COUNCIL

ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING HELD AT THE TOWN HALL, BOOTLE ON THURSDAY 21ST MAY, 2015

PRESENT: The Mayor (Councillor Kermode) in the Chair

The Deputy Chair (Councillor Cluskey) Vice Chair

Councillors Ashton, Atkinson, Ball, David Barton, Maria Bennett, Veronica Bennett, Bliss, Booth,

Bradshaw, Brennan, Burns, Byrom, Carr, Carragher,

Cummins, Dams, Dawson, Dodd, Dutton, Fairclough, Maureen Fearn, Lord Fearn, Friel, Gatherer, Grace, Hale, Hands, Hardy, Hartill,

Jamieson, Jones, Keith, John Kelly,

John Joseph Kelly, Killen, Lappin, Daniel Lewis,

Dan T. Lewis, Maher, Mahon, McGinnity,

S. McGuire, McKinley, Moncur, Murphy, O'Brien, Owens, Page, Preece, Robinson, Roche, Sayers,

Shaw, Spencer, Tweed, Veidman, Weavers,

Webster and Welsh

6. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Jo Barton, Brodie-Browne, Dowd, Kerrigan and Thompson.

7. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of any disclosable pecuniary interest were received.

8. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the Council meeting held on 23 April 2015 be approved as a correct record.

9. MAYOR'S COMMUNICATIONS

Election of New Councillors

The Mayor congratulated all of the Councillors who were re-elected to office following the Local Government Elections held on 7 May 2015, and extended a warm welcome to the following 7 new Councillors elected to office, who stood up in the Council Chamber to introduce themselves to the other Members of the Council:

Harry Bliss, Clare Carragher, Timothy Hale, Simon Jamieson, Daniel Terence Lewis, John Sayers and Paula Spencer.

Councillor Not Re-Elected

The Mayor indicated that he wished to place on record the gratitude of the Council to Tony Robertson, the former Councillor who was not re-elected to office, for his dedicated service to the Borough of Sefton over a period of 16 years.

Annual Council and Installation Dinner

The Mayor thanked all of the Councillors who attended his Installation Ceremony and Dinner on 19 May 2015 and expressed the hope that they had all enjoyed themselves.

Dr. Janet Atherton, Director of Public Health

The Mayor reported that this would be the last Council meeting that Dr. Janet Atherton, Director of Public Health, would attend before she left the Council at the end of June 2015.

Janet had worked in Sefton as the Director of Public Health since 2002 formerly as part of the NHS and since 2013 as an employee of Sefton Council.

Janet trained in medicine and Public Health in the North East before moving to the North West in 1994. She had played a significant part in Public Health over the last 20 years and had gained a national reputation, having been President of the Association of Directors of Public Health for the last three years.

The Mayor indicated that Janet was off to pursue a career in consultancy and on behalf of the Council he extended best wishes to Janet for every success in her future ventures.

10. ELECTION RESULTS - 7 MAY 2015

The Council considered the report of the Chief Executive and Returning Officer on the results of the Council Elections held on 7 May 2015.

It was moved by Councillor Grace, seconded by Councillor Fairclough and

RESOLVED:

That the report be noted.

11. LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

It was moved by Councillor Grace, seconded by Councillor Fairclough and

RESOLVED:

That Councillor Maher be appointed as the Leader of the Council for a four year term of office or until such time as his term of office expires.

