Minutes of the Meeting of the General Services Committee held on 2 March 2016 at 10.00 am

Present:	Councillors John Kent (Chair), Mark Coxshall, Roy Jones, Lynn Worrall, James Halden (Substitute) (substitute for Robert Gledhill), Gerard Rice (Substitute) (substitute for Barbara Rice) and Peter Smith (Substitute) (substitute for Graham Snell)
Apologies:	Councillors Robert Gledhill, Barbara Rice and Graham Snell
In attendance:	Lyn Carpenter, Chief Executive Jackie Hinchliffe, Director of HR, OD & Transformation Matthew Boulter, Principal Democratic Services Officer

Before the start of the Meeting, all present were advised that the meeting may be filmed and was being recorded, with the audio recording to be made available on the Council's website.

1. Declarations of Interests

There were no declarations of interest.

2. Interviews for Corporate Director of Environment and Place

The Committee received an update from the Chief Executive that Mr David Thompson had not accepted the offer of the Corporate Director for Commercial Services and Commissioning.

The Committee interviewed the candidates for the role of Corporate Director of Environment and Place.

RESOLVED that Mr. Steve Cox be offered the role of Corporate Director of Environment and Place subject to the relevant HR checks.

The meeting finished at 2.00 pm

Approved as a true and correct record

CHAIR

DATE

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