NEATH PORT TALBOT COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

Council

24th May 2023

Report of the Chief Executive – Mrs Karen Jones

Matter for Decision

Wards Affected:

All wards

Appointment of Leader and Deputy Leader of Neath Port Talbot Council for Civic Year 2023-2024.

Purpose of the Report:

To notify Council of the names submitted for the position of Leader and Deputy Leader for Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council for the Civic Year 2023-2024.

Background:

In accordance with the Council's Constitution, the Council is obliged at It's annual meeting to elect the Leader and Deputy Leader of the Council.

The Chief Executive of the Council has received notification of a wish to propose Cllr Steve Hunt as Leader and Cllr Alun Llewellyn as Deputy Leader of Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council.

It will be for Full Council to confirm these nominations.

Financial Impacts:

There are no financial impacts associated with this report

Integrated Impact Assessment:

There is no requirement for an Integrated Impact Assessment as this is a report in respect of governance arrangements only

Valleys Communities Impacts:

There are no valley community impacts

Workforce Impacts:

There are no workforce impacts associated with this report

Legal Impacts:

The report discharges duties placed on the Council pursuant to the Local Government Act 1972

Risk Management Impacts:

Failure to ensure that the appropriate appointments are made could render the Council in breach of its statutory duties.

Consultation:

There will be no requirement for any consultation.

Recommendations:

That Full Council vote to determine whether Cllr Steve Hunt be confirmed as Leader of Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council and that Cllr Alun Llewellyn be confirmed as Deputy Leader of Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council

Reasons for Proposed Decision:

To ensure the Council is appropriately constituted pursuant to the Local Government Act 1972 and Local Government Act 2000

Implementation of Decision:

The decision is proposed for implementation immediately

Appendices:

None

List of Background Papers:

Constitution of Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council

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