

Standards and Business Committee

Tuesday, 22nd February, 2022

MEETING OF THE STANDARDS AND BUSINESS COMMITTEE

HELD REMOTELY VIA MICROSOFT TEAMS

Members present: Councillor McCullough (Chairperson);
Aldermen Copeland and Kingston; and
Councillors Black, Bunting, Canavan, Corr, de Faoite,
Ferguson, Gormley, Groogan, M. Kelly, T. Kelly, Kyle,
Lyons, McAllister, McAteer, McCabe, McDonough Brown
and Pankhurst.

In attendance: Mr. J. Walsh, City Solicitor;
Mrs. S. Williams, Governance and Compliance Manager;
Mr. J. Hanna, Senior Democratic Services Officer;
Mrs. S. Steele, Democratic Services Officer; and
Mrs. C. Donnelly, Democratic Services Officer.

Apologies

No Apologies were reported.

Minutes

The minutes of the meeting of 27th January 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 February, subject to the omission of those matters which had been delegated to the Committee.

Declarations of Interest

No Declarations of Interest were recorded.

Delegated Matters

Notices of Motion Received for Council on 1st March

The Committee considered a report in relation to Notices of Motion which had been received for consideration by the Council at its meeting on 1st March.

The Committee considered each motion in turn and agreed the following:

Energy Price Crises

That the motion in relation to the Energy Price Crises be referred, in the first instance, to the People and Communities Committee for consideration.

Illumination of Belfast Castle for the Samaritans

That the element of the motion specifically requesting the illumination of the Belfast Castle on 21st December be referred to the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee as an 'Issue Raised in Advance', and that the remainder of the motion seeking the Council to commend and recognise the work of the Samaritans be referred to the Council for debate, with no restriction on the number of speakers.

Historic Belfast Street Signs

That the motion in relation to Historic Belfast Street Signs be referred, in the first instance, to the Planning Committee.

Belfast Citywide Tribunal Service

That the motion in relation to Belfast Citywide Tribunal Services be referred, in the first instance, to the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee.

Mountainview Centre

That the motion in relation to the Mountainview Centre be referred to the Council for debate, with no restriction on the number of speakers.

Chairperson