12. CABINET AND DEPUTY LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

It was moved by Councillor Maher, seconded by Councillor Hardy:

"That

- (1) it be noted that Councillor Fairclough had been appointed as the Deputy Leader of the Council for a four year term of office or until such time as his term of office expires;
- (2) it be noted that the Cabinet comprising the Members indicated below had been appointed for a four year term of office or until such time as their term of office expires, they are removed by the Leader or for any of the reasons set out in Paragraph 4 (a) to (c) of Chapter 5 in the Constitution:

Cabinet (9)

Portfolio	Member
Leader of the Council	Councillor Maher
Cabinet Member – Adult Social Care	Councillor Cummins
Cabinet Member – Children, Schools and Safeguarding	Councillor John Joseph Kelly
Cabinet Member – Communities and Housing	Councillor Hardy
Cabinet Member – Health and Wellbeing	Councillor Moncur
Cabinet Member – Locality Services	Councillor Fairclough
Cabinet Member – Regeneration and Skills	Councillor Atkinson
Cabinet Member – Regulatory, Compliance and Corporate Services	Councillor Lappin
Cabinet Member – Chair of Planning	Councillor Veidman

- (3) the Portfolios set out in Chapter 5 of the Constitution be amended and agreed with the Leader and be lodged with the Monitoring Officer as set out in Paragraph 9 of Chapter 5 in the Constitution;
- (4) it be noted that there would be no additional cost of the above arrangements because the Special Responsibility Allowance for Cabinet Members would be adjusted to ensure the new arrangements are cost neutral and the Independent Remuneration Panel be requested to confirm this position; and
- (5) the Monitoring officer be authorised to make any consequential amendments to the Constitution arising from the matters set out above, all Members of the Council be notified of those changes in due course and if necessary, any changes be referred to the Audit and Governance Committee for consideration."

An amendment was moved by Councillor Dawson, seconded by Councillor Shaw that Paragraph 4 of the Motion be amended by deleting the existing text and substituting it with the following text:

- "(a) The Council does not wish to have any increased expenditure incurred through increased allowances to Cabinet Members; and
- (b) In accordance with S.19(1) of the Local Authorities (Members' Allowances) (England) Regulations 2003, Council requests the Independent Remuneration Panel to convene urgently to consider the responsibilities of members of the Leader's proposed enlarged Cabinet and to bring forward recommendations so that the Council may determine any appropriate changes to the Scheme of Members Allowances in accordance with these Regulations."

On a show of hands, the Mayor declared that the amendment was lost by 44 votes to 14 with one abstention.

A further amendment was moved by Councillor Preece, seconded by Councillor Hands that Paragraph 2 of the Motion be amended by the addition of the following text:

"In order to recognise the continued importance of Tourism to the economy of the Borough of Sefton, Council requests that the Leader should re-title the post of Cabinet Member for Regeneration and Skills as 'Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Tourism and Skills'."

On a show of hands, the Mayor declared that the amendment was lost by 38 votes to 20.

Thereafter, on a show of hands, the Mayor declared that the Motion was carried by 38 votes to 8 with 13 abstentions and it was

RESOLVED:

That

- (1) it be noted that Councillor Fairclough had been appointed as the Deputy Leader of the Council for a four year term of office or until such time as his term of office expires;
- it be noted that the Cabinet comprising the Members indicated below had been appointed for a four year term of office or until such time as their term of office expires, they are removed by the Leader or for any of the reasons set out in Paragraph 4 (a) to (c) of Chapter 5 in the Constitution:

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Cabinet Member – Health and Wellbeing	Councillor Moncur
Cabinet Member – Locality Services	Councillor Fairclough
Cabinet Member – Regeneration and Skills	Councillor Atkinson
Cabinet Member – Regulatory, Compliance and Corporate Services	Councillor Lappin
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- (3) the Portfolios set out in Chapter 5 of the Constitution be amended and agreed with the Leader and be lodged with the Monitoring Officer as set out in Paragraph 9 of Chapter 5 in the Constitution;
- (4) it be noted that there would be no additional cost of the above arrangements because the Special Responsibility Allowance for

Cabinet Members would be adjusted to ensure the new arrangements are cost neutral and the Independent Remuneration Panel be requested to confirm this position; and

(5) the Monitoring officer be authorised to make any consequential amendments to the Constitution arising from the matters set out above, all Members of the Council be notified of those changes in due course and if necessary, any changes be referred to the Audit and Governance Committee for consideration.

13. APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES AND WORKING GROUPS 2015/16

The Council considered a schedule which provided details of the allocation of Committee Places in accordance with the Political Balance Rules and the proposed Membership of the Committees and Working Groups for 2015/16.

It was moved by Councillor Maher, seconded by Councillor Fairclough:

"That

- (1) the allocation of Committee Places in accordance with the Political Balance Rules, as set out in the schedule be noted;
- (2) the Members, Chairs and Vice-Chairs for the Committees and Working Groups as set out in the schedule be appointed for a period of twelve months until the Adjourned Annual Council Meeting to be held in May 2016; and
- (3) it be noted that the titles of the four Overview and Scrutiny Committees had changed and the Monitoring officer be authorised to make any consequential amendments to the terms of reference for the Committees in the Constitution, that all Members of the Council would be notified of the changes in due course and if necessary any changes would be referred to the Audit and Governance Committee for consideration."

An amendment was moved by Councillor McGuire, seconded by Councillor Booth that Paragraph (2) of the Motion be amended by the addition of the following text:

"except that the Chair of the Audit and Governance Committee be held by an Opposition Member."

Following debate thereon, on a show of hands, the Mayor declared that the amendment was lost by 38 votes to 21.

Thereafter, on a show of hands, the Mayor declared that the Motion was carried by 38 votes to 21 and it was

RESOLVED:

That

- the allocation of Committee places in accordance with the Political Balance Rules, as set out below, be noted;
- (2) the Members, Chairs and Vice-Chairs for the Committees and Working Groups set out below be appointed for a period of twelve months until the Adjourned Annual Council Meeting to be held in May 2016; and
- (3) it be noted that the titles of the four Overview and Scrutiny Committees had changed and the Monitoring officer be authorised to make any consequential amendments to the terms of reference for the Committees in the Constitution, that all Members of the Council would be notified of the changes in due course and if necessary any changes would be referred to the Audit and Governance Committee for consideration.

(A) OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEES

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE (ADULT SOCIAL CARE) (10)

(Plus 2 Associate Members)

(Lab 7 /Lib Dem 2 /Con 1)

	Member	Substitute
1.	Chair: Cllr. Page	Cllr. O'Brien
2.	Vice-Chair: Cllr. Dams	Cllr. Webster
3.	Cllr. David Barton	Cllr. Jones
4.	Cllr. Brodie-Browne	Cllr. Welsh
5.	Cllr. Burns	Cllr. Cluskey
6.	Cllr. Dawson	Cllr. Keith
7.	Cllr. Gatherer	Cllr. Bradshaw
8.	Cllr. Grace	Cllr. Killen
9.	Cllr. Hale	Cllr. Brennan
10.	Cllr. Thompson	Cllr. Daniel Terence Lewis

Associate Members:(Non-voting Co-opted Members) -

Mr. Brian Clark and Mr. Roger Hutchings (Nominated by Healthwatch, Sefton)

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE (CHILDREN'S SERVICES AND SAFEGUARDING) (10)

(Plus 4 Education Added Members and 3 Associate Members)

(Lab 6 /Lib Dem 3 /Con 1)

	<u>Member</u>	<u>Substitute</u>
4	Ob aim Olla Marmalari	Olla O'Drian
1.	Chair: Cllr. Murphy	Cllr. O'Brien
2.	Vice-Chair: Cllr. Webster	Cllr. Brennan
3.	Cllr. Ball	Cllr. Dutton
4.	Cllr. Booth	Cllr. M. Fearn
5.	Cllr. Bradshaw	Cllr. Page
6	Cllr. Carragher	Cllr. Byrom
7.	Cllr. Gatherer	Cllr. Carr
8.	Cllr. Hands	Cllr. Preece
9.	Cllr. Keith	Cllr. Jo Barton
10.	Cllr. Spencer	Cllr. John Kelly

Education Added Members:- Church Diocesan Representatives appointed until

(Voting Co-opted Members) 31 May 2016:

Canon R. Driver and Father D. Seddon.

