

## Political Balance prior to Councillor Benn's resignation

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### Political balance of the Council

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Group	Seats	%
Conservative	39	70%
Independent	12	21% <i>(including 2 Liberal Democrats aligned with the Independent Group)</i>
Labour	3	5%
Unaligned	2	4% <i>Unaligned councillors are not entitled to a seat as the calculation is based on political groups</i>

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### Committees of the Council

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#### Planning Committee

Total seats 13

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	9.053571429	9
Independent	2.785714286	3
Labour	0.696428571	1
Unaligned	N/A	
		13

#### Governance & Audit Committee

Total seats 7

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	4.875	5
Independent	1.5	2
Labour	0.375	0
Unaligned	N/A	
		7

#### Employment Committee

Total seats 7

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	4.875	5
Independent	1.5	2
Labour	0.375	0
Unaligned	N/A	
		7

#### Licensing Committee

Total seats 11

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	7.660714286	8
Independent	2.357142857	2
Labour	0.589285714	1
Unaligned	N/A	
		11

#### Constitution Committee

Total seats 7

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	4.875	5
Independent	1.5	2
Labour	0.375	0
Unaligned	N/A	
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## Political Balance prior to Councillor Benn's resignation

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### Overview & Scrutiny Committees

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#### Finance, Economic Development and Corporate Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee

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Total seats

9

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	6.267857143	6
Independent	1.928571429	2
Labour	0.482142857	1
Unaligned	N/A	
		9

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#### Culture & Tourism Overview and Scrutiny Committee, Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee and Rural & Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee

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Total seats

7

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	4.875	5
Independent	1.5	2
Labour	0.375	0
Unaligned	N/A	
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### Other

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#### Chief Executive's Appeals Panel

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Total seats

3

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	2.089285714	2
Independent	0.642857143	1
Labour	0.160714286	
Unaligned	N/A	
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## Political Balance following Councillor Benn's resignation

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### Political balance of the Council

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Group	Seats	%
Conservative	38	69%
Independent	12	22% <i>(including 2 Liberal Democrats aligned with the Independent Group)</i>
Labour	3	5%
Unaligned	2	4% <i>Unaligned councillors are not entitled to a seat as the calculation is based on political groups</i>

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### Committees of the Council

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#### Planning Committee

Total seats 13

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	8.981818182	9
Independent	2.836363636	3
Labour	0.709090909	1
Unaligned	N/A	
		13

#### Governance & Audit Committee

Total seats 7

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	4.836363636	5
Independent	1.527272727	2
Labour	0.381818182	0
Unaligned	N/A	
		7

#### Employment Committee

Total seats 7

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	4.836363636	5
Independent	1.527272727	2
Labour	0.381818182	0
Unaligned	N/A	
		7

#### Licensing Committee

Total seats 11

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	7.6	8
Independent	2.4	2
Labour	0.6	1
Unaligned	N/A	
		11

#### Constitution Committee

Total seats 7

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	4.836363636	5
Independent	1.527272727	2
Labour	0.381818182	0
Unaligned	N/A	
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### Overview & Scrutiny Committees

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#### Finance, Economic Development and Corporate Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee

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Total seats

9

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	6.218181818	6
Independent	1.963636364	2
Labour	0.490909091	1
Unaligned	N/A	
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#### Culture & Tourism Overview and Scrutiny Committee, Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee and Rural & Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee

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Total seats

7

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	4.836363636	5
Independent	1.527272727	2
Labour	0.381818182	0
Unaligned	N/A	
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### Other

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#### Chief Executive's Appeals Panel

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Total seats

3

Group	Proportional entitlement	Entitlement rounded
Conservative	2.072727273	2
Independent	0.654545455	1
Labour	0.163636364	
Unaligned	N/A	
		3