

**Havering Council – Decisions taken by the Council on Wednesday, 27 May 2026**

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**Note: this decision list is for guidance only. The text of the minutes, which may be different, is definitive.**

**Part A – Items considered in public**

<b>A2</b>	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	There were no apologies for absence.
<b>A3</b>	DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS	There were no disclosures of interest.
<b>A5</b>	MAYORALTY 2026/27	Councillor Maggie Themistocli elected as Mayor for the municipal year 2026/27 by 41 votes to 11 for Councillor Barry Mugglestone with 3 abstentions.
<b>A6</b>	MINUTES	Minutes of the Council meeting held on 18 March 2026 agreed a as correct record without division.
<b>A8</b>	APPOINTMENT OF THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL 2026/30	Councillor Keith Prince elected as Leader of the Council for the 2026/2030 by 43 votes to 1 against with 11 abstentions.
<b>A9</b>	APPOINTING THE COMMITTEES OF THE COUNCIL AND THE SCHEME OF DELEGATION	Report agreed without division.
<b>A10</b>	APPOINTMENT OF THE CHAIRMEN AND VICE-CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES	<p>Motion to amend the nomination of Reform UK Havering Group for the position of Vice-Chairman of Governance Committee, agreed without division.</p> <p>Members were appointed by Council to positions as follows:</p>

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<b>A11</b>	APPOINTMENT OF THE MEMBER CHAMPIONS	<p>Report proposing additional categories of Member Champion agreed without division.</p> <p>Member Champions were appointed by Council to positions as follows:</p>																																				

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		Member Champion	Councillor
		Anti-knife Crime	Terry Brown
		Armed Forces	Alex Donald
		Disabilities	Della Morton
		Equality & Diversity	Della Morton
		Historic Environment	Martynas Cekavicius
		Over 50s	Liz Tyler
		Veterans	Luke Barry
		Voluntary Sector	Angelica Ola
		Wildlife	Kevin Ayres
		Young People	Khuram Amin