Parent Governor Representatives appointed until

31 May 2016:

Mr. D. McCaughrean and Mrs. C. Palmer

Associate Members:-(Non-voting Co-opted

Members)

Ms. Libby Kitt and Ms. Jenny Southern (Nominated by

Healthwatch, Sefton); and Mrs. S.

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OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE (REGENERATION AND SKILLS) (10)

(Lab 7 /Lib Dem 2 /Con 1)

	Member	Substitute
1.	Chair: Cllr. John Kelly	Cllr. Grace
2.	Vice-Chair: Cllr. O'Brien	Cllr. Bradshaw
3.	Cllr. Jo Barton	Cllr. Preece
4.	Cllr. Bliss	Cllr. Hartill
5.	Cllr. Carragher	Cllr. Roche
6.	Cllr. Daniel Terence Lewis	Cllr. Dams
7.	Cllr. Owens	Cllr. Murphy
8.	Cllr. Sayers	Cllr. Thompson
9.	Cllr. Webster	Cllr. McGinnity
10.	Cllr. Weavers	Cllr. Shaw

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE (REGULATORY, COMPLIANCE AND CORPORATE SERVICES) (10)

(Lab 6 /Lib Dem 3 /Con 1)

	<u>Member</u>	Substitute
1.	Chair: Cllr. Robinson	Cllr. Roche
2.	Vice-Chair: Cllr. Byrom	Cllr. Dams
3.	Cllr. Veronica Bennett	Cllr. Spencer
4.	Cllr. Cluskey	Cllr. Murphy
5.	Cllr. Dawson	Cllr. Dodd
6.	Cllr. Daniel Lewis	Cllr. Ashton
7.	Cllr. Jamieson	Cllr. Dutton
8.	Cllr. McKinley	Cllr. Sayers
9.	Cllr. Owens	Cllr. Hale
10.	Cllr. Weavers	Cllr. McGuire

(B) REGULATORY AND OTHER COMMITTEES

APPEALS COMMITTEE

Members of the Council (other than Cabinet Members) to form a Panel from which 3 Members are selected to form a politically balanced Committee. (Lab 2 / Lib Dem 1 / Con 0)

AUDIT AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE (10)

(Lab 6 / Lib Dem 3 / Con 1)

	Member	Substitute
1.	Chair: Cllr. Brennan	Cllr. Friel
2.	Vice-Chair: Cllr. Roche	Cllr. Byrom
3.	Cllr. Ashton	Cllr. Daniel Lewis
4.	Cllr. Dutton	Cllr. Jones
5.	Cllr. Lord Fearn	Cllr. McGuire
6.	Cllr. McGinnity	Cllr. Robinson
7.	Cllr. Moncur	Cllr. Mahon
8.	Cllr. Sayers	Cllr. Dams
9.	Cllr. Shaw	Cllr. Weavers
10.	Cllr. Tweed	Cllr. Bradshaw

Membership is the Leader of the Council and the other 2 Party Group Leaders (or their nominees) and 7 Non-Executive Members of the Council.

HEARINGS SUB-COMMITTEE OF AUDIT AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

All Members of the Audit and Governance Committee will form a Panel from which 3 Members will be selected to form a Sub-Committee.

INITIAL ASSESSMENT SUB-COMMITTEE OF AUDIT AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

All Members of the Audit and Governance Committee will form a Panel from which 3 Members will be selected to form a Sub-Committee.

REVIEW SUB-COMMITTEE OF AUDIT AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

All Members of the Audit and Governance Committee to form a Panel from which 3 Members will be selected to form a Sub-Committee.

<u>Co-opted Voting Members of Audit and Governance Standards Sub-Committees</u>

Parish Councillors J. Colbert (Aintree Village Parish Council), G. Lee (Melling Parish Council) and D. Warren (Hightown Parish Council) have been nominated by the Sefton Area Partnership of Local Councils – If any complaints are submitted in respect of the conduct of any Parish Councillor in the Borough, one of the Parish Councillors will be selected to form part of the 3 Member Panel on the Sub-Committees set out above.

