

Area East Committee Working Groups and Outside organisations – Appointment of members 2021/22 (Executive Decision)

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Purpose of the Report

As the Council has entered a new municipal year, the Committee is asked to review its appointments to outside organisations and working groups within Area East, having regard to the policy on the Roles and Responsibilities of Councillors appointed to Outside Bodies, which was adopted by District Executive on 1st May 2014.

Recommendations

The Committee is asked to:

- 1. Review and appoint members to serve on the groups and panels for the municipal year 2021/22.
- 2. Review and appoint members to the outside organisations as set out in the report.

Area East Panels and Working Groups

The following table shows the internal working groups, and their memberships, appointed by this Committee for the municipal year 2019/20. The Committee is asked to review and agree the memberships of each of the groups for 2021/22.

| Working Group | Number of Councillors to be appointed and frequency of meetings | Representation 2019/20 |
|---------------|---|------------------------|
| None | | |

Outside Organisations

Members are now asked to review and appoint members to the outside organisations for 2021/22, having regard to the adopted policy



| Organisation | Number of Councillors to be appointed and frequency of meetings | Representation 2019/20 (continued 2020/21 due to pandemic) |
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| Dimmer Liaison Group | 1 - twice a year | Mike Lewis |
| Henstridge Consultative Committee | 2 - twice a year. | William Wallace Hayward Burt |
| Heart of Wessex Local Action Group | 1 – executive meets bi-monthly | Mike Lewis |

Financial Implications

None for the Area East Committee as a direct result of this report.

Council Plan Implications

Council Plan 2020 – 2024 – Council Values:

Getting things done - Empowering dedicated and flexible employees and elected members focussed on delivery.

Working collaboratively - Working with partners to enhance outcomes for our communities.

Carbon Emissions and Climate Change Implications

None.

Equality and Diversity Implications

Full consideration to equalities was given in producing the Policy on the Roles and Responsibilities of Councillors appointed to Outside Bodies.

Background Papers

Minute 16, Area East Committee, 12 June 2013

Minute 10, Area East Committee, June 2014

Minute 184, District Executive, 1 May 2014

SSDC Policy on Roles & Responsibilities of Councillors appointed to Outside Bodies.

Minute 15, Area East Committee, 14 June 2017

Minute 14, Are East Committee, 13 June 2018

Minute 10, Area East Committee, 12th June 2019