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Dear Councillor,

You are hereby invited to attend the Annual Meeting of Caerphilly County Borough Council which will be held in the Council Chamber, Penalita House, Tredomen, Ystrad Mynach on Thursday, 14th May, 2015 at 6.00 pm to consider the matters contained in the following agenda.

Yours faithfully,

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Chris Burns INTERIM CHIEF EXECUTIVE

AGENDA

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- 1 To receive apologies for absence.
- 2 Retiring Mayor's remarks.
- 3 Declarations of interest. Councillors and Officers are reminded of their personal responsibility to declare any personal

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and/or prejudicial interest(s) in respect of any item of business on this agenda in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000, the Council's Constitution and the Code of Conduct for both Councillors and Officers.

- 4 To elect a Mayor of the Council until the Annual Meeting in May 2016 and make a civic salary payment.
- 5 Presentation of Past Mayor and Consorts' Badges.
- 6 To appoint a Deputy Mayor of the Council until the Annual Meeting in May 2016 and make a civic salary payment.
- 7 Mayor's Announcements.
- 8 Councillor K.V. Reynolds, the current Leaders's Statement.
- 9 To note the number of Members to be appointed to Cabinet and the names the Leader has chosen to become Members of the Cabinet.

Community and Leisure Services Deputy Leader and Corporate Services (and share the Deputy Leader Senior Salary payment) Education and Lifelong Learning Highways, Transportation and Engineering Deputy Leader and Housing (and share the Deputy Leader Senior Salary payment) Human Resources and Governance/Business Manager Performance and Asset Management Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development Social Services

10 To receive a report on Constitutional Matters.

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11 To appoint the Chair and Vice-Chair of the following Overview and Scrutiny Committees for the ensuing year and make a senior salary payment to the Chair: -

Education for Life Scrutiny Committee Health Social Care and Well Being Scrutiny Committee Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee/Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Committee Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny Committee

12 To appoint members to serve on the following Overview and Scrutiny Committees for the ensuing year (report identifying current representatives attached): -

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Education for Life Scrutiny Committee Health Social Care and Well Being Scrutiny Committee Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee/Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Committee Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny Committee

13 To appoint the Chair and/or Vice-Chair (as necessary) to the following Committees for the ensuing year and make a senior salary payment to the Chair: - (*not applicable)

Appeals Panel (Disciplinary/Grievance)* Appointments Committee* Democratic Services Committee Investigating and Disciplinary Committee* (appointed by the Committee) Licensing Committee Planning Committee Sustainable Development Advisory Panel*

- 14 To note that the Chair and Vice Chair of the Audit Committee will be appointed at the first meeting of the Audit Committee following the Annual Meeting of Council and that a senior salary payment will be made to the Chair.
- 15 To appoint Members to serve on the following committees for the ensuing year (report identifying current representatives attached).

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Appeals Panel (Disciplinary/Grievance)(3 members/3 substitutes) Appointments Committee (8 members plus relevant Cabinet Member) Audit Committee (12 members) Democratic Services Committee (16 members) Investigating and Disciplinary Committee (7 members) Licensing Committee (15 members) Planning Committee (20 members) Standards Committee (2 members/2 substitutes) Sustainable Development Advisory Panel (11 members) Rights of Way Cabinet Committee (5 Cabinet members)

16 To constitute Sub-Committees/Working Parties/Panel/Boards and appoint members to serve thereon for the ensuing year (report identifying current representation attached).

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17 To appoint representation to serve on outside bodies where required (report identifying current representation attached).

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ANNUAL COUNCIL - 14TH MAY 2015

SUBJECT: CONSTITUTIONAL MATTERS

REPORT BY: INTERIM HEAD OF LEGAL SERVICES & MONITORING OFFICER

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To deal with those matters that require consideration at the Annual Meeting of the Council in accordance with the Council Procedure Rules.
- 1.2 To consider a recommendation to amend the Council's Constitution.

2. SUMMARY

2.1 This report sets out details of those matters that require consideration at the Annual General Meeting of Council. It also proposes an amendment to the current Constitution to add details of new legislation and joint committees.

