

<b>COUNCIL</b>	<b>AGENDA ITEM No. 10</b>
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## **EXECUTIVE AND COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS TO COUNCIL**

### **(a) CABINET RECOMMENDATION – FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT STRATEGY**

Cabinet, at its meeting of 20 July 2015, received a report which had been prepared in order to meet a statutory requirement for the Council to adopt a local flood risk management strategy. This followed public consultation on a draft strategy in 2014.

The purpose of the report was to consult and seek agreement from Cabinet that the Peterborough Flood Risk Management Strategy be recommended for adoption by Full Council (*as also detailed within the record of executive decisions report at agenda item 11*).

**IT IS RECOMMENDED** that:

Council adopts the Flood Risk Management Strategy.

(The original Cabinet report and appendices follow this report).

### **(b) CABINET RECOMMENDATION – MEDIUM TERM FINANCIAL STRATEGY 2016/17 TO 2025/26**

Cabinet, at its meeting of 21 September 2015, received a report which formed part of the Council's agreed process within the Budget and Policy Framework that required Cabinet to initiate and consider financial strategy and budget proposals in order to set a balanced budget for the forthcoming financial year.

The purpose of the report was to:

- Update Members on the forecast financial position of the Council for both the current and future financial years;
- Outline national and local issues which would need consideration within the medium term financial strategy for 2016/17 onwards; and
- Set out the proposed process and timetable for the 2016/17 budget process including dates for the 'budget conversation' with the public.

Cabinet endorsed the recommendations as contained within the report, including the recommendation to Council (*as also detailed within the record of executive decisions report at agenda item 11*).

**IT IS RECOMMENDED** that:

Council approves amendments to the 'Budget Framework Procedure Rules' to follow a two stage budget process as set out in section 7 of the Cabinet report.

(The original Cabinet report follows this report).

**(c) EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION – SHARED CHIEF EXECUTIVE ARRANGEMENTS BETWEEN PETERBOROUGH CITY COUNCIL AND CAMBRIDGESHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

Employment Committee, at its meeting of 17 September 2015, received a report which followed an approach made by Cambridgeshire County Council to Peterborough City Council of exploring the possibility of a shared Chief Executive arrangement following the resignation of the Chief Executive at Cambridgeshire County Council.

The purpose of the report was for the Committee to consider the outcome of exploratory discussions, to endorse the proposal and to recommend to Council that it approves the shared arrangements and enters into an agreement with Cambridgeshire County Council for a shared Chief Executive.

**IT IS RECOMMENDED** that Council:

Approves the shared arrangements and enters into an agreement with Cambridgeshire County Council for a shared Chief Executive.

(The original Employment Committee report and appendix follows this report).