

**Paper A Appendix 2 – Table of allocations of committee places for political groups to nominate to (assuming Council continues to set aside political balance rules for Standards Committee and four area-based Planning Committees)**

<b>Political Group</b>	<b>Liberal Democrat</b>	<b>Conservative</b>	<b>Labour</b>	<b>Green</b>	<b>Independent</b>	<b>No group</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Seats held on the Council</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>110</b>
	55.5%	30.9%	4.5%	4.5%	2.7%	1.8%	
Appointments Committee (3-5 members)	3	2	0	0	0	0	5
Audit Committee	7	4	1	1	0	0	13
Constitution and Governance	7	4	1	1	0	0	13
Harbour Management Advisory Committee	4	2	0	0	0	0	6
Human Resources Committee	7	4	1	1	0	0	13
Officer Appeals Committee	7	4	1	1	0	0	13
Pension Fund Committee	4	2	1	0	0	0	7
Scrutiny (Climate & Place)	7	4	1	1	0	0	13

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Scrutiny (Communities)	7	4	1	1	0	0	13
Scrutiny (Adults & Health)	7	4	1	1	0	0	13
Scrutiny (Children & Families)	7	4	1	1	0	0	13
Scrutiny (Corporate & Resources)	7	4	1	1	0	0	13
Strategic Planning Committee	7	4	1	1	0	0	13
Licensing and Regulatory Committee	8	5	1	1	0	0	15
Licensing Sub Committee(s)	2	1			0	0	3
Regulatory Sub Committee(s)	2	1			0	0	3
<b>Totals</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>169</b>
<b>Overall calculation - entitlement</b>	<b>93.72</b>	<b>52.24</b>	<b>7.68</b>	<b>7.68</b>	<b>4.61</b>	<b>3.07</b>	<b>169</b>
<b>Adjustment required</b>	<b>+1</b>	<b>-1</b>	<b>-4</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>+5</b>	<b>+2</b>	

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**Committees where political balance waived by Council on 24 May 2024**

Area Planning Sub Committee (N)	4	6	3	0	0	0	13
Area Planning Sub Committee (S)	10	3	0	0	0	0	13
Area Planning Sub Committee (E)	7	4	0	2	0	0	13
Area Planning Sub Committee (W) *	7	4			1	0	13
Standards Committee **	1	1	1	1	1	0	5
Standards Hearing Panel Sub-Committee (3 members from the 5 members appointed)	0	0	0	0	0	0	3

\*1 vacancy for Labour, Green or Independent to allocate to

\*\* - political balance waived and one member from each group

**Committees not required to be politically balanced**

Somerset Health & Well-Being Board	3	2	0	0	0	0	5
Pension Fund Board	1	0	0	0	0	0	1

**Joint Committees**

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Heart of the South West Joint Scrutiny Committee (LEP)	3	1	0	0	0	0	4