

Minutes of the Meeting of the General Services Committee held on 1 March 2016 at 10.00 am

Present: Councillors John Kent (Chair), Roy Jones, Barbara Rice, Chris Baker (Substitute) (substitute for Graham Snell) and James Halden (Substitute) (substitute for Robert Gledhill)

Apologies: Councillors Robert Gledhill (Vice-Chair) 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.

33. Declarations of Interests

There were no declarations of interest.

34. Interview for Corporate Director of Commercial Services and Commissioning

Members interviewed the candidates.

RESOLVED that David Thompson be offered the role of Corporate Director of Commercial Services and Commissioning subject to the relevant HR checks.

35. Interview for Corporate Director of Children's Services

Members interviewed the candidates.

RESOLVED that Rory Patterson be offered the role of Corporate Director of Children's Services 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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