

**MEMBERSHIP OF COMMITTEES
MUNICIPAL YEAR 2026-2027**

Councillor Neil Collinson (Mayor),
Councillor Michael Stead (Deputy Mayor)

COUNCIL – 29 Members

RECREATION COMMITTEE

(27 Members + Mayor and Deputy Mayor as ex-officio)

Councillors: Tunde Akinsanya, Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, Lindsey Aston, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Dorothy Bowman, Richard Burchell, Arun M. Chandran, Chris Clement, Neil Collinson, **Luke Ellis**, George Gray, Brian Haigh, Phill Hawkins, Andy Hill, Richard Hutchinson, Sharon Hutchinson, Sandra Kirby, Jackie McFadden Lewis, John Moore, Carl Robinson, **Kyle Robinson**, Ken Robson, Brian Sowerby, Michael Stead, Tracey Williams, Anne Woodward and John Woodward.

ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

(27 Members + Mayor and Deputy Mayor as ex-officio)

Councillors: Tunde Akinsanya, Tony Armstrong, **Martin Ashcroft**, Lindsey Aston, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Dorothy Bowman, Richard Burchell, Arun M. Chandran, Chris Clement, Neil Collinson, Luke Ellis, George Gray, Brian Haigh, Phill Hawkins, **Andy Hill**, Richard Hutchinson, Sharon Hutchinson, Sandra Kirby, Jackie McFadden Lewis, John Moore, Carl Robinson, Kyle Robinson, Ken Robson, Brian Sowerby, Michael Stead, Tracey Williams, Anne Woodward and John Woodward.

POLICY & RESOURCES COMMITTEE

(26 Members + Mayor and Deputy Mayor as ex-officio)

Councillors: Tunde Akinsanya, Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, **Lindsey Aston**, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Dorothy Bowman, Richard Burchell, Arun M. Chandran, Chris Clement, Neil Collinson, Luke Ellis, George Gray, Phil Hawkins, Andy Hill, Richard Hutchinson, **Sharon Hutchinson**, Sandra Kirby, Jackie McFadden Lewis, John Moore, Carl Robinson, Kyle Robinson, Ken Robson, Brian Sowerby, Michael Stead, Tracey Williams, Anne Woodward and John Woodward plus the Councillor to be appointed to the Woodham Ward vacancy by Co-Option.

SUB-COMMITTEES AND WORKING GROUPS from the Policy and Resources Committee

SERVICE REVIEW SUB COMMITTEE (15 Members + Mayor + Deputy Mayor as ex-officio)

Councillors: Tunde Akinsanya, Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, Lindsey Aston, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Arun M. Chandran, Neil Collinson, Luke Ellis, Andy Hill, Richard Hutchinson, Sharon Hutchinson, Jackie McFadden Lewis, Carl Robinson, Kyle Robinson, Brian Sowerby, Michael Stead.

PERSONNEL SUB-COMMITTEE (16 members plus the Mayor as ex-officio member)

Councillors: Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, Lindsey Aston, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Richard Burchell, Arun M. Chandran, Chris Clement, Neil Collinson, Luke Ellis, Phill Hawkins, Richard Hutchinson, Sharon Hutchinson, Jackie McFadden Lewis, Carl Robinson, Kyle Robinson and John Woodward.

PERSONNEL APPEALS SUB-COMMITTEE (4 Members + Deputy Mayor as ex-officio)

Councillors: Tunde Akinsanya, Dorothy Bowman, George Gray, Ken Robson and Michael Stead.

GENERAL APPEALS SUB-COMMITTEE (as necessary from the relevant Service Committee)

AUDIT, RISK AND G.D.P.R. SUB-COMMITTEE (6 Members + Mayor + Deputy Mayor as ex-officio)

Councillors: Tunde Akinsanya, Arun M. Chandran, Chris Clement, Neil Collinson, Richard Hutchinson, Sharon Hutchinson, Carl Robinson and Michael Stead.

ASSET MANAGEMENT SUB COMMITTEE (16 Members + Mayor + Deputy Mayor as ex-officio)

Councillors: Tunde Akinsanya, Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, Lindsey Aston, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Richard Burchell, Arun M. Chandran, Chris Clement, Neil Collinson, Luke Ellis, Phill Hawkins, Richard Hutchinson, Sharon Hutchinson, Carl Robinson, Kyle Robinson, Ken Robson and Michael Stead.

PRE-SCHOOL SUB-COMMITTEE (11 members plus the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Policy and Resources Committee and the Mayor and Deputy Mayor as ex-officio members)

Councillors: Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, Lindsey Aston, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Arun M. Chandran, Neil Collinson, Sharon Hutchinson, Sandra Kirby, Jackie McFadden Lewis, Carl Robinson, Michael Stead, Tracey Williams, Anne Woodward and John Woodward.

MEMBER APPEALS PANEL (6 members from the Personnel Sub Committee.)

Councillors: Lindsey Aston, Richard Burchell, Chris Clement, Martin Ashcroft, Carl Robinson and Tony Armstrong.

SUB-COMMITTEES AND WORKING GROUPS from the Recreation Committee

SANTA TOURS SUB COMMITTEE (24 Members, plus Mayor and Deputy Mayor as ex-officio up to 10 volunteers and 10 members of the public).

Councillors: Tunde Akinsanya, Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Dorothy Bowman, Richard Burchell, Arun M. Chandran, Chris Clement, Neil Collinson, Luke Ellis, George Gray, Brian Haigh, Phill Hawkins, Andy Hill, Richard Hutchinson, Sandra Kirby, Jackie McFadden Lewis, John Moore, Carl Robinson, Kyle Robinson, Ken Robson, Brian Sowerby, Michael Stead, Anne Woodward and John Woodward.

EVENTS SUB-COMMITTEE (18 members + Mayor and Deputy Mayor as ex-officio members)

Councillors: Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Richard Burchell, Arun M. Chandran, Neil Collinson, Luke Ellis, George Gray, Phill Hawkins, Andy Hill, Richard Hutchinson, Sandra Kirby, Jackie McFadden Lewis, Carl Robinson, Kyle Robinson, Brian Sowerby, Michael Stead, Anne Woodward and John Woodward.

GOLF COURSE WORKING GROUP (11 members + Chair and Vice-Chair of Recreation)

Councillors: Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, Richard Burchell, Arun M. Chandran, Chris Clement, Neil Collinson, Luke Ellis, George Gray, John Moore, Carl Robinson, Kyle Robinson, Michael Stead and Tracey Williams.

SUB-COMMITTEE AND WORKING GROUPS from the Environment Committee

PLANNING SUB-COMMITTEE (14 Members + Mayor and Deputy Mayor)

Councillors: Tony Armstrong, Jaci Beddard, Tony Beddard, Richard Burchell, Arun M Chandran, Chris Clement, Neil Collinson, Luke Ellis, Phill Hawkins, Andy Hill, Carl Robinson, Ken Robson, Brian Sowerby, Michael Stead, Anne Woodward and John Woodward.