

# Children, Families & Schools Committee

Date: **29 February 2024**

Time: **4.00pm**

Venue: **Council Chamber, Hove Town Hall, Norton Road, Hove, BN3 3BQ**

Members:

**Councillors:** , Helliwell (Joint Chair), Taylor (Joint Chair), Shanks (Opposition Spokesperson), Allen, Daniel, Goddard, Alexander, Simon, Goldsmith and Hogan

**Co-optees:** Lesley Hurst (Diocesan Assistant Director of Education) and Simon Parr (Catholic Diocese)

**Non-Voting Co-optees:** Adam Muirhead (Community Works Rep) and Becky Robinson (PaCC)

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# AGENDA

Part One

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## PROCEDURAL MATTERS

### 52 PROCEDURAL BUSINESS

- (a) **Declarations of Substitutes:** Where councillors are unable to attend a meeting, a substitute Member from the same political group may attend, speak and vote in their place for that meeting.
- (b) **Declarations of Interest:**
  - (a) Disclosable pecuniary interests;
  - (b) Any other interests required to be registered under the local code;
  - (c) Any other general interest as a result of which a decision on the matter might reasonably be regarded as affecting you or a partner more than a majority of other people or businesses in the ward/s affected by the decision.

In each case, you need to declare

- (i) the item on the agenda the interest relates to;
- (ii) the nature of the interest; and
- (iii) whether it is a disclosable pecuniary interest or some other interest.

If unsure, Members should seek advice from the committee lawyer or administrator preferably before the meeting.

- (c) **Exclusion of Press and Public:** To consider whether, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, the press and public should be excluded from the meeting when any of the following items are under consideration.

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### 53 MINUTES

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To consider the minutes of the meeting held on 22 January 2024.

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### 54 CHAIRS COMMUNICATIONS

## 55 CALL OVER

- (a) Items (59 – 62) will be read out at the meeting and Members invited to reserve the items for consideration.
- (b) Those items not reserved will be taken as having been received and the reports' recommendations agreed.

## 56 PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

To consider the following matters raised by members of the public:

- (a) **Petitions:** To receive any petitions presented by members of the public;
- (b) **Written Questions:** To receive any questions submitted by the due date of 12 noon on the 23 February 2024;
- (c) **Deputations:** To receive any deputations submitted by the due date of 12 noon on the 23 February 2024.

## 57 ITEMS REFERRED FROM COUNCIL

To consider items referred from the last meeting of Full Council held on 1 February 2024.

## 58 MEMBER INVOLVEMENT

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To consider the following matters raised by Members:

- (d) **Petitions:** To receive any petitions;
- (e) **Written Questions:** To consider any written questions;
- (f) **Letters:** To consider any letters;
- (g) **Notices of Motion:** to consider any Notices of Motion referred from Full Council or submitted directly to the Committee.

## 59 PROPOSAL FOR CLOSURE OF ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL To Follow

Contact Officer: Richard Barker  
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## 60 PROPOSAL FOR CLOSURE OF ST PETER'S COMMUNITY PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL To Follow

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**61 EDUCATION CAPITAL RESOURCES AND CAPITAL INVESTMENT PROGRAMME 2024/2025 31 - 50**

Contact Officer: Richard Barker  
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**62 SCHOOL BASED COUNSELLING PILOT 51 - 256**

Contact Officer: Georgina Clarke-Green  
Ward Affected: All Wards

**63 ITEMS REFERRED FOR FULL COUNCIL**

To consider items to be submitted to the 4 March 2024 Council meeting for information.

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