Independent Persons (Standards Issues)

Mr. E. Davies Mr. J. Fraser

EMPLOYMENT PROCEDURE COMMITTEE

Members of the Council to form a Panel from which a minimum of 3 Members are selected to form a politically balanced Committee (Lab 2 /Lib Dem 1 /Con 0). At least one member of the Cabinet to be included on the Committee.

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

Members appointed by the Leader of the Council	Councillor Moncur – Cabinet Member – Health and Wellbeing (Chair) Councillor Cummins – Cabinet Member – Adult Social Care Councillor John Joseph Kelly – Cabinet Member – Children, Schools and Safeguarding
Director of Social Care and Health	Dwayne Johnson
Head of Children's Social Care	Colin Pettigrew
Head of Health and Wellbeing	To be determined
Representative of NHS South Sefton	Dr Craig Gillespie
Clinical Commissioning Group	

Representative of NHS Southport and	Dr Rob Caudwell
Formby Clinical Commissioning Group	
Chief Officer of NHS South Sefton and N	NHS Fiona Clark
Southport and Formby Clinical	
Commissioning Groups	
Representative of NHS England	Phil Wadeson
Representative of Healthwatch, Sefton	Maureen Kelly

The Local Authority (Public Health, Health and Wellbeing Boards and Health Scrutiny) Regulations 2013 made under the Health and Social Care Act 2012 provide that the Board shall be a committee of the Council. The requirement for political balance does not apply to the Board and the Act requires that the Councillor Membership is nominated by the Executive Leader (Leader of the Council).

LICENSING AND REGULATORY COMMITTEE (15)

(Lab 10 /Lib Dem 3 /Con 2)

	Member
1.	Chair: Cllr. Kerrigan
2.	Vice-Chair: Cllr. Bradshaw
3.	Cllr. Ball
4.	Cllr. Veronica Bennett
5.	Cllr. Bliss
6.	Cllr. Burns
7.	Cllr. Carr
8.	Cllr. Friel
9.	Cllr. Keith
10.	Cllr. Killen
11.	Cllr. McGinnity
12.	Cllr. Preece
13.	Cllr. Robinson
14.	Cllr. Thompson
15.	Cllr. Welsh

LICENSING AND REGULATORY (URGENT REFERRALS) COMMITTEE (3)

(Lab 2 /Lib Dem 1 /Con 0)

	<u>Member</u>	Substitute	
1.	Chair: Cllr. Kerrigan	Cllr. Friel	
2.	Cllr. Bradshaw	Cllr. Burns	
3.	Cllr. Preece	Cllr. Welsh	

LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

Members of the Licensing and Regulatory Committee to form a Panel from which 3 Members are selected to form a politically balanced Sub-Committee.(Lab 2/ Lib Dem 1/Con 0)

LICENSING (SEXUAL ENTERTAINMENT VENUES) SUB-COMMITTEE

Members of the Licensing and Regulatory Committee to form a Panel from which 3 Members are selected to form a politically balanced Sub-Committee.(Lab 2/ Lib Dem 1/Con 0)

PAY AND GRADING COMMITTEE (6)

(Lab 4 /Lib Dem 1 /Con 1) – Including Cabinet Member – Regulatory, Compliance and Corporate Services

	Member
1.	Chair: Cllr. Lappin
2.	Vice-Chair: Cllr. Murphy
3.	Cllr. Bliss
4.	Cllr. Dams
5.	Cllr. Killen
6.	Cllr. Shaw

PLANNING COMMITTEE (15)

(Lab 10 /Lib Dem 4 /Con 1)

