

### **Finance Committee**

Date: TUESDAY, 21 NOVEMBER 2017

Time: 1.45 pm

Venue: COMMITTEE ROOM - 2ND FLOOR WEST WING, GUILDHALL

**Members:** Jeremy Mayhew (Chairman) Gregory Lawrence

Deputy Jamie Ingham Clark (Deputy Chairman) Tim Levene Oliver Lodge Randall Anderson Paul Martinelli

Alderman Nick Anstee Deputy Robert Merrett

Nicholas Bensted-Smith Hugh Morris

Chris Boden Deputy Henry Pollard

Mark Bostock William Pimlott

Deputy Roger Chadwick Alderman Matthew Richardson Dominic Christian Alderman William Russell Karina Dostalova James de Sausmarez

Simon Duckworth Ian Seaton

Alderman Peter Estlin Sir Michael Snyder
Sophie Anne Fernandes Deputy James Thomson
Sheriff & Alderman Timothy Hailes Deputy Philip Woodhouse

Caroline Haines Sir Mark Boleat (Ex-Officio Member)
Christopher Hayward Deputy Catherine McGuinness (Ex-

Deputy Tom Hoffman Officio Member)

Michael Hudson Andrew McMurtrie (Ex-Officio Member)

Deputy Wendy Hyde Deputy Alastair Moss (Ex-Officio

Deputy Clare James Member)

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Lunch will be served for Members in Guildhall Club at 1pm NB: Part of this meeting could be the subject of audio video recording

John Barradell
Town Clerk and Chief Executive

#### **AGENDA**

#### Part 1 - Public Agenda

#### 1. APOLOGIES

### 2. MEMBERS' DECLARATIONS UNDER THE CODE OF CONDUCT IN RESPECT OF ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

#### 3. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

To agree the public minutes of the meeting held on 12 September 2017.

For Decision (Pages 1 - 8)

#### 4. OUTSTANDING ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Report of the Town Clerk.

For Information (Pages 9 - 10)

#### 5. REPORT OF THE WORK OF THE SUB-COMMITTEES

Report of the Town Clerk.

For Information (Pages 11 - 12)

#### 6. DRAFT PUBLIC MINUTES OF SUB-COMMITTEES

To note the draft minutes of the following Sub-Committee meetings:

For Information

- a) Draft public minutes of the Information Technology Sub-Committee held on 18 September 2017 (Pages 13 18)
- b) Draft public minutes of the Efficiency and Performance Sub-Committee held on 26 September 2017 (Pages 19 22)
- c) Draft public minutes of the Corporate Asset Sub-Committee held on 5 October 2017 (Pages 23 26)

#### 7. CITY'S CASH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - 2016/17

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Decision (Pages 27 - 130)

#### 8. **BUSINESS PLAN HALF YEAR UPDATE**

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Information (Pages 131 - 138)

#### 9. HALF-YEARLY BUDGET MONITORING REPORT

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Information (Pages 139 - 146)

#### 10. RISK MANAGEMENT - QUARTERLY UPDATE

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Information

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#### 11. FINANCIAL SERVICES DIVISION - QUARTERLY UPDATE

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Information

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#### 12. FINANCE COMMITTEE CONTINGENCIES

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Information

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#### 13. TENDER FOR EXTERNAL AUDITOR

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Information

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#### 14. DISCRETIONARY COUNCIL TAX DISCOUNTS AND EXEMPTIONS

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Decision

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### 15. ANNUAL ON-STREET PARKING ACCOUNTS 2016-17 AND RELATED FUNDING OF HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS AND SCHEMES

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Information

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### 16. **DECISIONS TAKEN UNDER DELEGATED AUTHORITY AND URGENCY PROCEDURES**

Report of the Town Clerk.

For Information

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#### 17. QUESTIONS ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE

#### 18. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT

#### 19. **EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC**

**MOTION** - That under Section 100(A) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part I of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act.

For Decision

#### Part 2 - Non-Public Agenda

#### 20. NON-PUBLIC MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

To agree the non-public minutes of the meeting held on 12 September 2017.

**For Decision** 

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### 21. OUTSTANDING ACTIONS FROM NON-PUBLIC MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Report of the Town Clerk.

For Information

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# 22. **REPORT OF THE WORK OF THE SUB-COMMITTEES - NON-PUBLIC ISSUES** Report of the Town Clerk.

For Information

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#### 23. DRAFT NON-PUBLIC MINUTES OF SUB-COMMITTEES

To note the draft non-public minutes of the following Sub-Committee meetings:

For Information

- a) Draft non-public minutes of the Information Technology Sub-Committee held on 18 September 2017 (Pages 199 202)
- b) Draft non-public minutes of the Efficiency and Performance Sub-Committee held on 26 September 2017 (Pages 203 206)
- Draft non-public minutes of the Corporate Asset Sub-Committee held on 5
   October 2017 (Pages 207 216)

# 24. **PROCUREMENT WAIVERS APPROVED SINCE THE LAST MEETING** Report of the Chamberlain.

For Information

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### 25. IT NETWORK TRANSFORMATION PROGRAMME - LOCAL AREA NETWORK REFRESH - GATEWAY 5

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Decision

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#### 26. **ENERGY BUYING SERVICES**

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Information

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#### 27. GUILDHALL COMPLEX - UPDATE FINANCE REPORT

Report of the City Surveyor.

**For Information** 

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#### 28. WRITE-OFF - EAGLE CARGO SERVICES LTD

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Decision

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#### 29. SALE OF 193 FLEET STREET, EC4

Report of the City Surveyor.

For Decision

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#### 30. CIPFA - REQUEST FOR A LOAN

Report of the Chamberlain.

To Follow

**For Decision** 

### 31. CENTRAL LONDON WORK HEALTH PROGRAMME: PROCUREMENT STAGE 3 TENDER REPORT

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Decision

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### 32. ANNUAL ALLOWANCE - VOLUNTARY SCHEME PAYS OPTION

Report of the Chamberlain.

For Decision

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#### 33. ST LAWRENCE JEWRY CHURCH - REPORT

Report of the City Surveyor.

For Information

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### 34. NON-PUBLIC DECISIONS TAKEN UNDER DELEGATED AUTHORITY AND URGENCY PROCEDURES

Report of the Town Clerk.

For Information

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### 35. NON-PUBLIC QUESTIONS ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE

# 36. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT AND WHICH THE COMMITTEE AGREE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED WHILST THE PUBLIC ARE EXCLUDED