

**GROWTH, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND  
COMMUNITIES CABINET COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday, 11th November, 2025**

**10.00 am**

**Council Chamber, Sessions House, County Hall,  
Maidstone**



## **AGENDA**

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**Tuesday, 11 November 2025 at 10.00 am**  
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Ask for: **Maya Bundy**  
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#### **Membership (13)**

Reform UK (9):	Mr J Defriend (Vice-Chair), Mr P Chamberlain, Mr W Chapman, Mr S Dixon, Mr B Fryer, Mr D Sian, Mr T Mallon, Vacancy and Vacancy
Liberal Democrat (1):	Mr M J Sole
Conservative (1):	Mr N Williams
Green (1):	Mr P Stepto
Labour (1):	Ms C Nolan

#### **UNRESTRICTED ITEMS**

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

- 1 Introduction/Webcast announcements
- 2 Election of Chair
- 3 Apologies and Substitutes
- 4 Declarations of Interest by Members in items on the Agenda
- 5 Minutes of the meeting held on 11 September 2025 (Pages 1 - 20)
- 6 Verbal updates by the Cabinet Members and Corporate Director
- 7 KMEF- Ambition 2- Widen opportunities and unlock talent (Pages 21 - 28)
- 8 Regional Energy Strategic Plan (Pages 29 - 36)
- 9 Decisions taken between Cabinet Committee Meetings- 25/00084 (Pages 37 - 38)
- 10 Work Programme 2025/26 (Pages 39 - 40)

### **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)*

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**Monday, 3 November 2025**