	<u>Member</u>	<u>Substitute</u>
1.	Chair: Cllr. Veidman	Cllr. Burns
2.	Vice-Chair: Cllr. John Kelly	Cllr. Byrom
3.	Cllr. Carr	Cllr. Page
4.	Cllr. Cluskey	Cllr. Robinson
5.	Cllr. Dodd	Cllr. Jo Barton
6.	Cllr. Dutton	Cllr. Jamieson
7.	Cllr. M. Fearn	Cllr. Booth
8.	Cllr. Grace	Cllr. Killen
9.	Cllr. Hands	Cllr. Welsh
10.	Cllr. Daniel Terence Lewis	Cllr. Webster
11.	Cllr. Mahon	Cllr. Tweed
12.	Cllr. O'Brien	Cllr. Owens
13.	Cllr. Preece	Cllr. Daniel Lewis
14.	Cllr. Roche	Cllr. Thompson
15.	Cllr. Spencer	Cllr. Friel

PLANNING (URGENT REFERRALS) COMMITTEE (3)

(Lab 2 /Lib Dem 1 /Con 0)

	Member	Substitute
1.	Chair: Cllr. Veidman	Cllr. Mahon
2.	Cllr. M. Fearn	Cllr. Hands
3.	Cllr. John Kelly	Cllr. Friel

PLANNING VISITING PANEL (15)

The Panel comprises of the Members of the Planning Committee.

(C) LOCAL AREA COMMITTEES

The Members of the Wards included below in the area of each Committee. The Chair, Vice-Chair, Parish Council Representatives (where applicable) and Local Advisory Members to be appointed by the respective Area Committee.

CENTRAL SEFTON AREA COMMITTEE (27)

Ward	Member
	Cllr. Veronica Bennett
Blundellsands	Cllr. Dams
	Cllr. Daniel Terence Lewis
	Cllr. Cummins
Church	Cllr. Veidman
	Cllr. Webster
	Cllr. Dutton
Harington	Cllr. Jamieson
	Cllr. Killen
	Cllr. Carragher
Manor	Cllr. John Joseph Kelly
	Cllr. McGinnity
	Cllr. Atkinson
Molyneux	Cllr. Carr
	Cllr. Murphy
	Cllr. Burns
Park	*
	Cllr. Sayers
	Cllr. Maria Bennett
Ravenmeols	Cllr. Hale
	Cllr. Page
	Cllr. Gatherer
Sudell	Cllr. McKinley
	Cllr. Owens
	Cllr. Byrom
Victoria	Cllr. Grace
	Cllr. Roche

SOUTH SEFTON AREA COMMITTEE (18)

Ward	Member
	Cllr. O'Brien
Derby	Cllr. Robinson
	Cllr. Thompson
	Cllr. Cluskey
Ford	Cllr. Lappin
	Cllr. Moncur
	Cllr. Fairclough
Linacre	Cllr. Friel
	Cllr. Kerrigan
	Cllr. Hardy
Litherland	Cllr. John Kelly
	Cllr. Tweed
	Cllr. Bradshaw
Netherton and Orrell	Cllr. Brennan
	Cllr. Maher
	Cllr. Dowd
St. Oswald	Cllr. Mahon
	Cllr. Spencer

SOUTHPORT AREA COMMITTEE (21)

Ward	Member	
	Cllr. Hartill	
Ainsdale	Cllr. Jones	
	Cllr. Preece	
	Cllr. Brodie-Browne	
Birkdale	Cllr. Hands	
	Cllr. Shaw	
	Cllr. Bliss	
Cambridge	Cllr. Keith	
	Cllr. S. McGuire	
	Cllr. Ball	
Dukes	Cllr. David Barton	
	Cllr. Dawson	
	Cllr. Booth	
Kew	Cllr. M. Fearn	
	Cllr. Weavers	
	Cllr. Ashton	
Meols	Cllr. Jo Barton	
	Cllr. Dodd	
	Cllr. Lord Fearn	
Norwood	Cllr. Daniel Lewis	
	Cllr. Welsh	

^{*} The Mayor, Councillor Kermode will not be a member of the Area Committee during his year of office.