3. LINKS TO STRATEGY

3.1 The requirement to establish and maintain the Council's Constitution is set out in the Local Government Act 2000.

4. THE REPORT

- 4.1 The Council's Procedure Rules require the Annual Meeting to appoint at least one overview and scrutiny committee, a Standards Committee and such other Committees the Council considers appropriate to deal with the matters which are neither reserved to the Council nor are executive functions. The Constitution provides for the appointment of the following committees:-
 - 1) Audit Committee
 - 2) Democratic Services Committee
 - 3) Licensing Committee
 - 4) Planning Committee
 - 5) Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee
 - 6) Education for Life Scrutiny Committee
 - 7) Health, Social Care and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee
 - 8) Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny Committee
 - 9) Standards Committee
 - 10) Investigating and Disciplinary Committee
 - 11) Appeals Committee
 - 12) Appointments Committee
 - 13) Rights of Way Sub Committee

- 4.2 It is not proposed that any changes be made to the current arrangements in relation to the committees at this Annual Meeting. This includes the number of members allocated to each committee. The current arrangements reflect a fair political balance. Members are therefore asked to note the existing arrangements.
- 4.3 The nominations for the members to each Committee will be reported verbally at the Council meeting.

5. TERMS OF REFERENCE OF COMMITTEES

5.1 There are no changes to the terms of reference for any of the Committees. Members are therefore recommended to note the existing Terms of Reference set out in Part 2 of the Constitution.

6. POLITICAL BALANCE - ANNUAL REVIEW

- 6.1 The Annual Meeting is required to decide the allocation of seats to political groups in accordance with the Political Balance Rules contained in the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 and the Local Government (Committees & Political Groups) Regulations 1990 as amended.
- 6.2 The basis of the statutory requirements provide that committee seats should be allocated to political groups in so far as practicable in the same proportion as these groups have to be total membership of the Council.
- 6.3 There has been no change to political balance of the Authority and Members are therefore asked to note that the current allocations remain as present.

7. SCHEME OF DELEGATION

- 7.1 There is no proposal to vary the current Scheme of Delegation and the Members of the Council are therefore asked to note the existing Scheme set out at Part 3 of the Council's Constitution.
- 7.2 In light of the continuing review of relevant new legislation, it is proposed to add the Consumer Rights Act 2015 to Part 3 (page 19 and page 37) and Local Government Byelaws (Wales) Act 2012 to Part 3 (page 20 and Page 38.).
- 7.3 Part 3 (page 43) includes details of the Joint Committees, which have been established with other Local Authorities. It is proposed that the following Joint Committees are added to this list and details of when they were established are given in the background papers:-

Heads of the Valleys Organic Waste Procurement Joint Committee Joint Supplies Service Joint Committee.

8. EQUALITIES IMPLICATIONS

8.1 There are none arising from the contents of this Report.

9. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

9.1 There are none arising from the contents of this Report.

10. PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS

10.1 There are none arising from the contents of this Report.

11. CONSULTATIONS

11.1 The Report reflects the views of the consultees (where appropriate).

12. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 12.1 Members are asked to note the information provided at paragraphs 4, 5 and 6 of the Report in relation to the Constitutional arrangements.
- 12.2 Members are asked to consider the recommendation set out at paragraph 7 of the Report.
- 12.3 If Members are minded to approve the recommendation authorisation be given to the Council's Interim Head of Legal Services and Monitoring Officer to update the Constitution as appropriate.

13. REASONS FOR THE RECOMMENDATIONS

13.1 To comply with the requirements of the Council's Constitution.

14. STATUTORY POWER

14.1 Local Government Act 2000.

 Author:
 Angharad Price, Interim Head of Democratic Services/Deputy Monitoring Officer

 Consultees:
 Chris Burns, Interim Chief Executive

 Nicole Scammell
 Acting Director Corporate Services

 Cllr K. Reynolds Deputy Leader
 Cllr C. Forehead, Cabinet member

 Lisa Lane, Corporate Solicitor

Background Papers:

Report to Cabinet:Heads of Valleys Waste Procurement 16th February, 2010Report to Cabinet:Joint Supplies Services 1st April, 2015Council Constitution(LINK TO WEB SITE)

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP OF OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEES

Education for Life Scrutiny Committee (16 members) 11 - 4 - 1

Councillors P.J. Bevan, Mrs A. Blackman, W. David, H.R. Davies, C. Durham, C. Gordon, D.M. Gray, D. Havard, M.P. James, G. Johnston, Mrs G.D. Oliver, D.W.R. Preece, J. Pritchard, J.E. Roberts, R. Saralis, Mrs M.E. Sargent

