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Draft Schedule of Council and Allied Meetings 2017/18 (Update)

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1. Introduction

Primarily in view of the pre-election period (i.e. purdah) implications engendered by the recently confirmed and upcoming UK Parliamentary (General) Election to be held on Thursday, 8 June 2017, this report provides Members with the subsequently revised draft Schedule of Council and Allied Meetings for the municipal year 2017/18.

2. Recommendations

That the revised draft Schedule of Council and Allied Meetings for the municipal year 2017/18 be noted by Members for information only.

3. Information

- 3.1. The attached revised draft Schedule sets out the proposed revised dates, times and venues of meetings for the municipal year 2017/18.
- 3.2. The Appendices to this report provides the revised proposed dates, times and venues in both a calendar (*Appendix 1*) and table (*Appendix 2*) format.
- 3.3. Officers and Members have been consulted in the drafting of this revised Schedule.
- 3.4. Members should acknowledge the following, notable changes between the previous draft Schedule and the revised draft Schedule appended to this report, namely:-
 - (a) The Members' Finance Strategy Briefing has been re-scheduled from 25 May 2017 to 13 June 2017 at 7:00 pm;
 - (b) The meeting of the Council has been re-scheduled from 6 June 2017 to 20 June 2017 at 7:00 pm;
 - (c) The meeting of the Place Shaping Working Group has been re-scheduled from 8 June 2017 to 21 June 2017 at 6:30 pm;
 - (d) The meeting of the Service Delivery Committee has been re-scheduled from 3 April 2018 to 20 March 2018 at 7:00 pm;
 - (e) The meeting of the Supporting Leicestershire Families' Working Group has been re-scheduled from 10 April 2018 to 3 April 2018 at 6:30 pm; and
 - (f) The meeting of the Policy, Finance and Development Committee has been rescheduled from 17 April 2018 to 10 April 2018 at 7:00 pm.
- 3.5. If the revised draft Schedule is noted by Members, the final Schedule shall be put before Members for resolution at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Council to be held on 16 May 2017. Accordingly, the revised draft Schedule is to be considered as provisional, and again subject to further albeit minor amendments, until such time.

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Implications

| Financial (CR) | No implications. |
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| Legal (AC) | The regulations pertaining to the pre-election period (i.e. purdah) for the UK Parliamentary (General) Election must be observed. |
| Risk (SB) | No implications. |
| Equalities (SB) | No implications. |
| | Equality Assessment:- |
| | Initial Screening Full Assessment Not Applicable |