

CABINET

DATE: Tuesday, 13 January 2015

TIME: 6.00 p.m.

VENUE: Council Chamber, City Hall

Distribution:

Mayor: George Ferguson

Deputy & Assistant Mayors: Cllr Geoff Gollop, Cllr Mark Bradshaw,

Cllr Simon Cook, Cllr Brenda Massey & Cllr Daniella Radice

Note: This agenda sets out details of the decisions which will be

recommended for the Mayor's approval on 13 January 2015.

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AGENDA

PART A - STANDARD ITEMS OF BUSINESS:

1. Public forum (up to one hour is allowed for this item)

PLEASE NOTE: as a result of constitutional changes agreed by the Full Council on 10 June 2014, public forum business at Cabinet meetings must be about matters on the agenda.

The order of business for public forum will be:

- a. Petitions and statements from Bristol residents (petitions to be heard before statements).
- b. Questions from Bristol residents.
- c. Petitions and statements notified by councillors (petitions to be heard before statements).
- d. Questions from councillors.

PLEASE ALSO NOTE:

Petitions and statements (must be about matters on the agenda):

- Members of the public and members of the Council, provided they give notice in writing or by e-mail (and include their name, address, and details of the wording of the petition, and, in the case of a statement, a copy of the submission) by no later than 12.00 noon on the working day before the meeting, may present a petition or submit a statement to the Cabinet.
- One statement per member of the public and one statement per member of Council shall be admissible.
- A maximum of one minute shall be allowed to present each petition and statement.
- The deadline for receipt of petitions and statements for the 13 January
 Cabinet is 12.00 noon on Monday 12 January. These should be sent,
 in writing or by e-mail to:
 Democratic Services, Room 220, City Hall, College Green, Bristol BS1

5TR, e-mail: democratic.services@bristol.gov.uk

Questions (must be about matters on the agenda):

- A question may be asked by a member of the public or a member of Council, provided they give notice in writing or by e-mail (and include their name and address) no later than 3 clear working days before the day of the meeting.
- Questions must identify the member of the executive to whom they are put.
- A maximum of 2 written questions per person can be asked. At the meeting, a maximum of 2 supplementary questions may be asked. A supplementary question must arise directly out of the original question or reply.
- Replies to questions will be given verbally at the meeting. If a reply cannot be given at the meeting (including due to lack of time) or if written confirmation of the verbal reply is requested by the questioner, a written reply will be provided within 10 working days of the meeting.
- The deadline for receipt of questions for the 13 January Cabinet is
 5.00 pm on Wednesday 7 January. These should be sent, in writing or by e-mail to:

Democratic Services, Room 220, City Hall, College Green, Bristol BS1 5TR, e-mail: democratic.services@bristol.gov.uk

2. Declarations of interest

To note any interests of the Mayor / executive relevant to the consideration of items on this agenda.

3. Matters referred to the Mayor for reconsideration by a scrutiny commission or by the Full Council (subject to a maximum of 3 items):

None.

4. Reports from scrutiny commissions:

None as at the circulation date of this agenda.

PART B: KEY DECISIONS - TO BE TAKEN BY THE MAYOR:

5. 2015/16 Budget and 2015/16 – 2017/18 Medium Term Financial Strategy

Ward: citywide

6. Digital advertising

Ward: Cabot

7. Procurement of professional consultancy services

Ward: Citywide

8. Ashton Vale to Temple Meads and Bristol City Centre MetroBus scheme – contingency funding and risk management

Ward: Cabot, Lawrence Hill, Southville and Bedminster

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