Chair: Councillor W. David Vice-Chair: Councillor J. Pritchard

Health Social Care and Well Being Scrutiny Committee (16 members) 11 - 4 - 1

Councillors Miss L. Ackerman, Mrs E.M. Aldworth, A.P. Angel, Mrs G. Bevan, L. Binding, Mrs P. Cook, Ms J. Gale, L. Gardiner, N. George, C. Gordon, Mrs P.A. Griffiths, G.J. Hughes, A. Lewis, S. Morgan, J.A. Pritchard, A. Rees

Chair: Councillor Miss L. Ackerman Vice-Chair: Councillor Mrs P. Cook

Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee (16 members) 11 - 4 - 1 Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Committee

Councillors L. Binding, C.J. Cuss, H.W. David, Miss E. Forehead, J.E. Fussell, D.M. Gray, C. Hawker, Ms J.G. Jones, G. Kirby, A. Lewis, C.P. Mann, S. Morgan, D. Rees, R. Saralis, Mrs J. Summers, J. Taylor

Chair: Councillor H.W. David Vice-Chair: Councillor S. Morgan

Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny Committee (16 members) 11 - 4 - 1

Councillors Mrs E.M. Aldworth, J. Bevan, Mrs A. Blackman, C.J. Cuss, D.T. Davies, R.T. Davies, N. Dix, C. Elsbury, R.W. Gough, Ms J.G. Jones, S. Kent, Ms P. Leonard, M.J. Prew, Mrs D. Price, A. Rees, Mrs E. Stenner

Chair: Councillor D.T. Davies Vice-Chair: Councillor Mrs E.M. Aldworth

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP OF COMMITTEES

Appeals Panel (Disciplinary/Grievance) (3 members) 1 - 1 - 1

Councillors D.G. Carter, J.A. Pritchard, Mrs P. Griffiths

Nominated substitutes - Councillors Mrs K Baker, W. David

Chair: Councillor D. G. Carter

Appointments Committee (Chief Officer Related Posts/Heads of Service) (8 plus Cabinet member - 9) 6 - 2 - 1

Councillors Mrs P. Cook, W. David, Mrs. C. Forehead, Mrs B.A. Jones, G. Jones, J.A. Pritchard, K.V. Reynolds, J. Taylor and relevant Cabinet member

Chair: Councillor Mrs C. Forehead Vice-Chair: Councillor W. David

Audit Committee (12 members) 8 - 3 - 1 (1 lay member)

Councillors Mrs E.M. Aldworth, Mrs K.R. Baker, D.G. Carter, N. Dix, J.E. Fussell, N. George, D. Havard, C. Hawker S. Morgan, Mrs G. D. Oliver, J.A. Pritchard, D. Rees

Chair: Councillor D. Rees Vice-Chair: Councillor D. Havard

Democratic Services Committee (16 members) 11 - 4 - 1

Councillors Mrs G. Bevan, P.J. Bevan, H.W. David, W. David, D.T. Davies, R.T. Davies, Mrs C. Forehead, Mrs P. Griffiths, Ms J.G. Jones, G. Kirby, C.P. Mann, Mrs D. Price, A. Rees, Mrs M.E. Sargent, Mrs E. Stenner, J. Taylor

Chair: Councillor C.P. Mann Vice-Chair: Councillor D.T. Davies

Investigating and Disciplinary Committee (7 members) 4 - 2 - 1

Councillors W. David, N. George, S. Morgan, J.A. Pritchard, D. Rees, J. Taylor, R. Woodyatt

Substitutes Councillors R.W. Gough, Mrs J. Summers (Mrs R. Passmore - Cabinet Member)

Chair: W. David

Licensing Committee (15 members) 10 - 4 - 1

Councillors Mrs K.R. Baker, J. Bevan, P.J. Bevan, D. Bolter, Mrs P. Cook, W. David, Ms J. Gale, D.M. Gray, Mrs P. Griffiths, C. Hawker, A. Lewis, K. Lloyd, D.W.R. Preece, Mrs D. Price, Mrs J. Summers

