



Full Council – 18 September 2023

Agenda Item 5 – Appointments to Committees, Outside Bodies and of Independent Co-opted Member

Standing Order 30(g) states that, if necessary, Full Council is required to agree appointments to committees and outside bodies. In addition to the changes listed Council is being asked to confirm the appointment of an Independent Person

Such appointments are set out below:

Cabinet Membership

Council is asked to note that the Leader of the Council has appointed Councillor Shama Tatler to cover the role of Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Finance, Resources and Reform whilst Councillor Mili Patel is on maternity leave. This will be in addition to Councillor Tatler's existing remit as Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning & Growth.

Committee Appointments:

1. General Purposes Committee – Councillor Harbi Farah to replace Councillor Mili Patel as a full member with Councillor Shama Tatler to be appointed as Vice-Chair. Councillor Harbi Farah to be replaced by a vacancy as substitute member.
2. Health & Wellbeing Board – Councillor Shama Tatler to replace Councillor Mili Patel as a full member
3. Joint Borough IT Committee Brent, Lewisham & Southwark - To note that the Leader of the Council has appointed Councillor Shama Tatler to replace Councillor Mili Patel as full member and Brent's Chair.



4. Barham Park Trust Committee - To note that the Leader of the Council has appointed Councillor Knight to replace Councillor Mili Patel as a full member with an accompanying vacancy as substitute member.

Outside Bodies:

1. London Council's Leaders Committee – Councillor Shama Tatler to replace Councillor Mili Patel as deputy.
2. London Council's Greater London Employment Forum – To note that the Leader of the Council has appointed Councillor Shama Tatler to replace Councillor Mili Patel as deputy.
3. London Council's Grants Committee – To note that the Leader of the Council has appointed Councillor Fleur Donnelly-Jackson to replace Councillor Mili Patel as Brent's full representative with Councillor Shama Tatler as deputy.

Independent Co-opted Member Audit & Standards Advisory Committee

Full Council's agreement is sought to the proposed appointment of an Independent co-opted member of the Audit & Standards Advisory Committee. Appointments to Council Committees require the agreement of Full Council in accordance with the Council's Constitution, Standing Order 30(g).

The Audit & Standards Advisory Committee includes up to two additional Independent co-opted members who have a particular responsibility for Standards matters. Following the resignation of Rachel Tiffen, Council is asked to agree the appointment of Rhys Jarvis to the second of these positions for a 4-year term. Mr Jarvis has recently concluded his rotation as one of two Independent Members of the South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority (SYMCA), where he served the South Yorkshire Community for the last six years. In that capacity he was both Independent Vice-Chair of the SYMCA Audit Standards & Risk Committee and Independent Vice-Chair of the recently disbanded SYPTE Risk & Audit Committee.

Full Council is therefore asked:



To agree the appointment of Rhys Jarvis (as detailed above) as an Independent co-opted member of the Audit & Standards Advisory Committee for a four-year term of office, ending at the Council's Annual Meeting in May 2027 (subject to confirmation of the ongoing appointment at the Annual Council meeting each year).