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I summon you to attend the following meeting for the transaction of the business in the agenda below.

Meeting: Policy, Finance and Development Committee

Tuesday, 28 March 2023, 7.00 pm **Date and Time:**

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Mrs Anne E Court Chief Executive

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To receive apologies for absence from Members to determine the quorum of the meeting in accordance with Rule 7 of Part 4 of the Constitution.

2. Appointment of Substitutes

To appoint substitute Members in accordance with Rule 26 of Part 4 of the Constitution and the Substitution Procedure Rules.

3. Declarations of Interest

Members are reminded that any declaration of interest should be made having regard to the Members' Code of Conduct. In particular, Members must make clear the nature of the interest and whether it is 'pecuniary' or 'non-pecuniary'.

4. Minutes of the Previous Meeting

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To read, confirm and sign the minutes of the previous meeting in accordance with Rule 19 of Part 4 of the Constitution.

5. Action List Arising from the Previous Meeting

There was no Action List arising from the previous meeting.

6. Petitions and Deputations

To receive any Petitions and, or, Deputations in accordance with Rule(s) 11 and 12 of Part 4 of the Constitution and the Petitions Procedure Rules respectively.

7. Corporate Debt Policy (March 2023)

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Report of the Head of Finance / Deputy Section 151 Officer

8. Collection Rate Improvement Plan Update (March 2023)

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Report of the Revenues & Benefits Manager

9. Collection and Write-Off of Miscellaneous Debtors (Q3 2022/23)

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Report of the Strategic Director / Section 151 Officer

10. Approval of Garage Management, Housing Allocations and Repairs & Maintenance Policies (March 2023)

To Follow

Report of the Housing Manager

11. Customer Experience Strategy & Action Plan (2023-26)

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Report of the Head of Customer Service & Transformation

12. Review of Empty Homes Strategy (2020-24)

To Follow

Report of the Selective Licensing Team Leader

13. Ethical Standards and Indicators (Q3 2022/23)

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Report of the Head of Law & Democracy / Monitoring Officer

14. Committee Work Plan (2022 - 2023)

There is no Committee Work Plan for remainder of 2022-2023.

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