Chair: Councillor J. Bevan Vice-Chair: Councillor D.M. Gray

Planning Committee (20 members) 14 - 5 - 1

Councillors M. Adams, Mrs E.M. Aldworth, J. Bevan, D. Bolter, D.G. Carter, W. David, H.R. Davies, J.E. Fussell, Ms J. Gale, L. Gardiner, N. George, R.W. Gough, A.G. Higgs, A. Lewis, K. Lloyd, Mrs G.D. Oliver, D. Rees, Mrs E Stenner, Mrs J. Summers, J. Taylor

Chair: Councillor D.G. Carter Vice-Chair: Councillor W. David

Standards Committee (2 members/5 lay members/1 community councillor)

Councillors Mrs P. Cook ((substitute H.W. David), C.P. Mann (substitute Mrs M.E. Sargent)

Sustainable Development Advisory Panel (11 members) 6 - 4 - 1

Councillors M. Adams, Mrs A. Blackman, Mrs P. Cook, K. Dawson, C. Elsbury, D. Havard, K. James, S. Kent, Ms. P. Leonard, C.P. Mann, J.A. Pritchard

Chair: Councillor K. James Vice Chair: Councillor D. Havard

Rights of Way Cabinet Committee (5 Cabinet Members)

Councillors K. James, Mrs B.A. Jones, D.V. Poole, T.J. Williams, R. Woodyatt

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP ON SUB-COMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS/BOARDS

1. Bargoed Town Centre Management Group (7 members - Aberbargoed/Bargoed/Gilfach Wards and Cabinet Member)

Councillors H.A. Andrews, D.G. Carter, D.T. Davies, A.G. Higgs, Mrs D. Price, K.V. Reynolds plus Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James

2. Blackwood Town Centre Management Group (5 members - Blackwood/Cefn Forest Wards and Cabinet Member)

Councillors Mrs P. Cook, N. Dix, C. Hawker, A. Rees, T.J. Williams plus Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James

3. Bryn Compost Liaison Group (adjoining ward members and Cabinet Member)

Councillors A. Angel, D. Bolter, H.W. David, W. David, G.J. Hughes, M.P. James, S. Morgan, J.A. Pritchard plus Cabinet Member for Community and Leisure Services - Councillor D.V. Poole

4. Caerphilly Community Safety Delivery Group (1 member)

Cabinet Member for Community and Leisure Services - Councillor D.V. Poole

5. Caerphilly Homes Task Group (Welsh Housing Quality Standard)(7 members/7 tenant representatives) 5 - 2

Councillors Ms L. Ackerman, R.T. Davies, K. James, Mrs B.A. Jones, G. Jones, C.P. Mann, Mrs D. Price

6. Caerphilly Local Access Forum (Cabinet Member)

Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James

7. Caerphilly Town Centre Management Group (9 members - Morgan Jones/St. Martins/St. James Wards and Cabinet Member)

Councillors P.J. Bevan, C. Elsbury, Mrs C. Forehead, Miss E. Forehead, J.E. Fussell, Mrs B.A. Jones, S. Kent, M.J. Prew, J. Pritchard plus Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James

8. Community Council Liaison Sub-Committee (16 members) 11 - 4 - 1

Councillors Mrs G. Bevan, Mrs A. Blackman, D. Bolter, C.J. Cuss, H. Davies, Miss E. Forehead, L. Gardiner, C. Hawker, A.G. Higgs, G.J. Hughes, M.P. James, A. Lewis, Ms P. Leonard, J. Pritchard, J.A. Pritchard, J.E. Roberts Invited - Cabinet Member for Community and Leisure Services - Councillor D.V. Poole

9. Constitutional Working Party (7 members) 4 - 2 - 1

Councillors Ms L. Ackerman, Mrs E.M. Aldworth, D. Carter, D.T. Davies, Mrs P. Cook, D. Rees, J. Taylor

10. Corporate Health and Safety Committee (7 members) 5 - 2

Councillors M. Adams, P.J. Bevan, D.T. Hardacre, D. Havard, A.G. Higgs, G.J. Hughes, S. Kent

11. Corporate Joint Consultative Committee (all Cabinet members)

Councillors D.T. Hardacre, Mrs C. Forehead, K. James, Mrs B.A. Jones, G. Jones, Mrs R. Passmore, D.V. Poole, K.V. Reynolds, T.J. Williams, R. Woodyatt

