

APPEALS COMMITTEE

FRIDAY, 19 MAY 2017

PRESENT:- Councillors Mary Martin (Chair), Junab Ali, Abdul Amin, John Ballman, C Alan Bishop, Wayne Crabbe, Malcolm Davies, Stephanie Exell, John Haines, Dale Heenan, Colin Lovell, Nick Martin, Cathy Martyn, Gemma McCracken, Derique Montaut, Teresa Page, Kevin Parry, Eric Shaw, Carol Shelley, Vera Tomlinson, Joe Tray, Nadine Watts, Peter Watts and David Wood.

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Mary Friend and Julie Wright.

1. Minutes

Resolved - That the minutes of the meeting held on 20th May 2016 be confirmed and signed.

2. Declarations of Interest

The Chair reminded Members of the need to declare any known interests in any matters to be considered at the meeting. No declarations were made.

3. Public Question Time

There were no public questions.

4. Local Government Act 1989 - Section 15: Review of Political Balance Arrangements

Resolved – That, further to Minute 10(2) of the Council, and having carried out a review under Section 15 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 this Committee continue to apply political balance arrangements under the Act.

5. Appointment of Sub-Committees and Panels

Resolved – (1) That an Ad Hoc Appeals Sub-Committee be appointed, having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2017/18” and comprising Steve Allsopp, Fionuala Foley, Jim Grant, Russell Holland, Mary Martin, Carol Shelley and David Renard.

(Deputies: All remaining Members of their respective Political Groups.)

(2) That an Education Transport Appeals Sub-Committee be appointed, having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2017/18” and comprising 3 Councillors to be drawn from Councillors serving on this Committee.

(Deputies: All remaining Members of their respective Political Groups.)

(3) That a Housing Tenancy Panel Introductory Tenancy Review Board be appointed to consider Introductory Tenancy Appeals and comprising 3 Councillors to be drawn from Councillors serving on this Committee.

(Deputies: All remaining Members of their respective Political Groups.)

(4) That a Social Services Review Panel be appointed, having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2017/18” and comprising 3 Councillors to be drawn from Councillors serving on this Committee.

(Deputies: All remaining Members of their respective Political Groups.)

(6) That a Staff Appeals Sub-Committee be appointed, having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2017/18” and comprising Councillors Steve Allsopp, Fionuala Foley, Jim Grant, Russell Holland, Mary Martin, Carol Shelley and David Renard.

(Deputies: All remaining Members of their respective Political Groups.)