

Meeting of the Employment Committee

Thursday, 24 April 2025, 10.00 am



SOUTH
KESTEVEN
DISTRICT
COUNCIL

Committee Members present

Councillor Anna Kelly (Chairman)
Councillor Gloria Johnson (Vice-Chairman)
Councillor Matthew Bailey
Councillor Rhys Baker
Councillor Ashley Baxter
Councillor Harrish Bisnauthsing
Councillor Gareth Knight

Officers

James Welbourn, Democratic Services
Manager (Deputy Monitoring Officer)
Jane Jenkinson, Senior HR Officer
Joshua Mann, Democratic Services
Officer

Visiting Members

Councillor Pam Byrd
Councillor Sarah Trotter

35. Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Paul Martin, substituted by Councillor Robert Leadenham, and Councillor Phil Gadd.

36. Disclosure of interests

There were none.

37. Minutes of the meeting held on 8 April 2025

It was proposed, seconded and AGREED to defer the matter to the following meeting of the Employment Committee to allow the Committee to concentrate on the interviews for the Independent Person.

38. Work Programme 2025 - 2026

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39. Any other business, which the Chairman, by reason of special circumstances, decides is urgent

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40. Exclusion of Press and Public

It was proposed, seconded, and AGREED for the press and public and all non-Committee members except for the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of Standards Committee to be excluded during discussion of the following agenda items because of the likelihood that information that is exempt under paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) would be disclosed to them.

41. Exempt minutes of the meeting held on 8 April 2025

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42. Independent Person Interviews

Following discussions, it was proposed, seconded, and **AGREED** that the Employment Committee recommend two candidates for the role of Independent Person to Full Council.