

Minutes

EXECUTIVE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

24 October 2019

Meeting held at Committee Room 6 - Civic Centre,
High Street, Uxbridge



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	<p>Committee Members Present: Henry Higgins (Chairman), John Riley (Vice-Chairman), Simon Arnold, Peter Curling, Peter Money, Tony Little (Representative Member for Education Issues), Lynne Allen (In place of Kerri Prince) and Ian Edwards (In place of Nick Denys)</p> <p>LBH Officers Present: Mark Braddock (Democratic Services)</p>
27.	<p>APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND TO REPORT THE PRESENCE OF ANY SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS (<i>Agenda Item 1</i>)</p> <p>Apologies were received from Councillors Nick Denys and Kerri Prince, with Councillors Ian Edwards and Lynne Allen substituting respectively. Apologies were also received from Councillor Wayne Bridges.</p>
28.	<p>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS COMING BEFORE THIS MEETING (<i>Agenda Item 2</i>)</p> <p>No interests were declared by Members.</p>
29.	<p>TO RECEIVE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 26 SEPTEMBER 2019 (<i>Agenda Item 3</i>)</p> <p>The minutes of the meeting held on 26 September 2019 were approved as a correct record.</p>
30.	<p>EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC (<i>Agenda Item 4</i>)</p> <p>Items were considered and public and private as set out on the Cabinet agenda.</p>
31.	<p>FOLLOW-UP: MATTERS FOR CLARIFICATION FROM THE LAST MEETING (<i>Agenda Item 5</i>)</p> <p>The Committee noted the responses provided by officers on the clarifications on the Cabinet reports from the last meeting.</p>
32.	<p>CONSIDERATION OF EXECUTIVE DECISIONS TAKEN AND ANY CALL-INS (<i>Agenda Item 6</i>)</p> <p>Members gave consideration to the Cabinet reports of the 24 October 2019 meeting and the decisions made by Cabinet on them earlier that evening.</p> <p>On the Annual Local Safeguarding Children's Board Report, the Committee agreed to record its thanks to Mr Stephen Ashley, Chairman of the Board, for his excellent work leading safeguarding arrangements over the last few years, as new arrangements are</p>

implemented going forward. On the report itself, clarification was sought on what more the Council could do to encourage all schools to participate in the Section 175 Safeguarding Audit.

On the report on the School Capital Programme Update, the Committee requested more information in the purpose and status of the proposed SEN hub in the Borough.

RESOLVED: – That the decisions made by the Cabinet at their meeting on 24 October 2019 be endorsed and that no call-in be made.

The meeting, which commenced at 7.25 pm, closed at 7.39 pm.

These are the minutes of the above meeting. For more information on any of the resolutions please contact Mark Braddock, Statutory Scrutiny Officer. Circulation of these minutes is to Councillors, Officers, the Press and Members of the Public.