12. Education Achievement Service Board (EAS)

Councillor D.T. Hardacre

13. Grants to the Voluntary Sector Panel (15 members) 10 - 4 - 1

Councillors Ms L. Ackerman, Mrs A. Blackman, D.G. Carter, C.J. Cuss, R.W. Gough, D. Havard, C. Hawker, A.G. Higgs, A. Lewis, K. Lloyd, Mrs G.D. Oliver, M.J. Prew, R. Saralis, Mrs E. Stenner, Mrs J. Summers

14. Monmouthshire and Brecon Canal - Crumlin Arm Working Group (adjoining ward members (Abercarn/Crosskeys/Crumlin/Newbridge/Risca East/Risca West) and Cabinet Member)

Councillors Ms L. Ackerman, Mrs K.R. Baker, N. George, D.M. Gray, Mrs P. Griffiths, K. James, G. Johnston, Ms P. Leonard, A. Lewis, K. Lloyd, Mrs R. Passmore, D.W.R Preece, D. Rees plus Cabinet Member for Highways, Transportation and Engineering - Councillor T.J. Williams

15. Newbridge Town Centre Management Group (5 members - Crumlin/Newbridge Wards and Cabinet Member)

Councillors Ms L. Ackerman, Mrs K. Baker, G. Johnston, A. Lewis, K. Lloyd plus Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James

16. Pensions/Compensation Committee (8 members) 6 - 2 (including relevant Cabinet Member)

Councillors W. David, J.E. Fussell, Ms J. Gale, D.M. Gray, Ms J.G. Jones, C.P. Mann, S. Morgan plus appropriate Cabinet Member

17. Prosiect Gwyrdd Joint Scrutiny Panel (2 members) 1 - 1

Councillors J. Bevan, C. Elsbury

18. Rights of Way Cabinet Committee (5 Cabinet Members)

Councillors K. James, Mrs B. Jones, D.V. Poole, T.J. Williams, R. Woodyatt

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19. Risca Town Centre Management Group (6 members - Risca East/Risca West Wards and Cabinet Member)

Councillors N. George, Mrs P. Griffiths, Ms P. Leonard, Mrs R. Passmore, D. Rees plus Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James

20. River Rhymney Task Group (3 members) 2 - 1

Councillors D.G. Carter, M.P. James, R. Woodyatt

21. Scrutiny Leadership Group

Chairs and Vice Chairs of Scrutiny Committees, Democratic Services Committee and Audit Committee

22. Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education (6 members) 4 - 2

Councillors D.G. Carter, W. David, D.M. Gray, Mrs G.D. Oliver, Mrs M.E. Sargent, J. Taylor

23. View Point Panel

Education for Life } Health Social Care and Well Being } Policy and Resources } relevant Cabinet Members Regeneration and Environment }

24. Voluntary Sector Liaison Committee (15 members) 10 - 4 - 1

Councillors Ms L. Ackerman, Mrs E.M. Aldworth, J. Bevan, P.J. Bevan, D.G. Carter, Mrs P. Cook, R.W. Gough, Mrs P. Griffiths, C. Hawker, K. James, A. Lewis, J.A. Pritchard, A. Rees, Mrs J. Summers, R. Woodyatt

25. Ystrad Mynach Town Centre Management Group (5 members - Hengoed/Ystrad Mynach Wards and Cabinet Member)

Councillors A. Angel, D. Bolter, M. James, J.A. Pritchard plus Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James

CURRENT REPRESENTATIVES ON ASSOCIATIONS/OUTSIDE BODIES <u>1 YEAR UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED</u>

