

General Purposes Committee

Tuesday, 3 November 2009 at 6.30 pm

Committee Room 3, Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley, HA9 9HD

Membership:

Members first alternates Second alternates

Councillors: Councillors: Councillors:

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The press and public are welcome to attend this meeting



Agenda

Introductions, if appropriate.

Apologies for absence and clarification of alternate members

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1 Declarations of personal and prejudicial interests

Members are invited to declare at this stage of the meeting, any relevant financial or other interest in the items on this agenda.

2 Minutes of the previous meeting

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- 3 Matters arising (if any)
- 4 Deputations (if any)
- 5 Polling District Review

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The 1983 Representation of the People Act as amended places a duty on the Council to divide its area into polling districts for parliamentary and other elections. These districts must also be kept under review so as to ensure that electors are given reasonable facilities for voting.

This report proposes alterations to polling district boundaries bringing them into line with the new parliamentary constituency boundaries that come into effect at the next General Election. Some further alterations to boundaries are also proposed to rationalise the existing layout and also to the names of polling districts to recognise the new constituencies.

The polling district maps are attached separately.

Ward Affected: All Wards; Contact Officer: Peter Goss,

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6 New Post - Assistant Director - Building Schools for the Future 21 - 38 (BSF), Children and Families

This report concerns the creation and grading of a new post of Assistant Director – Building Schools for the Future (BSF) to lead the BSF transformation programme.

Ward Affected: Contact Officer: John Christie, Director

of Children and Families

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7 Appointments to Sub-Committees/Outside Bodies (if any)

8 Any Other Urgent Business

Notice of items to be raised under this heading must be given in writing to the Democratic Services Manager or his representative before the meeting in accordance with Standing Order 64.

9 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the General Purposes Committee is scheduled for the 24th November 2009.



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