### **Merton Council**

# Merton and Sutton Joint Cemetery Board Agenda

#### Membership

#### Councillors:

Agatha Mary Akyigyina OBE Nick Draper Geraldine Stanford Jill West David Williams Councillor Nick Emmerson Councillor Trish Fivey Councillor Richard Marston Councillor Graham Whitham

Date: Tuesday 20 February 2018

Time: 2.00 pm

Venue: Committee rooms D & E - Merton Civic Centre, London Road,

Morden SM4 5DX

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Apologies for Absence 1 2 **Declarations of Pecuniary Interest** 3 1 - 2 Minutes of the Previous Meeting 4 Update and Review by idverde A verbal update will be presented at the meeting 5 Exclusion of the Public To RESOLVE that the public are excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following reports on the grounds that they are exempt from disclosure for the reasons stated in the agenda. 6 Exempt Minutes of the Previous Meeting 3 - 4 7 Budget Monitoring 2017/18 and Revenue Estimates 2018/19 5 - 268 Update on Review of Management and Operation of Merton and Sutton Cemetery A verbal report will be presented at the meeting. 9 Update on MSJCB Cemetery Lodge Tenancy A verbal Report will be presented at the Meeting

#### Note on declarations of interest

Members are advised to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in any matter to be considered at the meeting. If a pecuniary interest is declared they should withdraw from the meeting room during the whole of the consideration of that matter and must not participate in any vote on that matter. If members consider they should not participate because of a non-pecuniary interest which may give rise to a perception of bias, they should declare this, .withdraw and not participate in consideration of the item. For further advice please speak with the Assistant Director of Corporate Governance.

## Agenda Item 3

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## MERTON AND SUTTON JOINT CEMETERY BOARD 14 NOVEMBER 2017

(2.00 pm - 2.55 pm)

PRESENT Councillor Agatha Mary Akyigyina (in the Chair)

Councillor Geraldine Stanford, Councillor David Williams, Councillor Jill West, Councillor Richard Marston and

Councillor Graham Whitham

ALSO PRESENT Doug Napier – Client-Side Manager

Zoe Church – Treasurer to the Board Lisa Jewell – Clerk to the Board

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE (Agenda Item 1)

Apologies were received from Councillors Trish Fivey, Nick Emmerson and Nick Draper, and from Howard Joy Surveyor to the Board.

2 DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST (Agenda Item 2)

No declarations of Pecuniary Interest were received.

3 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING (Agenda Item 3)

The name of the idverde representative listed as an attendee, was changed to Dennis Codd.

#### **RESOLVED**

The minutes of 12 June 2017 were agreed as an accurate record.

4 BUDGET MONITORING 2017/18 (Agenda Item 4)

The Treasurer to the Board presented her report on the current budgetary position for 2017/18 based on the second quarter monitoring. She asked Members to note the risk register attached as an appendix.

Members asked about the progress of the review of long term assets discussed at the previous meeting. The Treasurer to the Board replied that the report was as accurate as it could be for the current time. A full review of all vehicles will be done for the year end accounts. Members asked if these figures were expected to change by year end, and noted that the Treasurer thought that there might be some small changes to reflect rental income. Members noted that idverde had taken on equipment belonging to the Board, and they will decide what they want to keep, and at the end of the contract they will hand the equipment back.

**RESOLVED** 

- 1. That the current budgetary position for 2017/18 based on the second quarters monitoring be noted.
- 2. That the Board review and approve the Risk Register attached as Appendix D
- 5 EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC (Agenda Item 5)

RESOLVED: That the public are excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following report(s) on the grounds that it is (they are) exempt from disclosure for the reasons stated in the report(s).

6 EXEMPT MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (Agenda Item 6)

#### **RESOLVED**

The Exempt minutes of 12 June 2017 were agreed as an accurate record.

7 REVIEW OF MANAGEMENT AND OPERATION OF MERTON AND SUTTON CEMETERY (Agenda Item 7)

The minutes for this item are not for Publication By Virtue of paragraph 1 and 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A Of the Local Government Act 1972

8 VERBAL UPDATE ON MSJCB CEMETERY LODGE (Agenda Item 8)

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## Agenda Item 6

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## Agenda Item 7

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