

Agenda Item No: 6

Report To: Selection and Constitutional Review Committee

Date of Meeting: 1st October 2020

Report Title: Update to Appointments to Committees and Outside Bodies

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Summary: To advise the Committee of a small number of updates to the appointments reported to this Committee on 30th June 2020 and subsequently ratified at the Annual Meeting of the Council on the 16th July 2020.

Key Decision: NO

Significantly Affected Wards: N/A

Recommendations: **The Committee is note and approve the following appointments:**

- **Appeals Committee – Cllr Anckorn**
- **Joint Transportation Board – Cllr Spain**
- **Ashford Almshouses and Parochial Charities – Cllr Lyn Suddards**

Policy Overview: The appointment of Members to outside bodies/organisations assists Councillors in their community engagement role.

Financial Implications: None

Legal Implications The Authority is required to adopt a political balance which complies with the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 and associated regulations.

Exempt from Publication: NO

Background Papers: None

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Introduction and Background

1. To advise the Committee of a small number of updates to the appointments reported to this Committee on 30th June 2020 and subsequently ratified at the Annual Meeting of the Council on the 16th July 2020.

Current Position/Proposal

2. Following the passing of Councillor Alex Ward in late July 2020, there are a small number of vacancies from the appointments made to him at the last meeting of this Committee. After consultation with the Labour Group Leader Councillor Brendan Chilton, he had indicated that he would like to fill those vacancies as follows: -

- **Appeals Committee – Cllr Anckorn**
- **Joint Transportation Board – Cllr Spain**
- **Ashford Almshouses and Parochial Charities – Cllr Lyn Suddards**

Implications and Risk Assessment

3. The appointment of Members to outside bodies/organisations assists Councillors in their community engagement role.

Conclusion

4. **The Committee is asked to note and approve the following appointments: -**
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 - **Joint Transportation Board – Cllr Spain**
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Portfolio Holder's Views

5. The Leader of the Council is Chairman of this Committee and will give his views at the Meeting

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