(D) CONSULTATIVE BODIES

INDEPENDENT REMUNERATION PANEL (3 Members)

Mr. E. Davies	}	
Mr. J. Fraser	}	4 year term until May 2016
Mrs. S. Lowe	}	

(To advise and make recommendations to the Authority about the allowances to be paid to Elected Members).

JOINT CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE FOR TEACHING STAFFS

(9 Council Members plus 9 Teacher representatives)

(Lab 6 /Lib Dem 2 /Con 1)

	Member	Substitute
1.	Cllr. Jo Barton	Cllr. Hands
2.	Cllr. Bradshaw	Cllr. Tweed
3.	Cllr. Brennan	Cllr. Sayers
4.	Cllr. Friel	Cllr. Hale
5.	Cllr. Grace	Cllr. Carragher
6.	Cllr. Jones	Cllr. Dutton
7.	Cllr. Keith	Cllr. Booth
8.	Cllr. John Joseph Kelly	Cllr. Burns
9	Cllr. Mahon	Cllr. O'Brien

LOCAL JOINT CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE

(12 Council Members plus 12 Trade Union Representatives)

(Lab 8 /Lib Dem 3/Con 1)

	<u>Member</u>	<u>Substitute</u>
1.	Cllr. Bliss	Cllr. Ball
2.	Cllr. Bradshaw	Cllr. Hale
3.	Cllr. Brennan	Cllr. Sayers
4.	Cllr. Dawson	Cllr. M. Fearn
5.	Cllr. Lord Fearn	Cllr. Dodd
6.	Cllr. Killen	Cllr. Tweed
7.	Cllr. Lappin	Cllr. Burns
8.	Cllr. Daniel Lewis	Cllr. Jo Barton
9.	Cllr. Mahon	Cllr. Thompson
10.	Cllr. Murphy	Cllr. Carragher
11.	Cllr. O'Brien	Cllr. Gatherer
12.	Cllr. Webster	Cllr. Spencer

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT AND CONSULTATION PANEL (4)

(Lab 2 /Lib Dem 1 /Con 1)

	<u>Member</u>	Substitute
1.	Cabinet Member – Regulatory, Compliance and Corporate Services – Cllr. Lappin	Cllr. Byrom
2.	Cllr.Brodie-Browne	Cllr. Ashton
3.	Cllr. Jamieson	Cllr. Dutton
4.	Cllr. Robinson	Cllr. Owens

(E) MAJOR SERVICE GOVERNANCE BODY

FINANCE AND INFORMATION SERVICES OPERATIONAL BOARD (1)

Cabinet Member – Regulatory, Compliance and Corporate Services (Councillor Lappin).

14. TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR COMMITTEES AND WORKING GROUPS

It was moved by Councillor Maher, seconded by Councillor Fairclough and

RESOLVED:

That the terms of reference of the Committees and Working Groups as set out in Chapters 7 and 8 of the Council Constitution be approved.

15. APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES ON MERSEYSIDE JOINT AUTHORITIES 2015/16

The Council considered a schedule of the proposed representation on the Merseyside Joint Authority Bodies for 2015/16.

It was moved by Councillor Maher, seconded by Councillor Fairclough:

That the representation on the Merseyside Joint Authority Bodies for 2015/16 as set out in the schedule be approved, subject to the representation on the Liverpool City Region Combined Authority Scrutiny Panel being amended to read Councillors McKinley (Scrutiny Link) and O'Brien.

