounty Hall, MaidstoneCounty Hall, Maidstone

## Membership

Liberal Democrat (1): Mrs T Dean (Chairman)

Conservative (11): Mr R Brookbank, Mr A R Chell, Mr G A Horne MBE, Mr E E C Hotson, Mr R F Manning, Mr M J Jarvis, Mr R E King, Mrs J P Law, Mr R L H Long, TD, Mrs J A Rook and Mr J E Scholes

Labour (1) Mr L Christie

Independent (1) Mr R J Lees

Church The Reverend Canon J L Smith, The Reverend N Genders and Representatives (3): Dr D Wadman

Parent Governor (2): Mr B Critchley and Mr P Myers

Refreshments will be available 15 minutes before the start of the meeting

Timing of items as shown below is approximate and subject to change.

County Councillors who are not Members of the Committee but who wish to ask questions at the meeting are asked to notify the Chairman of their questions in advance.

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# **UNRESTRICTED ITEMS**

(During these items the meeting is likely to be open to the public)

# A. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

- A1 Substitutes
- A2 Declarations of Interests by Members in Items on the Agenda for this Meeting
- A3 Minutes of the meeting held on 21 July 2010 (Pages 1 10)
- A4 Follow-up Items from Cabinet Scrutiny Committee (Pages 11 16)
- A5 Notes of the Informal Member Group on Budgetary Issues held on 10 September 2010 (to follow)

# B. CABINET/CABINET MEMBER DECISIONS AT VARIANCE TO APPROVED BUDGET OR POLICY FRAMEWORK

There are no items for consideration

#### C. CABINET DECISIONS

At the request of the Chairman of Cabinet Scrutiny Committee the September meeting was brought forward by a week. The below items have been provisionally identified for consideration at the meeting depending on the discussion had at the Cabinet meeting on 13 September 2010. The final agenda items will be confirmed after the Cabinet meeting on 13 September 2010.

C1 Transparency Programme: How We're Spending Your Money (Pages 17 - 28)

Provisional item depending on the discussion at the Cabinet meeting.

Mr Paul Carter, Leader of the Council and Ms Katherine Kerswell, Group Managing Director have been invited to attend the meeting between 2.45pm and 3.15pm to answer Members' questions on this item.

C2 Core Monitoring (Pages 29 - 106)

Provisional item depending on the discussion at the Cabinet meeting.

Mr Roger Gough, Cabinet Member for Corporate Support Services and Performance Management and Ms Katherine Kerswell, Group Managing Director have been invited to attend the meeting between 3.15pm and 3.45pm to answer Members' questions on this item.

C3 Review of SEN Units - Outcome of the Evaluation of the Lead School Pilot (Pages 107 - 142)

Provisional item depending on the discussion at the Cabinet meeting.

Mrs Jenny Whittle, Deputy Cabinet Member For Children, Families & Education and Mrs Rosalind Turner, Managing Director Children, Families & Education have been invited to attend the meeting between 3.45pm and 4.15pm to answer

Members' questions on this item.

C4 Supporting Vulnerable Learners into Apprenticeships (Pages 143 - 148)

Provisional item depending on the discussion at the Cabinet meeting.

Mr Mike Hill, Cabinet Member For Communities and Mrs Amanda Honey, Managing Director Communities have been invited to attend the meeting between 4.15pm and 4.45pm to answer Members' questions on this item.

# **D. CABINET MEMBER DECISIONS**

There are no items for consideration

# EXEMPT ITEMS

(At the time of preparing the agenda there were no exempt items. During any such items which may arise the meeting is likely NOT to be open to the public)

Peter Sass Head of Democratic Services and Local Leadership (01622) 694002

#### Tuesday, 7 September 2010

Please note that any background documents referred to in the accompanying papers maybe inspected by arrangement with the officer responsible for preparing the relevant report.