- 1. Animal Welfare Scheme (Gwent Police) Councillor Miss E. Forehead
- 2. Aneurin Bevan Community Health Council Councillors Mrs P. Cook, C. Hawker, J.A. Pritchard
- 3. Anti Poverty Champion Councillor G. Jones
- 4. Army Benevolent Fund Gwent Councillor A.G. Higgs
- 5. Armed Forces Community Covenant Champion Councillor A.G. Higgs
- 6. Arts Council For Wales South East Wales Board Cabinet Member for Education and Lifelong Learning - Mrs R. Passmore
- 7. Association of Public Services Excellence (APSE) Welsh Regional Committee Cabinet Members for Corporate Services, Housing, Highways, Transportation and Engineering - Councillors Mrs B.A. Jones, G. Jones and T.J. Williams
- 8. Caerphilly Adoption Panel Councillor D. Havard
- 9. Caerphilly Foster Panel Councillor Ms J. Gale
- 10 Caerphilly Groundwork Trust Board of Directors (to be disbanded when Groundwork Wales established) Councillors Mrs P. Cook, Ms P. Leonard, C.P. Mann
- 11. **Carbon Reduction Group** Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James
- 12. **Care and Repair Caerphilly** Cabinet Member for Housing - Councillor G. Jones and Mr K. Williams (Private Sector Housing Manager)
- 13 **Catalogue Supplies Joint Committee (Joint Supplies Service Joint Committee)** Cabinet Members for Corporate Services and Performance and Asset Management - Councillor Mrs B.A. Jones and D.T. Hardacre
- 14. **Child Poverty Champion** Cabinet Member for Social Services - Councillor R. Woodyatt
- 15. **Citizens Advice Bureau Trustee Board** Councillor Mrs C. Forehead
- 16. **Coleg Gwent Further Education Corporation (Crosskeys Community Partnership)** Councillor Mrs G. Oliver

17. Coleg Harlech WEA North

Cabinet Member for Education and Lifelong Learning - Councillor Mrs R. Passmore and Mrs S. Aspinall (Acting Deputy Chief Executive)

- 18. **Coleg Y Cymoedd Corporation (formerly Ystrad Mynach College Board of Governors)** Sian Farquharson, Challenge Advisor EAS
- 19. **Consortium of Local Authorities Wales (CLAW)** Leader of Council and Cabinet Member for Housing - Councillors K.V Reynolds and G. Jones

20. Corporate Parenting Group

Cabinet Members for Social Services and Education and Lifelong Learning - Councillors R. Woodyatt and Mrs R. Passmore, and D. Havard (Adoption Panel Member), Ms J. Gale (Fostering Panel Member), Ms L. Ackerman and J.A. Pritchard

21. Domestic Abuse Champion

Cabinet Members for Human Resources and Governance/Business Manager and Community and Leisure Service - Councillors Mrs C. Forehead and D.V. Poole

22. Domestic Abuse Forum

Cabinet Member for Human Resources and Governance/Business Manager - Councillor Mrs C. Forehead

- 23. **Equalities Champion** Councillor J. Pritchard
- 24. **Fields in Trust (formerly National Playing Fields Association)** Cabinet Member for Community and Leisure Services - Councillor D.V. Poole
- 25. **Glamorgan Archives Joint Committee** Councillors R.T. Davies and A.G. Higgs
- 26. **Greater Gwent (Torfaen) Pension Fund Management Group** Cabinet Members for Corporate Services and Human Resources and Governance/Business Manager - Mrs B.A. Jones, Mrs C. Forehead and Councillor C.P. Mann
- 27. **Greater Gwent Cremation Joint Committee** Councillors N. George and J. Taylor
- 28. Groundwork Wales (to replace Caerphilly Groundwork Trust Board of Directors) Councillor Mrs P. Cook
- 29. **Gwent Association of Voluntary Organisations** Councillors C. Hawker and J. Pritchard
- 30. **Gwent Frailty Joint Committee** Cabinet Member for Social Services - Councillor R. Woodyatt
- 31 **Gwent Archives Joint Committee** Councillors R.T. Davies and A.G. Higgs
- 32. **Gwent Police and Crime Panel** Councillors Mrs C. Forehead, C.P. Mann and Mrs G. Oliver
- Heads of the Valleys Joint Organics Project Joint Committee Cabinet Members for Community and Leisure Services and Corporate Services - Councillors D.V. Poole and Mrs B.A. Jones.

34. Homeless Person Champion

Cabinet Member for Housing - Councillor G. Jones

- 35. Industrial Communities Alliance (formerly Coalfield Communities Campaign) Cabinet Members for Education and Lifelong Learning and Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillors Mrs R. Passmore and K. James
- Islwyn Bowls Club Management Board Councillor G. Kirby and Cabinet Member for Community and Leisure Services - Councillor D.V. Poole
- 37. **Joint Council For Wales** Cabinet Members for Housing and Human Resources and Governance/Business Manager -Councillors G. Jones and Mrs C. Forehead
- 38. **The Learning Centre (formerly Pupil Referral Unit)** Chair of Education for Life Scrutiny Committee - Councillor W. David
- 39. Local Authority Action for Southern Africa (LAACTSA) Councillor R. Saralis
- 40. Local Government Association

