### **COUNTY COUNCIL** Friday 27 March 2020 10.00 am Council Chamber - Shire Hall, **Taunton**



## 25/3/2020 - MEETING NOW CANCELLED **FOLLOWING GOVERNMENT ADVICE**

To: The members of the County Council

All Somerset County Council Members are invited to attend.

Issued By Scott Wooldridge, Strategic Manager - Governance and Democratic Services - 19 March 2020

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#### **AGENDA**

Item County Council - 10.00 am Friday 27 March 2020

#### **Full Council Guidance notes**

#### 1 Chair's Announcement

Chair to set out the purpose of the meeting and any urgent announcements on behalf of the Council

#### 2 Apologies for Absence

To receive the apologies for this meeting, noting the unprecedented nation and global situation and the public health advice issued in relation to the coronavirus pandemic and holding public meetings

#### **Declarations of Interest**

Details of Cabinet Member interests in District, Town and Parish Councils will be displayed in the meeting room. The Statutory Register of Member's Interests can be inspected via the Community Governance team.

#### 4 **Public Question Time**

(see explanatory notes attached to agenda)

This item includes the presentation of petitions. Details of any public questions / petitions submitted will be included in the Chairman's Schedule which will be made available to the members and to the public at the meeting.

# 5 Report of the Leader and the Chief Executive regarding emergency powers arrangements - for decision (Pages 5 - 14)

To consider a report with recommendations from the Leader of the Council and the Chief Executive setting out proposed emergency democratic, service delivery and decision making arrangements to manage the delivery of council services as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic