

Time and Date

2.00 pm on Tuesday, 7th January 2025

Place

Committee Room 3 - Council House, Coventry

Public business

1. **Apologies**
2. **Declarations of Interest**
3. **Minutes** (Pages 3 - 12)
 - (a) To agree the minutes from the meeting of Cabinet on 10 December 2024
 - (b) Matters arising
4. **Council Tax Base Setting Report 2025-26** (Pages 13 - 24)

Report of the Director of Finance and Resources
5. **Outcomes of the Fair Funding Consultation 2025-26** (Pages 25 - 60)

Report of the Director of Childrens Services and Education
6. **Coventry Very Light Rail (VLR)** (Pages 61 - 74)

Report of the Director of Innovation
7. **Outstanding Issues**

There are no outstanding issues
8. **Any other items of public business which the Chair decides to take as a matter of urgency because of the special circumstances involved.**

Julie Newman, Director of Law and Governance, Council House, Coventry
Friday, 20 December 2024

Note: The person to contact about the agenda and documents for this meeting is Suzanne Bennett, Governance Services, Email: suzanne.bennett@coventry.gov.uk

Membership:

Cabinet Members:

Councillors N Akhtar, L Bigham, R Brown, K Caan, G Duggins (Chair), P Hetherton, A S Khan (Deputy Chair), J O'Boyle, K Sandhu and P Seaman

Non-voting Deputy Cabinet Members:

Councillors P Akhtar, S Agboola, G Hayre, S Nazir and D Toulson

By invitation:

Councillors P Male, E Reeves and G Ridley (Non-voting Opposition representatives)

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