

Standards and Business Committee

Tuesday, 27th January, 2026

MEETING OF THE STANDARDS AND BUSINESS COMMITTEE

Members present: Councillor Flynn (Chairperson); Aldermen Lawlor and McCullough; and Councillors Bower, Bradley, Carson, de Faoite, P. Donnelly, D. Douglas, Lyons, Murphy, Magee, McCallin, McCormick, McDonough-Brown, McAteer, I. McLaughlin and R. McLaughlin.

In attendance: Ms. N. Largey, City Solicitor and Director of Legal and Civic Services; and Mr. B. Flynn, Committee Services Officer.

(Alderman Lawlor in the Chair).

Apologies

There were no apologies received.

Minutes

The minutes of the meeting of 20th November, 2025, were taken as read and signed as correct. It was reported that those minutes had been adopted by the Council at its meeting on 1st December, 2025.

Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

(The Chairperson, Councillor Flynn, in the Chair).

Motions

City Centre Gritting Feasibility Study

The Committee agreed that the motion, which had been proposed by Councillor Smyth and seconded by Councillor Groogan, be referred, in the first instance, to the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee.

Funding for Faith-Based Organisations and Addiction Services

The Committee agreed that the motion, which had been proposed by Alderman McCullough and seconded by Councillor Bunting, be referred, in the first instance, to the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee.

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Fleadh Cheoil 2026 - Legacy Monument for Belfast

The Committee agreed that the motion, which had been proposed by the Deputy Lord Mayor (Councillor Doherty) and seconded by Councillor Whyte, be referred, in the first instance, to the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee.

UK Shared Prosperity Fund

Moved by Councillor Lawlor,
Seconded by Councillor Flynn (Chairperson) and

Resolved - The Committee agrees that the motion, which had proposed by Councillor Brooks and seconded by Councillor Smyth, be adopted.

Chairperson