

**SUMMARY OF SCRUTINY DECISIONS/ RECOMMENDATIONS
(For Information Only)**

Cabinet Scrutiny Committee

Wednesday, 8 November 2023

The attached summary contains scrutiny decisions/recommendations.

Members of the relevant Cabinet/Cabinet Board are notified of the recommendations that have come from Scrutiny for consideration.

The attached summary also details the following:

- Members Attendance
- Member Apologies
- Declarations

Please note the summary of the discussion will be included within the Minutes which will be published and available on the Website.

**K.Jones
Chief Executive**

**Civic Centre
Port Talbot**

9th November 2023

Members Present

Chairperson: **Councillor P.Rogers**

Vice Chairperson: **Councillor C.Jordan**

Councillors: T.Bowen, H.C.Clarke, C.Galsworthy, J.Henton,
J.Jones, S.Paddison, R.Phillips, S.Pursey,
S.H.Reynolds and A.J.Richards

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PART 1

1. Chairs Announcements	<p>The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.</p> <p>Members were advised that Item 7 from the Cabinet Agenda had been withdrawn due to an administrative error on the report and will be brought back to the meeting scheduled for 28th November 2023.</p> <p>It was confirmed that the committee would be scrutinising items 8, 10, 11 and 14.</p>
2. Declarations of Interests	Cllr S Freeguard Item 11, Personal, Family Member works at TATA Steel
3. Minutes of the Previous Meeting	The minutes of the meeting held on 13 th October 2023 were approved as a true and accurate record.
4. Safeguarding	Members noted the report.
5. Pre-decision Scrutiny	<p><u>Biodiversity Duty Plan (2023-2026)</u></p> <p>Following scrutiny, the recommendation was supported to Cabinet.</p> <p><u>2022/23 – Treasury Management Outturn Report</u></p> <p>Following scrutiny, the report was</p>

	<p>noted.</p> <p><u>2023/24 Risk Register Monitoring</u></p> <p>Following scrutiny, the report was noted.</p>
6. Forward Work Programme 2023/24	The Forward Work Programme was noted.
7. Urgent Items	There were no urgent items.
8. Access to Meetings	Resolved: To exclude the public for the following item(s) pursuant to Section 100A(4) and (5) of the Local Government Act 1972 and the relevant exempt paragraphs of Part 4 of Schedule 12A to the above Act.
9. Pre-Decision Scrutiny of Private Item/s	<p><u>Passenger Transport Review - Appointment of Consultants (Exempt under Paragraph 14)</u></p> <p>Following scrutiny,</p> <p>Amendment to recommendation: To put a time-limit in place and a parallel action to look at enhancing skills of the team and growing the team.</p> <p>The recommendation was supported to Cabinet with above amendment.</p>