

PUBLIC Minutes of the Meeting of the General Services Committee held on 4 November 2015 at 7.00 pm

- Present:** Councillors John Kent (Chair), Mark Coxshall, Roy Jones, Barbara Rice and Graham Snell
- Apologies:** Councillors Robert Gledhill (Vice-Chair) and Lynn Worrall
- In attendance:** Stefanie Seff, Corporate Procurement, Strategy and Delivery Manager
Stephanie Cox, Senior Democratic Services Officer
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15. Minutes

The minutes of the General Services Committee held on 6 August 2015 were agreed as a correct record.

16. Items of Urgent Business

There were no items of urgent business.

17. Declarations of Interests

There were no declarations of interest.

18. Corporate Cleaning Services - Approval of admitted body status to the Local Government Pension Fund

The report presented the results of the pension risk assessment following the award of the Corporate Cleaning contract, and set out the pension implications associated with the admission agreement within the Local Government Pension Scheme.

RESOLVED:

- 1. To endorse that the Council as the Transferor Scheme Employer enter into an agreement with Essex County Council Pension Fund as Administering Authority and Servest Group Ltd as Transferee Admission body to enter into a admitted body agreement within the Local Government Pension Scheme.**
- 2. That the Admitted Body agreement pension risks be monitored through the agreed governance framework for the contract, together with the pension scheme actuaries, and the Pension Fund Administrators, Essex County Council.**

The meeting finished at 7.03 pm

Approved as a true and correct record

CHAIR

DATE

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