



REPORT OF THE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

Full Council: 23 NOVEMBER 2022

APPOINTMENTS TO OUTSIDE BODIES AND OTHER ORGANISATIONS – STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION, WENNINGTON COMMUNITY LIAISON COMMITTEE AND DURHAM ESTATE TENANTS' ASSOCIATION (DELTA)

At its meeting on 24 August 2022, the Governance Committee agreed to change the process for appointments to Outside Bodies and other Organisations.

An urgent requirement for nominations has arisen from the Standing Advisory Council for Religious Education (SACRE). The Council is therefore asked to appoint up to two further Councillors as Member representatives on SACRE in order that this body may be quorate and can convene meetings. There is no requirement for the nominations to be politically balanced.

The Terms of Reference are attached for information and the organisations are particularly keen to appoint Members with an interest in education. Councillors Jacqueline McArdle and Laurance Garrard have expressed interest in the vacancy.

RECOMMENDATION:

That Full Council agrees the appointment of Councillors Jacqueline McArdle and Laurance Garrard to SACRE for the forthcoming Municipal Year.

A requirement has also arisen for a representative to be appointed to the Wennington Community Liaison Committee. This is to allow the Committee to be quorate and proceed with its meetings. It was agreed by Governance Committee on 24 August that the Council's representative on this organisation should be a Rainham & Wennington Ward Member. Councillors Jacqueline McArdle has expressed interest in the vacancy and has the support of her fellow Ward Councillors.

RECOMMENDATION:

That Full Council agrees the appointment of Councillors Jacqueline McArdle to the Wennington Community Liaison Committee until May 2026.

A requirement has also arisen for a representative to be appointed to the Durham Estate Tenants' Association to facilitate effective liaison with the Council. It was

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agreed by Governance Committee on 24 August that the Council's representative on this organisation should be a Squirrel's Heath Ward Member. Councillor Keith Prince has expressed interest in the vacancy and has the support of his fellow Ward Councillors.

RECOMMENDATION:

That Full Council agrees the appointment of Councillor Keith Prince to the Durham Estate Tenants' Association