

Report Number: SWT 134/22

Somerset West and Taunton Council

Special Full Council – 29 September 2022

Somerset West and Taunton Council amended Political Allocation and Councillor Appointments to Committees

This matter is the responsibility of the Leader of the Council

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1. Executive Summary / Purpose of the Report

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to amend the Council's numerical political allocation because Councillor Chris Morgan has re-joined the Conservative Group.

2. Recommendations

2.1 The Council approves the revised:

- a) Political allocation as attached (Appendix A)
- b) Councillor appointments to Committees (Appendix B)

3. Risk Assessment

- 3.1 There are no risks associated with this report

4. Background and Full details of the Report

- 4.1 The Council last agreed the political allocation at the Annual Council meeting on the 24 May 2022.

- 4.2 The purpose of this report is to amend the Council's numerical political allocation following the change set out in section 1.1 of this report.

- 4.3 As a result of this the political allocation has changed (attached as Appendix A) and there are some changes to the Councillor appointments to Committee (attached as Appendix B)

5. Links to Corporate Strategy – N/A

6. Finance / Resource Implications - None

7. Legal Implications - None

8. Climate and Sustainability Implications - None

9. Safeguarding and/or Community Safety Implications - None

10. Equality and Diversity Implications - None

11. Social Value Implications - None

12. Partnership Implications - None

13. Health and Wellbeing Implications - None

14. Asset Management Implications - None

15. Data Protection Implications - None

16. Consultation Implications - None

17. Scrutiny/Executive Comments / Recommendation(s) – N/A as this is a Council Report

Democratic Path:

- **Scrutiny / Corporate Governance or Audit Committees –** No not applicable as Council function only
- **Cabinet/Executive –** No not applicable as Council function only
- **Full Council –** Yes

Reporting Frequency: Ad-hoc

List of Appendices (delete if not applicable)

Appendix A	The revised Political Allocation
Appendix B	Councillor appointments to Committee

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