



Leicester
City Council

WARDS AFFECTED
All Wards - Corporate Issue

FORWARD TIMETABLE OF CONSULTATION AND MEETINGS:
Cabinet

12 June 2006

Appointments to Outside Bodies

Report of the Corporate Director of Resources

1. Purpose of Report

To determine City Council representation on various Outside Bodies.

2. Report

The City Council provides representation on a range of Outside Bodies.

In accordance with the Council's Constitution, the making or revocation of such appointments is, in connection with functions which are the responsibility of Cabinet, a Cabinet matter, and otherwise a matter for Council determination. Both Council and Cabinet have delegated this function to the Town Clerk, in consultation with the Group Whips.

In practice, the Town Clerk has exercised this delegation where there has been unanimity between the Group Whips. Where there has been a failure to agree, the matter has been brought to Cabinet (or Council) for determination.

Changes to Cabinet membership and portfolios, along with the recent formation of a fourth political group on the Council which sits outside the ruling Liberal Democrat/Conservative Alliance, has necessitated a review of appointments to Outside Bodies which are the responsibility of Cabinet.

It has not been possible to arrange a Whips Meeting (now comprising the four political groups on the Council) until Monday, 19 June 2006, i.e. after this Cabinet Meeting.

A review of the Outside Bodies has, therefore, been undertaken to determine which require a change in City Council representation. These are attached at Appendix A.

3. Recommendations

Cabinet is recommended to agree the changes to appointments to Outside Bodies as detailed in the schedule at Appendix A of the report.

4. Financial, Legal and Other Implications

4.1. Financial Implications

None.

4.2. Legal Implications

There are no additional legal implications. (Peter Nicholls, Head of Legal Services)

4.3. Other Implications

OTHER IMPLICATIONS	YES/NO	Paragraph Within Supporting information	References
Equal Opportunities	No		
Policy	No		
Sustainable and Environmental	No		
Crime and Disorder	No		
Human Rights Act	No		
Elderly/People on Low Income	No		

5. Background Papers – Local Government Act 1972

Files of documentation relating to appointments to Outside Bodies.

6. Consultations

None.

7. Report Author

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DECISION STATUS

Key Decision	No
Reason	N/A
Appeared in Forward Plan	No
Executive or Council Decision	Executive (Cabinet)

Leicester City Council Representation on Outside Bodies

Outside Body	Current Representation	Proposed Representation
Biffa Leicester Liaison Committee	Councillor M. Henry (Chair) Councillor O'Brien Councillor Smith Councillor Westley	Councillor Smith (Chair) Councillor O'Brien Councillor Smith Councillor Westley
East Midlands Museums	Councillor Henry Councillor Mugglestone Councillor Thompson	Councillor Beck Councillor Mugglestone Councillor Thompson
Energie Cities	Councillor Vincent	Councillor Garrity
Groundworks	New appointment	Councillor Mugglestone
Learning & Skills Council (County Employment Engagement Group)	Councillor Farmer	Councillor Sandringham
Leicester Energy Agency	Councillor A. Vincent (Chair) Councillor J. Mugglestone Councillor Smith Councillor Willmott	Councillor Keeling Councillor Muggletone Councillor Smith Councillor Willmott
Leicester Partnership Against Crime & Disorder	Councillor Farmer (Chair)	Councillor Sandringham
Leicester Shire Promotions Limited	Councillor Henry Councillor Mugglestone Councillor Sood Councillor A. Vincent	Councillor Beck Councillor Mugglestone Councillor Sood Councillor Garrity
LGA General Assembly	Councillor Farmer (2 votes) Councillor A. Metcalfe (2 votes) Councillor Grant (1 vote) Councillor Willmott	Councillor Roger Blackmore (2 votes) Councillor Ramsdale (2 votes) Councillor Grant (1 vote) Councillor Willmott
LGA Urban Commission	Councillor Farmer	Councillor Ramsdale
Local Government East Midlands	Councillor Roger Blackmore Councillor Farmer Councillor Johnson Councillor Willmott	Councillor Roger Blackmore Councillor Garrity Councillor Johnson Councillor Willmott
Watermead Country Park	Councillor Fitch Councillor Garrity Councillor Nurse	Councillor Green Councillor Garrity Councillor Nurse