POLICY & RESOURCES COMMITTEE

Agenda Item 161

Brighton & Hove City Council

CONSERVATIVE AMENDMENT

COUNCIL'S CONSTITUTION

That recommendation 2.1 be amended to reflect the deletion of the reference to paragraphs 4.4 and 4.6, the addition of the wording in recommendation 2.2, the deletion of recommendations 2.4, 2.5 and 2.7 and subsequent numbering of recommendations amended as shown in bold italics.

The new recommendation 2.7 also being amended to reflect the changes to the recommendations above as shown in **bold** italics.

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- 2.4 Recommends to full Council the payment of an allowance of £500 to those cooptees and standing invitees described in paragraph 4.13, subject to receipt of confirmation from the Independent Remuneration Panel that they support this approach.
- 2.5 Notes the proposal in paragraph 4.13 to invite co-optees and standing invitees to pre-meetings and for them to receive pre-meeting agenda papers so as to give them greater opportunity to input into the decision-making process.
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- **2.5** Notes the new start time for full Council meetings indicated in para 4.19.

That Full Council:

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That both Policy & Resources Committee and Full Council:

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Proposed by: Cllr Miller Seconded by: Cllr Bell

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