

<b>COUNCIL</b>	<b>AGENDA ITEM No. 13(e)</b>
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## **NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES TO THE EXECUTIVE DELEGATIONS**

<b>RECOMMENDATIONS</b>
<b>FROM : DIRECTOR OF GOVERNANCE</b>
That Council notes the changes made by the Leader to the Executive Delegations.

### **1. PURPOSE AND REASON FOR REPORT**

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to advise Council of changes made to the Executive Delegations by the Leader and for Council to note these changes.

### **2. CHANGE TO THE EXECUTIVE DELEGATIONS**

- 2.1 All executive functions are delegated to the Leader who may then delegate further to the Cabinet, Committees of Cabinet, Cabinet Members and Officers. Council noted the Leaders Scheme of Delegation to Cabinet Members and Officers.
- 2.2 As per Part 4, Section 7 of the Constitution, Executive Procedure Rules, Paragraph 1.4.2 the Leader may amend the scheme of delegation relating to executive functions at any time, giving written notice to the Monitoring Officer and to the person, body or Committee concerned.
- 2.3 The rules further stipulate that the Monitoring Officer will present a report to the next Ordinary meeting of the Council setting out the changes made by the Leader.

### **3. FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT AND PLANNING**

- 3.1 The responsibility for Flood Risk Management and Planning currently sits within the portfolio for the Cabinet Member for Communities and Environment Capital.
- 3.2 This portfolio is broad, encompassing environmental considerations and also rural, neighbourhood and communities issues.
- 3.3 This portfolio has seen an increase in workload over the last year and therefore in order to ensure a more even distribution of duties, the delegated responsibility for Flood Risk Management and Planning has been transferred to the portfolio for the Cabinet Member for Growth, Planning, Housing and Economic Development.
- 3.4 It is therefore for Council to formally note this change to the Executive Delegations for the remainder of the municipal year 2016/17.

### **4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 4.1 There are no financial implications to the delegation amendments.

## **5. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 5.1 There are no legal implications for the recommendations contained in the report.

## **6. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS**

- 6.1 Peterborough City Council's Constitution.  
Report to Annual Council 23 May 2016 – Appointment of Executive and Leader's Scheme of Delegation.