Leader and Cabinet Members for Corporate Services, Housing and Community and Leisure Services – Councillors K.V. Reynolds, Mrs B.A. Jones, G. Jones and D.V. Poole

- 41. **Monmouthshire and Brecon Canal Regeneration Partnership** Cabinet Members for Highways, Transportation and Engineering and Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillors K. James and T. Williams (substitute Councillor A. Lewis)
- 42. **Monmouthshire Farm School Endowment Trust** Councillor D. Havard
- 43. **Older Persons Champion** Councillor Mrs C. Forehead
- 44. **Penallta Community Park Forum** Councillors A. Angel, Mrs A. Blackman, G.J. Hughes and J.A. Pritchard
- 45. **PFI Liaison Committee** Cabinet Member for Education and Lifelong Learning - Councillor Mrs R. Passmore
- 46. **Prosiect Gwyrdd Joint Committee** Cabinet Members for Community and Leisure Services and Corporate Services - Councillors D.V. Poole and Mrs B. Jones
- 47. **Regional Technical Statement (Aggregates)** Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James
- 48. **Reserve Forces and Cadets Association for Wales** Councillor A.G. Higgs
- 49. **Rest Convalescent Home, Porthcawl** Councillor D.W.R. Preece
- 50. Safer Caerphilly Community Safety Partnership Cabinet Member for Community and Leisure Services - Councillor D.V. Poole

51. Schools Admission Forum

Cabinet Member for Education and Lifelong Learning - Councillor Mrs R. Passmore

52. Schools Budget Forum

Cabinet Members for Education and Lifelong Learning and Corporate Services - Councillors Mrs R. Passmore and Mrs B. Jones

- 53. Sight Support (Gwent Association for the Blind) Councillor D.M. Gray
- 54. **South East Area Environment Group** Cabinet Member for Community and Leisure Services - Councillor D.V. Poole
- 55. **South East Wales Strategic Planning Group** Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Sustainable Development - Councillor K. James
- 56. **South East Wales Transport Alliance** Councillor D.G. Carter and Cabinet Member for Highways, Transportation and Engineering -Councillor T.J. Williams
- 57. South Wales Fire and Rescue Authority Councillors C. Elsbury, D.T. Davies and Mrs J. Jones
- 58. **South Wales Regional Aggregates Working Party** Cabinet Member for Highways, Transportation and Engineering - Councillor T.J. Williams
- 59. **Sportlot Community Chest Panel** Councillors J. Bevan, Mrs D. Price, A. Lewis
- 60. **St. Johns Cymru Wales** Councillor D.M. Gray
- 61. **Urban Commission (Local Government Association)** Cabinet Member for Community and Leisure Services - Councillor D.V. Poole
- 62. Valleys Regional Equality Council Councillor Mrs C. Forehead
- 63. Wales and National Nuclear Free Zone Forum Councillor R.T. Davies
- 64. Wales Council for Deaf People Councillor D.M. Gray - substitute C. Hawker
- 65 Welsh Books Council (3 years) and Wales Book Council Executive Committee (1 year) Councillor H.R. Davies
- 66. Welsh Centre for International Affairs Councillor R.T. Davies
- 67. Welsh Church Fund Cabinet Member for Corporate Services - Councillor Mrs B.A. Jones, Substitute - Councillor Mrs J. Summers
- 68. **Welsh Joint Education Committee** Cabinet Member for Education and Lifelong Learning - Councillor Mrs R. Passmore

69. Welsh Local Government Association

Leader and Cabinet Members for Corporate Services, Housing and Community and Leisure Services - Councillors K.V. Reynolds, Mrs B.A. Jones, G. Jones and D.V. Poole

70. Welsh Purchasing Consortium Cabinet Member for Corporate Services - Councillor Mrs B.A. Jones.

71. White Ribbon Campaign Councillor D.V. Poole

- 72. **Workers Education Association South Wales District Committee** Councillor R.T. Davies
- 73. Youth Champion (appointed by Youth Forum) Councillor M. Prew

74. Youth Forum

Councillors C. Cuss and J. Pritchard, Cabinet Member for Education and Lifelong Learning - Councillor Mrs R. Passmore and Young Peoples Champion