Agenda for the Constitutional and Nomination Committee

2 December 2009

Constitutional and Nomination Committee

Date: Wednesday 2 December 2009

Time: 9.30 a.m.

Venue: Council Chamber Ante Room, Level 3, Town Hall Extension

Everybody is welcome to attend Council and Committee meetings.

Membership: Councillor Curley (Chair)			
Cllr Ashley	Cllr J. Battle	Cllr Burns	Cllr Eakins
Cllr Commons	Cllr Karney	Cllr Leese	Cllr Hassan
Cllr S. Newman	Cllr Shannon	Cllr Watson	Cllr Whitmore

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Standard agenda items

1 Urgent Business

To consider any items which the Chair has agreed to have submitted as urgent.

2 Appeals

To consider any appeals from the public against refusal to allow inspection of background documents and/or the inclusion of items in the confidential part of the agenda.

3 Interests

To allow Members an opportunity to [a] declare any personal or prejudicial interests they might have in any items which appear on this agenda; and [b] record any items from which they are precluded from voting as a result of Council Tax/Council rent arrears.

Members with a personal interest should declare that interest at the start of the item under consideration. If members also have a prejudicial interest, then in addition to declaring it, they **must** also withdraw from the meeting during the consideration of the item.

4 Minutes

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on 6 October 2009.

Items for which recommendations will be made to the City Council for approval

5. Membership of Council committees and representation on joint boards and joint committees

To consider proposed changes to the membership of committees and joint boards/joint committees.

(Note if the changes proposed involve re-consideration of a decision taken by the Council with the previous 6 months the Committee will need to request the Council to suspend Procedural Rule 25.1)



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Items for which decisions will be made by the Committee under powers delegated to it under the Council Constitution

No items on this agenda.