

Swindon Borough Council

Cabinet Panel on School Organisation

Thursday, 5 June 2008

Committee Room 6, Civic Offices
(Anticipated meeting room)

At 3.30 p.m.

Conservative Councillors

Fionuala Foley

Nick Martin

Garry Perkins

Colin Lovell

Brian Mattock

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AGENDA

- 1. Appointment of Chair.**
- 2. Apologies for Absence.**
- 3. The Permanent Expansion of Abbey Meads, Catherine Wayte and Haydonleigh Primary Schools. (GDC) (AM); (HW); (Pages 1 - 78)**

Date of Despatch: 28 May 2008

Key:

Officers:

CE	-	Chief Executive
DCE /	-	Deputy Chief Executive and Group Director: Environment and
GDER		Regeneration
GDC	-	Group Director: Children
GDHSC	-	Group Director: Housing & Social Care
GDBT	-	Group Director: Business Transformation
DF-C	-	Director of Finance – Chief Executive's
DAP-C	-	Director of Access and Provision - Children
DLDS-B	-	Director of Law and Democratic Services – Business Transformation

Wards

AM	-	Abbey Meads
HW	-	Haydon Wick

Cabinet Members Responsible for the Service Area concerned:

RB	-	Roderick Bluh	Leader of the Council and Chair of Cabinet
FF	-	Fionuala Foley	Deputy Leader of the Council, Cabinet Member for Corporate Affairs, Vice-Chair of Cabinet
PG	-	Peter Greenhalgh	Cabinet Member for Highways, Transport and Strategic Planning
NM	-	Nick Martin	Cabinet Member for Resources
GP	-	Garry Perkins	Cabinet Member for Children's Services
DR	-	David Renard	Cabinet Member for Health, Housing and Adult Social Care
JT	-	Justin Tomlinson	Cabinet Member for Leisure, Culture and Recreation
CL	-	Colin Lovell	Cabinet Member for Community and Neighbourhoods
BM	-	Brian Mattock	Cabinet Member for Local Environment
PY	-	Philip Young	Cabinet Member for Economic Development, Regeneration and Development

Role / Terms of Reference - *The Cabinet Panel on School Organisation (a Sub-Committee of Cabinet) was established by Cabinet in June 2007 to deal with issues of School Organisation. This followed changes in legislation that led to School Organisation Committees being abolished.*

The Panel comprises of any 5 members of Cabinet for each meeting, will consider the outcomes of consultation across a range of school organisation issues such as school expansions, closures and opening of new schools subject to "competition regulations".

Public Question Time - *Swindon Borough Council is committed to increasing its accountability to the public and to promoting active citizenship. Up to 15 minutes will be allowed at the start of all Council meetings for questions to the Chair from members of the public about the work of the Committee (except for confidential matters and specific planning applications). Questions must be relevant, clear and concise. Because of time constraints Public Question Time is not an opportunity to make speeches or statements. Prior notice of a question to the Director of Law and Democratic Services is desirable - particularly if detailed background information is needed.*

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