RESOLVED:

That the following Members be appointed to serve on the following Joint Authority Bodies in 2015/16:

Joint Authority	<u>Representatives</u>
Liverpool City Region (LCR) Combined Authority	Leader of the Council (Councillor Maher) Substitute Member – Deputy Leader of the Council (Councillor Fairclough)
Merseytravel Committee (LCR Combined Authority Transport Committee)	Councillors Carr (Lab), Dodd (LD), Friel (Lab) and McKinley (Lab)
Liverpool City Region Combined Authority Scrutiny Panel	Councillors McKinley (Scrutiny Link) and O'Brien
Merseyside Fire and Rescue Authority	Councillors Byrom (Lab), Mahon (Lab), Tweed (Lab) and Welsh (LD)
Merseyside Waste Disposal Authority	Councillors Cluskey (Lab) and Fairclough (Lab)
Merseyside Police and Crime Panel (The appointments are agreed on a Pan-Merseyside basis)	Councillors Booth (LD) and Kerrigan (Lab)

16. APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES ON SEFTON PARTNERSHIP BODIES 2015/16

The Council considered a schedule of the proposed representation on the Merseyside Joint Authorities for 2015/16.

It was moved by Councillor Maher, seconded by Councillor Fairclough and

RESOLVED:

That the following Members set out below, be appointed to serve on the Thematic Partnerships of the Sefton Borough Partnership and the Area Partnerships in 2015/16:

Thematic Partnerships	Number of Representatives	<u>Member</u>
Sefton Safer Communities Partnership	3	Cabinet Member - Communities and Housing (Councillor Hardy) and the two Council representatives on the Merseyside Police and Crime Panel (Councillors Booth and Kerrigan)

Sefton Partnership for Older Citizens	1	Cabinet Member – Adult Social Care (Councillor Cummins)
Area Partnerships		
Crosby Area Partnership	2	1 Member of the Crosby locality to be appointed by the Central Sefton Area Committee plus 1 Cabinet Member appointed by the Leader of the Council (Councillor Cummins)
Formby Area Partnership	2	1 Member of the Formby locality to be appointed by the Central Sefton Area Committee plus 1 Cabinet Member appointed by the Leader of the Council (Councillor John Joseph Kelly)
Sefton East Area Partnership	2	1 Member of the Sefton East locality to be appointed Central Sefton Area Committee plus 1 Cabinet Member appointed by the Leader of the Council (Councillor Moncur)
South Sefton Area Partnership	2	Chair of South Sefton Area Committee plus 1 Cabinet Member appointed by the Leader of the Council (Councillor Hardy)
Southport Area Partnership	2	Chair of Southport Area Committee plus 1 Cabinet Member appointed by the Leader of the Council (Councillor Fairclough)

17. DATES OF COUNCIL MEETINGS 2015/16

It was moved by Councillor Maher, seconded by Councillor Fairclough and RESOLVED:

That it be noted that the Council meetings scheduled to be held during the Municipal Year 2015/16 are as follows:

- 16 July 2015
- 17 September 2015
- 19 November 2015
- 28 January 2016
- 3 March 2016 (Budget Meeting)
- 21 April 2016

18. SENIOR LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE - EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REMUNERATION

Further to Minute No. 22 of the meeting of the Employment Procedure Committee held on 14 April 2015, the Council considered the joint report of the Chief Executive and Head of Corporate Personnel seeking approval under the Council's Pay Policy for the level of remuneration applicable for two Executive Director posts in the new Senior Leadership and Management Structure.

It was moved by Councillor Maher, seconded by Councillor Fairclough

RESOLVED:

That approval be given to the remuneration for the Executive Director posts as detailed in Paragraph 6 and as necessary in accordance with Paragraph 10 of the report.

19. CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS - STATUTORY OFFICERS

The Council considered the report of the Head of Corporate Legal Services on the provisions of The Local Authorities (Standing Orders) (England) (Amendment) (Regulations) 2015 which came into force on 11 May 2015 and would require changes to be made to the Constitution with regard to the procedures for disciplining and dismissing statutory officers, which for these purposes are the Head of Paid Service (Chief Executive), the Section 151 Officer (Head of Corporate Finance and ICT) and the Monitoring Officer (Head of Corporate Legal Services).

It was moved by Councillor Maher, seconded by Councillor Fairclough

RESOLVED:

That approval be given to the changes to the Constitution as detailed in Paragraphs 1.10 to 1.18 of the report.